



## Membership Benefits Overview

Thank you for your interest in Wavenis-OSA membership. Please read through the below list of benefits available with Wavenis-OSA membership. Any association, governmental agency, non-profit organization or academic entity is encouraged to join at the Advisory level but may choose to join at any other level offered.

Wavenis-OSA offers three different levels of active membership, each with its own benefits and annual dues amount. In addition, there are Informational members, who pay no dues, and who receive one electronic copy of all publicly released material but do not otherwise participate in the activity of the Alliance.

### *Be A Leader!*

Principal members are the driving force behind the Alliance. As a principal member, you have the opportunity to influence the industry, lead the organization and be a visionary. Primary benefits of principal membership include a designated seat on the board of directors, the ability to run for an elected officer position and the opportunity to chair organization committees.

### *Actively Participate!*

Participating and Advisory members are the core technical and marketing participants on Alliance committees. Without this key group of engineers, developers, scientists, and product managers, the vision of the Alliance could not be accomplished.

### *Stay Informed!*

Informational members are those who want to stay in the loop on Wavenis-OSA announcements and activity by receiving a copy of all publications of the Alliance that are intended for regular distribution when available to the public. There is no financial or other commitment for this type of membership.

For questions regarding membership in the Wavenis-OSA please contact Shannon Taylor at [administration@wavenis-osa.org](mailto:administration@wavenis-osa.org) or +1 781-876-6223.

## Details of Membership Benefits

	<b>Principal (20,000 USD)</b>	<b>Participating (10,000 USD)</b>	<b>Advisory (7,500 USD)</b>	<b>Informational (0 USD)</b>
<b>Board of Directors</b>	May designate one representative to serve as member of the Board; limited to nine	Not eligible	Not eligible	Not eligible
<b>Officers</b>	May nominate representatives to run for election as officers of the Alliance	Not eligible	Not eligible	Not eligible
<b>Committee Chairs</b>	May nominate one representative to run for election as chair or vice-chair of the Marketing, Technical or any other Committee	If invited by the Board, may nominate one representative to run for election as chair or vice-chair of the Marketing and Technical Committees; May nominate a representative to run for election as chair or vice-chair of any other Committee	Not eligible	Not eligible
<b>Committee Participation</b>	May appoint one voting representative and unlimited non-voting representatives to Marketing, Technical, and any other committees and their Sub-Groups	May appoint one voting representative to Marketing, Technical, and any other committees and their Sub-Groups	May appoint one non-voting representative to Marketing and Technical Committees and their Sub-Groups	Not eligible
<b>Wavenis-OSA Voting Rights</b>	May appoint one voting representative	May appoint one voting representative	Not eligible	Not eligible
<b>Initiatives</b>	May propose initiatives and changes or extensions to specifications	May propose initiatives and changes or extensions to specifications	May propose initiatives including changes or extensions to specifications (provided that a Principal or Participating Member formally propose the same for action to be taken by the Alliance)	Not eligible
<b>Membership Meetings</b>	May attend all general and special meetings of the membership	May attend all general and special meetings of the membership	May attend all general and special meetings of the membership	Not eligible
<b>Deliverables</b>	Has highest priority access to technical assistance and certification services; Will receive prior to public distribution all publications, specifications adopted by the Alliance	Will receive prior to public distribution all publications, specifications adopted by the Alliance	Will receive one free copy by electronic transmission all publications and specifications adopted by the Alliance prior to public distribution	Will receive a copy of all publications of the Alliance that are intended for regular distribution when available to the public.
<b>Promotional Opportunities</b>	Logo listing in all appropriate Alliance marketing materials	Logo listing in all appropriate Alliance marketing materials	Name listing in all appropriate Alliance marketing materials	Not eligible
<b>Alliance Logo</b>	May display the Alliance logo on Member's Web site	May display the Alliance logo on Member's Web site	May display the Alliance logo on Member's Web site	May display the Alliance logo on Member's Web site
<b>Website Listing</b>	Will have company Logo & Link on Alliance Web site	Will have company Logo & Link on Alliance Web site	Will have company name on Alliance Web site	Not eligible
<b>Discounted Services</b>	Will receive such free or discounted services as provided by the Alliance	Will receive such free or discounted services as provided by the Alliance	Not eligible	Not eligible
<b>Members Web Site Access</b>	Will receive access to the members only Web site for all company representatives	Will receive access to the members only Web site for all company representatives	Will receive access to the members only Web site for all company representatives	Not eligible