



# Craft & Hobby Association Buyer Membership Application

## MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name\*: \_\_\_\_\_ Job Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_

*\*Individual designated will receive all CHA correspondence; will be considered the voting contact for association-wide elections, and is responsible for updating all membership information for company employees, etc.*

Do you wish to receive CHA informational e-mails?  YES  NO

How did you hear about CHA?  www.craftandhobby.org  Referred by: \_\_\_\_\_  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### 1. Select Membership Category and Dues Level

#### Dues Schedule

	<b>Dues</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Retailer - Worldwide Revenue less than \$999,999	\$165
<input type="checkbox"/> Retailer - Worldwide Revenue \$1,000,000 to \$3,999,999	\$325
<input type="checkbox"/> Retailer - Worldwide Revenue \$4,000,000 to 7,999,999	\$800
<input type="checkbox"/> Retailer - Worldwide Revenue \$8,000,000 to \$12,999,999	\$1350
<input type="checkbox"/> Retailer - Worldwide Revenue \$13,000,000 to \$19,999,999	\$3250
<input type="checkbox"/> Retailer - Worldwide Revenue \$20,000,000 to \$29,999,999	\$6500
<input type="checkbox"/> Retailer - Worldwide Revenue \$30,000,000 - \$49,999,999	\$10,750
<input type="checkbox"/> Retailer - Worldwide Revenue \$50,000,000 - \$69,999,999	\$13,750
<input type="checkbox"/> Retailer - Worldwide Revenue More Than \$70,000,000	\$16,250

### 2. Payment Information

Please complete in full. Checks must be drawn on a U.S. financial institution and paid in U.S. funds. Membership dues are based on an anniversary year schedule. Membership dues are not refundable. At the expiration of your initial membership term (1 year), CHA will automatically renew your membership at the appropriate dues level for successive one (1) year periods. To opt out of auto renewal, please check here:

Dues: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  CHECK # \_\_\_\_\_  
Credit Card:  AMEX  MC  VISA  DISC

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CV# \_\_\_\_\_

Print Card Holders Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

### 3. Signature

Any person, firm, or corporation ethically engaged in the craft and hobby industry, or branch thereof, shall be eligible for membership in this Association, subject to the provision of the Bylaws.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### 4. Documentation

Complete the information on page 2 of the application and include copies of your credentials.

### 5. RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION with business qualifications and payment by mail, fax or email (documents may be sent as attachments) to:

Craft & Hobby Association  
319 E. 54th Street,  
Elmwood Park, New Jersey 07407  
United States

Email: membership@craftandhobby.org  
Fax: (973) 835-1256 or (201) 797-0657  
Questions? Phone: (201) 835-1206

# Craft & Hobby Association Buyer Membership Application

## Buyer Descriptions

Please check the description that best defines your company:

- A **store-front retail** company whose principal creative arts industry business is the sale of merchandise at retail from one or more brick-and-mortar store locations and sells such items known to the trade as creative arts industry products, supplies or parts thereof, to the consumer or end-user.
- An **internet or catalog retail** company whose principal creative arts industry business is the sale of merchandise at retail via an e-commerce website and/or catalog and sells such items known to the trade as creative arts industry products, supplies, kits or parts thereof, to the consumer or end-user.
- A **TV/media sales retail** company whose principal creative arts industry business is the sale of craft, hobby or gift merchandise at retail via a broadcast television program on a network or cable station. It may be an online business (includes blogs and social media communities) whose products, services, information, or techniques can be purchased, stored, shared and/or downloaded exclusively by its customers or members via their website.
- An **institutional buyer** represents a school, college, hospital, retreat, spa, cruise provider, youth day camp or senior citizen group or facility; a museum; any state or government office, department or institution; a US military skill development center.

## Credentials To Provide

Please provide the following items with your application

1. At least 2 paid invoices (within 6 months of purchase) from industry suppliers (\$300 minimum for each)
2. Provide one the following 3 items:
  - Resale tax certificate
  - Business license
  - Employer Identification Number (EIN)
3. Provide one of the following 3 items:
  - Store-front photograph or copy of store lease or mortgage
  - Link to company website (placeholder not acceptable)
  - Sample of television or video products

## Company Information

How many individuals are employed by your company? \_\_\_\_\_

How many store locations do you have (store-front retailers only) \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any employees that would like to receive updates from CHA:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

## Product Lines and Interests

Please select all that apply.

- Art Materials
- Digital Craft Supplies
- Needlecraft/Sewing/Textiles
- Models/Hobbies/ Collectibles/ Craft Kits
- Paper Craft Supplies/Rubber Stamping
- Jewelry/Bead/Supplies
- Instructions/Books/DVDs
- Woodworking/Leathercraft/Metal
- General Craft Supplier
- Furniture/Lighting/Containers/Storage Supplies
- Home Décor/Framing/Holiday & Seasonal
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### IMPORTANT CHA MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

The Craft & Hobby Association (CHA) is a not-for-profit 501(c) (6) trade association. Your CHA membership section is determined by the type of business and services your company performs within this industry; CHA is not an individual member organization. The membership section chosen will be verified by CHA and changed to correspond to the Association's business rules if needed. Once your company is a member, all employees are considered members through your organization. For U.S. companies, CHA dues may be deducted as a business expense. Dues payment cannot be deducted as a charitable contribution.