

**CHARTER MEMBERS** (Membership contribution -- \$5,000)

The purpose of charter membership is to keep the chapter on a sound financial footing. Charter members will have all the rights and privileges of other members and will be invited to assist in advising the Board on policies and programs. We welcome government departments and agencies as arm's length Charter members, but government members will have no voting rights.

**PROFESSIONAL FIRMS** (membership contribution - \$1,000)

The designated spokesperson of a professional firm has full voting and participation rights at meetings of members.

**VOLUNTARY SECTOR ORGANIZATIONS**

(Membership contribution range -- \$100 - \$500)

The designated spokesperson of an NGO has full voting and participation rights at meetings of members.

**INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS** (Membership contribution -- \$100)

Individual members have full participation and voting privileges at meetings of members.

**STUDENT MEMBERS** (Membership contribution -- \$20)

Student members have full participation and voting privileges at meetings of members.

**ALL MEMBERS** will receive newsletters/bulletins, information about conferences and workshops, and the right to participate in these conferences and workshops on a cost recovery basis. Membership in TI-Canada is generally available to all, subject to receipt of a Membership Application and Board approval of the Application. The Board may decline to grant such approval if, for any reason, the Board considers membership to be inconsistent or incompatible with the objectives, values and ethical principles of TI-Canada.

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**APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP**

All applications must be accompanied by a response to the Membership Question ([link here](#))

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership Category: Charter Professional Volunteer/NGO Individual Student  
(circle one)

Fee: Amount \_\_\_\_\_ (please enclose cheque made out to "TI - Canada" and mail to address on front)

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# Transparency International Canada Inc.



**Mission**

The purpose of Transparency International Canada Inc. (TI-Canada) is to be an informed voice that promotes anti-corruption practices and transparency in Canada's governments, businesses and society at large. Launched in November 1996, TI-Canada is a voluntary not-for-profit organization affiliated with approximately 100 other National Chapters and many others being formed, all around the world.

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Corruption, the *misuse of entrusted power for private gain*, hurts everyone. As a coalition of the public, private and civil society sectors, TI-Canada works with Canadian governments and institutions, business and the general public to take a leadership role in the anti-corruption movement in Canada and abroad. We do not point fingers or name names but employ a unique expertise to build constructive systemic reform.

## **To accomplish this mission, TI-Canada works with:**

### **An international TI coalition, which:**

- Publishes the Corruption Perceptions Index, the Bribe Payers Index and the Global Corruption Barometer
- Has developed the “TI Source Book,” with readings and resources to help governments and corporations strengthen systems to prevent corruption
- Promotes Integrity Pacts, that bring the customer and all the bidders on a project together under a voluntary anti-bribery pact designed to ensure fair competition
- Works in developing countries to establish effective law enforcement, an independent judiciary, and a strong and independent media with skills in investigative journalism

### **The general public to:**

- Raise awareness of the problem, stressing the negative impact of corruption on the poor, on democratic institutions and on economic development.

### **All levels of Canadian government to:**

- Develop anti-corruption policies
- Participate in, comply with and implement international anti-corruption agreements and conventions
- Adopt and implement programs for the effective monitoring of such agreements and conventions
- Share knowledge about Federal anti-bribery legislation and the harmful effects corruption causes in marketplaces around the world, including Canada
- Incorporate anti-corruption provisions in trade agreements and grants
- Include anti-corruption provisions in contracts and require corporate codes of conduct where government financing is involved
- Take a leadership role in modelling and promoting effective Canadian anti-corruption systems and practices

### **The Canadian business community to:**

- Promote the active development and implementation of corporate anti-corruption systems
- Develop codes of ethics and anti-bribery policies and practices
- Expand their role as anti-corruption ambassadors in Canada and international markets
- Take the lead in developing cross-sector networks (government, business, voluntary sector, academic) in the pursuit of a level playing field

### **International institutions, such as the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, the United Nations, the Organization of American States and the World Bank, to:**

- Build anti-corruption provisions into trade agreements and other economic instruments
- Develop policies requiring compliance with anti-corruption guidelines and procedures

### **Other National Chapters and organizations to:**

- Share knowledge and expertise on anti-corruption programs
- Form partnerships to pursue anti-corruption objectives
- Advocate anti-corruption policies and practices

## **Membership Benefits**

- Full participation and voting privileges at all meetings of members
- Receipt of TI-Canada Newsletter/Bulletin and access to TI newsletter, indices and other documentation
- Participation in TI-Canada conferences and workshops on a cost recovery basis
- Making a difference in countering corruption in Canadian and global markets

We welcome your involvement and membership in TI-Canada. To apply, please complete the information form or visit [www.transparency.ca](http://www.transparency.ca).