

COASA Membership Application Form			
title	first name	surname	
employer		job title	
application for FULL membership ONLY			
coroner		coroner area	
application for STUDENT membership ONLY			
course		institution	
contact details			
address			
telephone	mobile	postcode	
e-mail			
I wish to become a member of the Coroners Officers and Staff Association as indicated below			
FULL	ASSOCIATE	AFFILIATE	OVERSEAS
			STUDENT
<p>I confirm that I am over 18 years of age I declare that I have read and understood the criteria for COASA membership and confirm that my current role meets the criteria as described I understand that my details will be held on a database for the purpose of activities conducted by COASA I will notify the membership co-ordinator if my contact details or employment status change I agree to pay the subscription of the Association which shall be set from time to time at the AGM I agree to abide by the Constitution and Rules of the Association I have completed and signed a Standing Order Mandate for my continued subscription I understand that the Association may announce my joining COASA unless I tick the box</p>			
signature		date	
<p>Please sign the completed application form and send to the Treasurer Mrs Christine Hurst, COASA, PO Box 3781, Chester, CH1 9YJ contact membership@coasa.org.uk</p>			
office use			
membership approved	treasurer /membership co-ordinator		membership number
SO form received	bank reference		
webadmin informed	welcome pack sent		



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COASA

Coroner's Officers and Staff Association

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* co-opted

Come and Join The Council

you decide how much you get involved: either stand for election and fully take part or if you just want to give it a go, you can be co-opted and decide how much you want to get involved.

To find out more contact us

secretary@coasa.org.uk

The Voice for Coroners Officers and Coroners Staff

Formed in 1997 as a network of professionals working within or in close association with the coroner service. The aim is to promote national standards of working practice and accredited training for all officers and staff and has been working hard to achieve this.

why join.....

access to members only area of WEBSITE - lots of useful information and resources, advance notice of events, members blog

regular ALERTS to current issues, new publications & training via e-mail, facebook, twitter and linkedin

NETWORKING with member colleagues working in other coroner areas at events and using the blog on the website (blog under development)

members only DISCOUNT on COASA training and events

JOIN THE EXECUTIVE GROUP and participate in the work of the Association

HAVE YOUR SAY comment on consultation documents relevant to your role

Training

Since 1997 COASA has lobbied for access to training for coroners officers and coroners staff and are pleased that s37 of the Coroners and Justice Act 2009 has created a statutory obligation for officers and staff to be trained

COASA has several members who are qualified as educators and trainers and since 1997 have been designing, developing and delivering training specifically for coroners officers either as one day topic specific training or as short courses

COASA is working to promote and advance the professional standing and excellence in working practices of coroners officers and coroners staff in order to enhance the service provided to bereaved people, coroners and associated professionals

further information about membership contact Christine Hurst
membership@coasa.org.uk

Membership

FULL a person directly responsible to the coroner with a role in the procedures for dealing with unexpected or unnatural deaths

ASSOCIATE a person who was previously a full member and has moved to other employment but still has responsibility to the Association to further its aims*

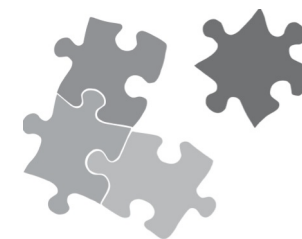
AFFILIATE a person who does not qualify under other categories but shows a proper interest in the Association*

STUDENT a person enrolled on a relevant course and is not eligible for full membership*

OVERSEAS a person working overseas with a similar role to that of a full member

RETIRED a person who was a full member prior to retirement from employment

*subject to Council approval



Annual Fee

Full and Associate £60

Affiliate £50

Retired, Student, Overseas £15

To reduce administration COASA suggests that the fee is paid annually by standing order. The preferred subscription year runs from 1st April to 31st March