



STONE CARVERS GUILD

WWW.STONECARVERSGUILD.ORG

Membership Information

The Stone Carvers Guild is a group of independent working professional American stone carvers. We are working to ensure that carved stone will continue to play an important role in our built environment throughout the 21st century and beyond. Refer to the resources section of the guild website for definitions of “stone carver”. Note that we are geared towards stone carving, not towards other aspects of the stone trades or stone sculpting.

The Stone Carvers Guild is a 501(c)6 non-profit corporation organized under the laws of the State of Illinois.

Membership information:

- Professional membership is limited to stone carvers who have been General Members for at least one year, have earned their living as a professional stone carver for at least six years, have attended at least one annual meeting and have submitted a portfolio that has been approved by the review committee of the guild.
- General membership is open to all. All members, regardless of experience and skill level, start out as general members.

Entitlements for General Members include:

- Opportunity to apply for Professional Membership after one year, subject to above criteria
- Able to attend meetings and network with members
- Access to on-line discussion forum at <https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/stonecarversguild/info>
- Subscription to The Stone Carvers’ Journal published by the guild

Entitlements for Professional Members include the above plus:

- Guild website portfolio at www.stonecarversguild.org
- Voting rights

Membership fees due with application

- General Members: \$40.00 per year
- Professional Members: \$100.00 per year

Make check payable to: Stone Carvers Guild
(Your check is your receipt)

Mail application to: Stone Carvers Guild Membership
7N057 IL Route 25
Elgin IL 60120

Email carver@stonecarversguild.org for membership questions.



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Application for General Membership

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Address: _____

Phone Numbers: Primary contact number: _____
Additional numbers: _____

Fax Number: _____

E-Mail address: _____

Website address (if any): _____

Business name or employer: _____

Address:

Background :

Years of experience carving stone: _____

My primary occupation is: Sculptor Stone Cutter (banker mason)
 Stone Carver Other (please specify)

Specialties (types of stone used, types of work you do):

Personal statement (optional):

Comments: (optional):

I certify the above information is correct to the best of my knowledge: _____

Signature

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General membership dues with application: \$40.00 made out to Stone Carvers Guild
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