

# The Washington State Chapter of URISA

## Membership and Sponsorship Policy

Adopted: December 13, 2005 and Revised: December 11, 2012

### Individual Regular Washington State Chapter of URISA (WAURISA) Members

- Individual Membership dues: \$25
- Individual Membership runs from Annual Conference to Annual Conference
- Registration for the annual Conference includes \$25 individual membership dues
- An individual who pays membership during the calendar year before the conference gets their Conference Registration at a \$25 reduced price. Their membership expires before the following year's conference.
- WAURISA Educational sessions and other non-conference WAURISA events are open to non-WAURISA members. However, valid WAURISA members whose dues are current get admission to each event at a \$15 reduction in cost. (For example, if the cost for a non-conference event is \$25 per person, the advertised price would be \$40 for non-members and \$25 for members).

### Individual Student WAURISA Members

- Nominal Individual Student Membership dues: \$15
- Student must submit evidence of carrying a current half-time (8 hours) academic load.
- Individual Student Membership runs from Annual Conference to Annual Conference
- Student registration for Conference includes \$15 individual student membership
- An individual who pays student membership during the calendar year before the conference gets their Conf Registration at \$25 reduced price, subject to verification of continued current half-time academic load. Their membership expires before the following year's conference.
- WAURISA Educational sessions and other non-conference WAURISA events are open to non-WAURISA members. However, valid WAURISA members whose dues are current get admission to each event at a \$15 reduction in cost. (For example, if we determine that the cost for a non-conference event is \$25 per person, the advertised price would be \$40 for non-members and \$25 for members).

### WAURISA Sponsors:

- WAURISA Sponsorship cost is \$150 per year (April – May)
- Exception – any agency that provides a Board Member and allows use of agency facilities and/or agency/company time, gets listed on the WAURISA Web Page and in The Summit as a 'WAURISA SPONSOR.'
- Sponsors that pay the \$150 sponsorship fee get the following additional sponsorship benefits:
  - o One (1) individual membership for organization employee
  - o Company description and logo featured on the Sponsorship section of the WAURISA website
  - o Acknowledgement of support given during introduction of all WAURISA training classes and workshops held outside of the annual conference
  - o Company description and logo featured in each issue of The Summit quarterly online newsletter

### Conference Sponsors:

- Conference sponsorship is separate from WAURISA Sponsorship
- Cost & Benefits to be determined annually by the Conference Committee