

# **Membership Application**

### **Business memberships**

Open to the following businesses or organizations which are actively engaged in the urban ag industry. Your annual investment is based on annual gross sales revenue; renewal date is one year from the date you join.

**Contractor:** *Companies that provide planning, design, construction, installation, and/or maintenance* 

- Contractor-I under \$1 million .....\$250
- Contractor-II between \$1- \$2 million ......\$350
- Contractor-III between \$2 5 million ......\$525
- Contractor-IV over \$5 million & national corporations...\$875

**Vendor, Grower/Nursery, Sod Producer:** *Companies that produce and/or sell materials, products or services* 

- Vendor-I *under \$1 million* ......\$350
- Vendor-II *between* \$1- \$3 *million* .....\$525
- Vendor-III over \$3 million & national corporations ..... \$875

Membership fee includes all employees of the business, department or facility; one vote per company in association matters.

### Individual memberships

To be listed by company or institution's name on the UAC website/database and receive discounted registration, exhibitor and advertising fees, please join at the appropriate business membership level above.

Independent professional ......\$95

Individuals (cannot be the owner or principal of the company) whose companies or organizations are not UAC members. Membership is in the individual's name only, not the company or institution's name; this membership is non-voting in association matters.

Educator/student ......\$40

Educators and students (proof of teaching/enrollment in higher ed landscape/ hort/turf program required); this membership is non-voting in association matters.

### **UGA** Cooperative Extension personnel

Complimentary membership; please contact the UAC office to apply.

### Member benefits

- Legislative and regulatory advocacy and representation
- Web profile page on www.urbanagcouncil.com searchable "Find A Professional" database
- UAC Safety School materials
- UAC Safety Zone Awards program
- *UAC Magazine* print and online, six issues annually (one copy per company; additional print subscriptions are available for \$25 per year)
- Industry updates via email
- UGA Turfgrass Pest Control Handbook
- Marketing pkg./framed membership certificate
- Electronic copies of UAC logo

#### Also available (additional fees apply)

- Eligible for UAC Workers Comp insurance program through WS Pharr/Builder
- UAC Professional Landscape Awards program
- UAC dinner meetings and other networking opportunities throughout Georgia
- Advertise in UAC publications at member rate
- Sponsor UAC dinner meeting and awards banquet
- Discounted registration and/or exhibitor fee for EDGE, field days and other UAC events

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# Apply for a UAC membership

- **1.** Read and agree to the UAC Code of Ethics.
- **2.** Fill in your member profile.
- 3. Select membership level and payment method.
- **4.** Mail completed application and first year's membership dues to Georgia Urban Ag Council, PO Box 817, Commerce GA 30529 or fax application with credit card information to 706.336.6898. You will receive an email confirmation of your application and notification once membership has been approved.

# Unless otherwise noted, all information is required for all members.

# Step 1 of 4

# UAC Code of Ethics

As a member of UAC, I agree to adhere to the following principles:

- To promote honesty and professionalism at all times;
- To promote and encourage best management practices;
- To improve my skills and knowledge and to encourage education and research; and
- To elevate public awareness of the professionalism of the urban ag industry through my investment in the association.

# I have read and I agree to UAC's Code of Ethics.

Signature:	
Printed name:	
Step 2 of 4	
Company name	
•	<b>r business-level members only:</b> sed for logging into the members site and will be the name/email address the public sees.
First name	Last name
Show email to site visitors: 🗌 Yes	
Contact for UAC communication	s regarding payments, renewals and other info:
First name	Last name
Email	
Address	
City	StateZip
Phone	Fax
Cell	Website: http://

#### Licensure

*The State of Georgia requires licenses for pesticide application. Contractor/Institutional, Vendor, and Affiliate members may include pesticide application in their UAC company web profile ONLY with valid license(s) and if information is provided here.* 

Private Pesticide Applicator License #					
Commercial Pesticide Applicator License #	_				
Low Voltage Electrical License #	_				

# Required for business-level members only

## Information below is required for membership, but will be kept confidential:

Federal Tax ID #
Business type: Sole Proprietorship Partnership Corporation Limited Partnership
State of incorporation
Date of incorporation/date business started
*
Business license number
Business county
<b>Insurance</b> Every employer, individual, firm, association, or corporation, regularly employing three or more persons, part-time or full-time, is required to provide workers' compensation insurance coverage.
Number of employees
Required if number Insurance carrier
<i>of employees is more</i> <i>than 3.</i> Insurance type
Company description
Minimum service fee (if applicable)
Do you charge for an estimate? Yes No Amount charged
Short company description (50 characters maximum) <i>NOTE: This information will appear in membership directory.</i>
Long company description (this is what will convince website visitors to view your online profile)

#### Certification/affiliations

- GCLP Georgia Certified Landscape Professional
- Georgia Erosion and Sediment Control Certification
- Georgia Private Pesticide Applicator License
- Georgia Commercial Pesticide Applicator License
- GCPP Georgia Certified Plant Professional
- ANLA American Nursery and Landscape Association
- ASLA American Society of Landscape Architects
- CIC Certified Irrigation Contractor
- ISA Certified Arborist
- DLANET Professional Landscare Network
- CDFW Certified Drug-Free Workplace
- Better Business Bureau

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#### Membership levels and annual investment

Your annual renewal date is one year from the date you join; an invoice will be sent in advance of renewal date.

Other certification(s) or affiliation(s):

#### See page 1 for category descriptions and benefits.

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- Recreation, Government, Education & Research \$350
- Vendor-I \$350 under \$1 million
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#### **Payment method**

A check payable to Georgia UAC has been enclosed with this contract.

Please charge my	🗌 Visa	MasterCard	American Express	Discover		For Office Use Only
Company name						Date received
						Amount received
						Payment method
City				State	Zip	
Credit card #						
Exp Date:			Security code: _			

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