INSTITUTIONAL AFFILIATE MEMBERSHIP

Welcome to the New England Museum Association! As an Institutional Affiliate Member, you have access to the very best professional development, advocacy, and networking programs for the museum field that our region has to offer. Plus, you’re linked to thousands of museum colleagues who are ready to offer you the professional friendships that make a rewarding career. Here are your member benefits.

**Professional Development and Networking**

**Annual Conference:** A three-day meeting with more than 60 concurrent sessions, attended by almost 800 colleagues. The 2020 Annual NEMA Conference will be held November 18-20, 2020 in Newport, RI. (You qualify for member discounts.)

**Workshops:** One-day programs that offer high-quality, affordable training, developed by museum professionals for museum professionals. (You qualify for member discounts.)

**Professional Affinity Groups:** NEMA’s PAGs are your way to plug into discipline-level learning and networking. There’s no charge to participate.

**Lunch with NEMA:** Informal professional development on the last Wednesday of the month.

**Regional Networking Events:** Join your colleagues at these fun, informal NEMA-hosted events to mingle, relax, catch up with old friends and meet new ones.

**Museum Admission Program:** Show your proof of NEMA membership (delivered by email) for discounted admission at participating museum throughout the region.

**Publications**

**New England Museums Now:** An electronic journal devoted to vital issues in the museum profession that also provides up-to-date information on what’s happening in the New England museum community.

**NEMA Jobs:** The best source for museum job postings in the region. This e-publication contains dozens of listings and is updated continuously.


**NEMA Marketplace:** A valuable online directory listing companies and consultants offering services and products to museums.

**Resources**

**Insurance & Pension:** Give your employees access to guaranteed life insurance, dental/vision plans, long/short-term disability plans, and retirement plans — all at significant discounts for NEMA members.

**Online Discussion Group:** Get answers to your toughest questions. Lend your expertise to a colleague’s problem. NEMA Networking is only open to members and is practical and popular.

**Museum Document Exchange:** Learn best practices from your colleagues: collections/personnel policies, strategic plans, bylaws, and more from the region’s museums.

**NEMA 911:** NEMA 911 is a rapid-response resource that helps untangle problems, offer words of wisdom, and suggest pathways toward solutions. If you have an issue you’d like to discuss, visit nemanet.org/nema-911 to get started.