

You don't have to be an architect to be an AIA member. Become an Allied Member of AIA Central Illinois.

Are you a designer? An artist? An Engineer? A contractor? Are you working in a field that is related to architecture? Then this membership category is right for you. This membership category was created to promote communication among all members of the design and construction team.

What is an Allied Member?

Allied members are employed outside of traditional architectural practice, but are involved in positions allied to the field. They have an established professional reputation, and include engineers, planners, landscape architects, sculptors, muralists, artists, and others in government, education, journalism, and those involved in manufacturing or industry. Allied Members also include those employed by firms in the construction industry who are engaged in research, design, development, testing, manufacturing, distribution, or training. Individuals must not be otherwise eligible for membership in AIA Central Illinois.

Why Should You Become an Allied Member of AIA Central Illinois?

- Show your support for the profession
- Have access to information and insight not available elsewhere
- Participate in networking opportunities exclusively for members
- Help shape architecture and the built environment through legislation and policy making
- Be connected to an influential organization
- Help promote and sustain industry standards and best practices
- Enable research, joint educational opportunities, and cooperative public programs on subjects of mutual interest
- Join with colleagues to accomplish more collectively than we can individually

Member Benefits

Individual Allied Member - \$85 annually

Individual Allied members receive the same basic benefits from AIA Central Illinois as architect and associate members (except voting). This means they share AIA Central Illinois resources, programs, services, and activities. "Share" is the key word – allied members will learn from architects as much as they will inform them about their own disciplines, professions, and concerns. We believe that by sharing your ideas and creative energies through participation in Chapter activities, you will increase your understanding of the architectural profession, and the AIA Central Illinois will benefit from your special knowledge and expertise.

As an Individual Allied Member in AIA Central Illinois, you'll enjoy:

- Networking opportunities (invitation to AIA Central Illinois programs and events at member prices)
- Listing in the ArchiPages, an annual directory of architectural firms, members, consultants, products and services in Illinois
- Receive a complimentary copy of ArchiPages, which is also sent to all AIA Illinois members
- Inclusion on the AIA Central Illinois mailing list for all general mailings
- Opportunity to participate on committees and event planning
- A membership certificate suitable for framing

Become an Allied Member. It's easy

Send your completed membership application form and membership fee (payable to "AIA Central Illinois") to:

AIA Central Illinois
c/o Individual Allied Membership
PO Box 97
Normal, Illinois 61761-0097

Please note that this membership is through AIA Central Illinois, other allied memberships are available at the state and national level. Refer to the membership information section at www.aiaci.org for additional information on membership benefits and opportunities to select the membership that is right for you.