

Fast-track Membership

A Your personal details

Mr Mrs Miss Ms Other, please state _____ Gender Male Female

Given name _____ Middle name _____ Family name _____

Preferred name _____ Previous name (if changed) _____

Date of birth (mandatory) ____ / ____ / ____ (dd/mm/yyyy)

Contact details Preferred mailing address (Please indicate if this address is Residential or Business)

Address _____

Suburb/Town/City _____ State _____ Postcode _____

Contact phone numbers: Mobile _____ Business _____ Home _____

Email address (mandatory) _____

Your CPA Australia membership and Public Practice Certificate (PPC) details

Membership ID	Current member level (Please circle)			Do you hold a PPC? (Yes or No)	Membership / PPC paid to (dd/mm/yyyy)
	ASA	CPA	FCCA		

NOTE: Please provide a copy of your membership and PPC (if applicable) renewal tax invoice receipt.

B More information about you

Have you ceased to be a member of a professional body due to disciplinary action? No Yes

Have you ever been refused admission to the IPA or any other professional body? No Yes

Have you ever had any criminal convictions within or outside Australia? No Yes

Have you been the subject of an unfavourable decision by a professional body and/ or a Regulator? No Yes

Have you ever been declared bankrupt or insolvent? No Yes

If you answered Yes to any question(s) above, please provide details on a separate page with any related official documentation.

C Professional services

Do you provide accounting or/and related services to the public for a fee as a Director, Partner, Shareholder, Principal, or Sole Trader? Yes No

Do you audit Self-Managed Super Funds (SMSFs)? Yes No

Is your income from providing services more than \$18,200 (current threshold)? Yes No

Note: If you answered Yes to any of the above questions, you may need a Professional Practice Certificate (PPC) with your IPA membership under the IPA By-laws. We will contact you if you are required to hold a PPC with us. If you currently hold a PPC with CPA Australia, please refer to Section **E** on the next page.

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D Statutory registrations

Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC) Registrations

- Australian Financial Services Authorised representative: No. _____
- Registered Company Auditor: No. _____
- Official Liquidator: No. _____
- Registered Liquidator: No. _____
- SMSF Auditor: No. _____
- Credit Representative: No. _____

Tax Practitioners Board (TPB) Registrations

- Individual BAS Agent: No. _____
- Individual tax (financial) adviser: No. _____
- Individual tax agent: No. _____

E Professional Practice Certificate (PPC)

Do you currently hold a PPC with CPA Australia? Yes No (If you answered No, skip the rest of the questions in this section and go to Section **F**)

Your business entity:

Business name _____
 ABN _____ ACN _____

Your interest in the business:

- Sole trader Partner Director Shareholder Principal Other (provide details) _____

Business contact details (mandatory)

Principal place of business _____
 Suburb/Town/City _____ State _____ Postcode _____

Services you (or/and your company) provide to the public:

Please provide details of your current professional indemnity insurance:

Insurer _____ Cover amount \$ _____ per one claim Cover end date ___ / ___ / _____

Note: Did you know that the IPA has a 'Find an Accountant' page on our website (<https://www.publicaccountants.org.au/find-an-accountant>)? If you wish to promote your business on the IPA website, once your membership and PPC are finalised, log into your IPA account and enter your business details under the 'Find an Accountant' listing.

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F Declaration

I declare that:

- I have read the IPA's membership price list and understand that I will be charged a membership fee and a PPC fee, if applicable. Note: Your first year membership or PPC fee is pro rata according to the month in which you join, then annually thereafter due on 1 July. Refer to the link in Section **G** on the next page
- I understand that by providing my credit/debit card details or cheque payment that I am confirming I have sufficient funds to pay for all fees relating to this application. I also understand that my membership and PPC (if applicable) will not become active until the payment has been received by the IPA and I will receive a tax invoice by email upon payment
- I have read the IPA's Privacy Statement* and consent to my personal information being collected, used and disclosed for the purposes outlined
- I understand that my eligibility for membership and any offer of admission to membership at a particular level will be based on the information contained within this application
- I understand that the IPA has an investigations and disciplinary process* to accept written complaints against IPA members. As a condition of membership all IPA members are subject to this investigation and disciplinary process for alleged breaches of the IPA Constitution, By-laws, Pronouncements and professional and ethical standards
- If admitted to membership:
 - a. I agree to abide by the IPA Constitution, Regulations, Pronouncements and By-Laws*
 - b. I agree to undertake and keep a record of my continuing professional development activities (80 hours biennial)
 - c. I acknowledge that I am not permitted to act as a principal in public practice or hold myself out as being a principal in public practice, or undertake any public accounting services in my own right unless I meet the PPC requirements of IPA
- If my PPC is approved with membership, I also agree to abide by all standards, Guidance Statements and other authoritative interpretations issued by the Auditing & Assurance Standards Board of Australia, the Australian Accounting Standards Board and the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board, including the requirements to:
 - a. Maintain professional indemnity insurance that complies with IPA requirements;
 - b. Complete the IPA's Professional Practice Program within 6 months of issue of my PPC, if not exempted;
 - c. Undergo an IPA professional practice quality assurance review when required;
 - d. Undertake and keep a record of my continuing professional development activities (80 hours biennial); and
 - e. Advise the IPA should I become bankrupt, be charged with any criminal offence or be the subject of an adverse finding by any professional or regulatory body.

I certify that the information provided on this application form is true and correct.

Signature _____	Date ____ / ____ / ____
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*For more information, go to www.publicaccountants.org.au

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G Payment details

With this fast-track application, we will waive your application fee (\$150.00) and PSC fee (\$88.00)*.

Your application must include payment of

- Membership fee; **AND**
- PPC fee if you hold a PPC with CPA Australia

Please refer to <https://www.publicaccountants.org.au/become-a-member/membership-fees-20172018/australia>

Payment authority

I have enclosed a cheque/ money order payable to "Institute of Public Accountants"

OR

Please charge my AMEX MasterCard Visa

Card number _____ Expiry date ____ / ____

Cardholder name _____

Signature _____ Date ____ / ____ / ____

Upon payment, you will receive a Tax Invoice email.

*PPC fee and PSC fee are only applicable to those who currently hold a PPC with CPA Australia.

OFFICE USE ONLY

Membership fee \$ _____

PPC fee*\$ _____

Total amount due \$ _____

Campaign code # _____
(If applicable)

Checklist

Have you completed and attached the following?		YES	NO
1	Supplementary details regarding information about you (<i>if required – section B</i>)		
2	Copy of current renewal receipt of your membership with CPA Australia attached		
3	Copy of current renewal receipt of your PPC with CPA Australia attached, if applicable		
4	Authorised your credit card payment for your membership fee and PPC – MPA fee if applicable under section G or provided a cheque made payable to The Institute of Public Accountants?		
5	Signed Section F declaration?		

How to submit your form

Please scan and email your completed form to:

membership@publicaccountants.org.au

For any questions, please contact us on 03 8665 3100 (9am – 5 pm (AEST), Monday to Friday)