

# NAEP Membership Application

(Please Print)

Title \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Suffix(es) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Dr./Mr./Mrs./Ms./Miss)

I prefer to receive mailings at:  Home  Office

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Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Office Address:

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

NAEP periodically publishes a membership directory. This directory is distributed to NAEP members free of charge and sold to non-members for a nominal fee. If you do not want to be included in a directory published in paper or electronic form, check here.

NAEP membership is open to persons engaged in all aspects of the environmental professions in one of the following categories:

**General Membership**  \$150.00 / year

General membership is open to individuals who have earned an undergraduate or graduate degree and have at least three years experience working in the environmental field. General members may vote and hold office.

College or University \_\_\_\_\_ Specialties \_\_\_\_\_

Degree(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Years of experience \_\_\_\_\_

**Associate Member**  \$125.00 / year

Associate membership is open to individuals who do not meet the requirements for general membership.

**Student Membership**  \$40.00 / year

Student membership is limited to full-time students pursuing an environmental degree. A copy of a current transcript and college ID is required and must accompany the application.

Date entered current degree program: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected graduation date \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated degree \_\_\_\_\_ College or University \_\_\_\_\_ Program/Major \_\_\_\_\_

**Senior Membership**  \$75.00 / year

**Corporate Membership**  \$750.00 / year (Primary Office) Corporate Branch Membership  \$375.00 / year

FEES

Membership Dues \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter Dues \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount Due \$ \_\_\_\_\_

METHOD OF PAYMENT

Check/money order for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ payable to **NAEP**

National Association of Environmental Professionals

Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to my Visa, Mastercard, Discover or American Express card.

Card Type: \_\_\_\_\_

Card No. \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Security Code \_\_\_\_\_

**Please be sure to read the information on the last page and sign this application.**

# To Help Us Serve You Better

## Practice Setting (Circle One)

Academe  
Consulting  
Contracting  
Government  
Industry  
Military  
National Lab  
Nonprofit  
Private Sector  
Utility  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Discipline (Circle one or two)

Administrator  
Architect  
Engineer  
Faculty  
Lawyer  
Manager  
Planner  
Student  
Scientist  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Specialty Area (Circle one or two)

Audit  
Compliance  
Impact Assessment  
Monitoring  
Protection  
Regulation/Policy  
Research  
Resource Management  
Technology & Design  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Focus (Circle one or two)

Air  
Ecology  
NEPA  
Noise  
Socioeconomic  
Soil  
Water  
Waste  
Wetlands  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

## How Many Years in the Field?

0-2	6-10	16+
3-5	11-15	

# NAEP Chapters

In addition to membership in the national Association, NAEP maintains a network of regional, state, local and student chapters that offer additional opportunities for professional growth. Check below if you would like to join one of the chapters and include applicable dues in addition to the amount for NAEP membership.

## State/Local Chapters

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|--|------------|
| <input type="radio"/> Alaska                       | \$25/year  |
| <input type="radio"/> Arizona                      | \$30/year  |
| <input type="radio"/> California                   | \$150/year |
| <input type="radio"/> Florida                      | \$40/year  |
| <input type="radio"/> Georgia                      | \$20/year  |
| <input type="radio"/> Hawaii                       | \$30/year  |
| <input type="radio"/> Illinois                     | \$40/year  |
| <input type="radio"/> Mid-America (IA, KS, MO, NE) | \$15/year  |
| <input type="radio"/> Mid-Atlantic (DC, MD, VA)    | \$40/year  |
| <input type="radio"/> North Carolina               | \$30/year  |
| <input type="radio"/> Northwest (OR & WA)          | \$25/year  |
| <input type="radio"/> Texas (select one)           |            |
| <input type="radio"/> North Texas                  | \$35/year  |
| <input type="radio"/> Texas                        | \$50/year  |

Please remember to ONLY use the box below if you are joining FAEP (the Florida Chapter of NAEP) or renewing your FAEP (the Florida Chapter of NAEP) membership. Questions call Tim Bower at 856-283-7816. For FAEP (Florida) State and FAEP Chapter membership is required; however, you may join more than one FAEP local chapter. Please only use this field if you are joining or renewing your FAEP membership. FAEP local chapters rates are as follows:

- FAEP Central Chapter \$20/year
- FAEP Northeast Chapter \$25/year
- FAEP Northwest Chapter \$20/year
- FAEP South Chapter \$15/year
- FAEP South Student Chapter \$10/year
- FAEP Southwest Chapter \$15/year
- FAEP Tallahassee Chapter \$15/year
- FAEP Tampa Bay Chapter \$40/year
- FAEP Tampa Bay Student Chapter \$10/year
- FAEP Treasure Coast Chapter \$15/year

**NAEP Membership is individual (not your company's) and non-transferable. NAEP Corporate memberships are available; please contact the national office for more information. Your national dues (see page 1) include a subscription to our journal, Environmental Practice. Chapter dues are collected by NAEP on behalf of the affiliated chapters and passed to them along with your name and address. Some chapters are more active than others.**

### Send the completed application to:

**NAEP  
PO Box 460, Collingswood, NJ 08108**

Tel: 856-283-7816

Fax: 856-210-1619

Email: [naep@naep.org](mailto:naep@naep.org)

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# Code of Ethics and Standards of Practice for Environmental Professionals

The objectives of Environmental Professionals are to conduct their personal and professional lives and activities in an ethical manner. Honesty, justice and courtesy form moral philosophy which, associated with a mutual interest among people, constitute the foundation of ethics. Environmental Professionals should recognize such a standard, not in passive observance, but as a set of dynamic principles guiding their conduct and way of life. It is their duty to practice their profession according to this Code of Ethics.

As the keystone of professional conduct is integrity, Environmental Professionals will discharge their duties with fidelity to the public, their employers, clients, with fairness and impartiality to all. It is their duty to interest themselves in public welfare, and to be ready to apply their special knowledge for the benefit of mankind and their environment.

## ***Creed***

The objectives of an Environmental Professional are:

1. to recognize and attempt to reconcile societal and individual human needs with responsibility for physical, natural, and cultural systems.
2. to promote and develop policies, plans, activities and projects that achieve complementary and mutual support between natural and man-made, and present and future components of the physical, natural and cultural environment.

## ***Ethics***

As an Environmental Professional I will:

1. be personally responsible for the validity of all data collected, analyses performed, or plans developed by me or under my direction. I will be responsible and ethical in my professional activities.
2. encourage research, planning, design, management and review of activities in a scientifically and technically objective manner. I will incorporate the best principles of the environmental sciences for the mitigation of environmental harm and enhancement of environmental quality.
3. not condone misrepresentation of work I have performed or that was performed under my direction.
4. examine all of my relationships or actions, which could be legitimately interpreted as a conflict of interest by clients, officials, the public or peers. In any instance where I have financial or personal interest in the activities with which they are directly or indirectly involved, I will make a full disclosure of that interest to my employer, client, or other affected parties.
5. not engage in conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation or discrimination.
6. not accept fees wholly or partially contingent on the client's desired result where that desired result conflicts with my professional judgment.

## ***Guidance for Practice as an Environmental Professional***

As an Environmental Professional I will:

1. encourage environmental planning to begin in the earliest stages of project conceptualization.
2. recognize that total environmental management involves the consideration of all environmental factors including: technical, economical, ecological, and sociopolitical and their relationships.
3. incorporate the best principle of design and environmental planning when recommending measures to reduce environmental harm and enhance environmental quality.
4. conduct my analysis, planning, design and review my activities primarily in subject areas for which I am qualified, and shall encourage and recognize that participation of other professionals in subject areas where I am less experienced. I shall utilize and participate in interdisciplinary teams wherever practical to determine impacts, define and evaluate all reasonable alternatives to proposed actions, and assess short-term versus long-term productivity with and without the project or action.
5. seek common, adequate, and sound technical grounds for communication with and respect for the contributions of other professionals in developing and reviewing policies, plans, activities and projects.
6. determine that the policies, plans, activities or projects in which I am involved are consistent with all governing laws, ordinances, guidelines, plans and policies to the best of my knowledge and ability.
7. encourage public participation at the earliest feasible time in an open and productive atmosphere.
8. conduct my professional activities in a manner that ensures consideration of technically and economically feasible alternatives.

## ***Encourage Development of the Profession***

As an Environmental Professional I will:

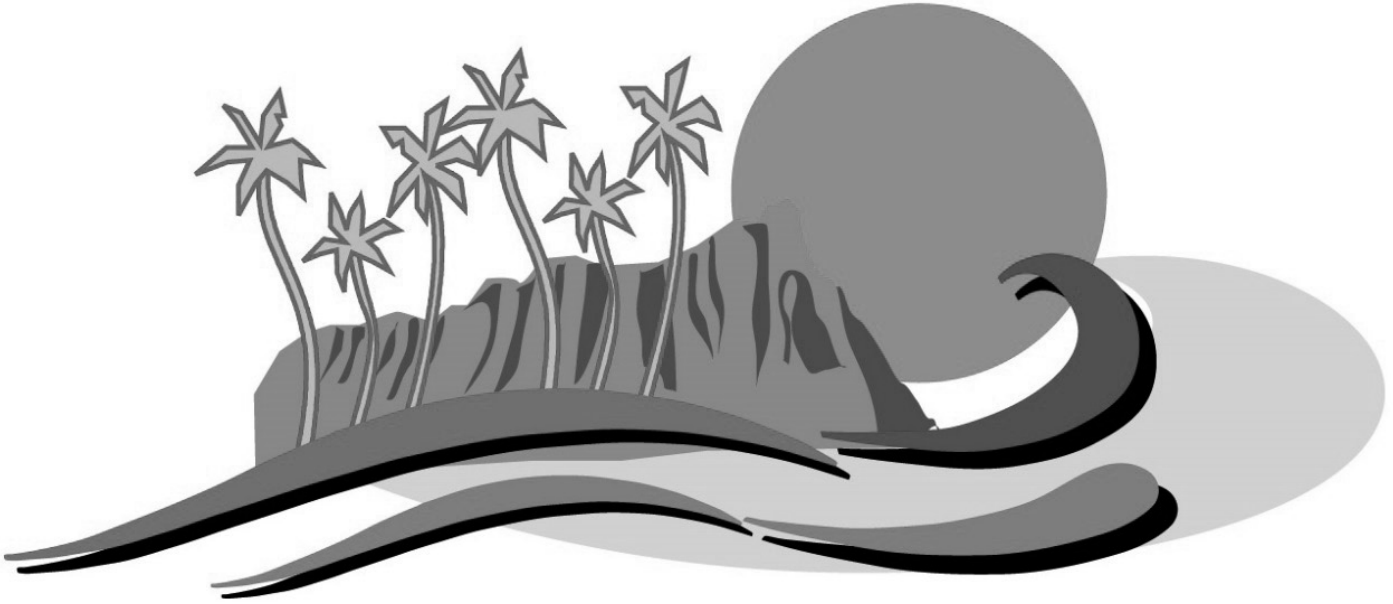
1. assist in maintaining the integrity and competence of my profession.
2. encourage education and research and the development of useful technical information relating to the environmental field.
3. be prohibited from lobbying in the name of the National Association of Environmental Professionals.
4. advertise and present my services in a manner that avoids the use of material and methods that may bring discredit to the profession

## **AFFIRMATION**

I hereby affirm and agree that I will abide by the Code of Ethics of the Association. I further understand that falsification of the contents of this application will be grounds for rejection and/or termination of my Association membership and revocation of all benefits resulting there from.

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

Name of NAEP Member who gave you this application (if known) \_\_\_\_\_



### **What does this picture make you think of? Hawaii maybe?**

**Mark your calendars now** as you won't want to miss this conference. NAEP is taking the 2015 Annual Conference to Honolulu, Hawaii on April 13-16<sup>th</sup>. We will be at the Marriott Waikiki with a great room rate of \$209. Planning is already taking place for tracks, sessions, keynotes, offsite venues and more.

And if you'd like to get involved there are numerous ways. Submit an abstract, become a session chair, or volunteer to help the 2015 conference committee with the multitude of items that putting on a quality global conference requires. Contact Dennis Peters at [dennis.peters@ch2m.com](mailto:dennis.peters@ch2m.com).

The Call for Papers will be available on the NAEP website at [www.naep.org](http://www.naep.org) in April and abstract submissions will be due in late September. We look forward to seeing you there!

# NAEP Annual Conference

April 13–17, 2015  
Honolulu, Hawaii

## Call for Papers

The National Association of Environmental Professionals will host their **40th Annual Conference** in Honolulu, Hawaii in April 2015. The conference is a well-respected, international conference that brings together environmental professionals from across the industry for educational and networking opportunities. This year's conference will focus on environmental stewardship at local and global levels.

### Mauka to Makai:

*Environmental stewardship from the mountains to the sea*

Proposals for participation in the conference are sought for any of the following (or related) topics:

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|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Air Quality                          | Munitions and Explosives of Concern |
| Archaeology/Cultural Resources       | Noise Impacts                       |
| Aquaculture & Fishery Management     | Public Involvement                  |
| Biological Diversity                 | Risk Assessment and Application     |
| Brownfields / Land Use & Development | Sampling & Analysis Methodologies   |
| Climate Change                       | Sediments and Waterfront            |
| Coral Reef Impacts and Protection    | Site Investigation & Remediation    |
| Ecosystems Management & Services     | Solid Waste Management              |
| Energy/Renewable Energy              | Stormwater Management               |
| Environmental Education              | Sustainability                      |
| Environmental Economics              | Transportation Planning             |
| Environmental Management Systems     | Upcoming/New Regulations            |
| E-permitting and Other Online Tools  | Visual Impact Modeling & Analysis   |
| Incident Response and Recovery       | Waste Water Treatment Innovations   |
| LEED/Green Buildings                 | Water Quality                       |
| Life Cycle Analysis                  | Watershed & Floodplain Management   |

Proposals will be accepted for full papers, posters, workshops, and special sessions.

Please submit your abstract online at [www.naep.org/2015-conference](http://www.naep.org/2015-conference)

Questions?

Contact Jennifer Lundberg at [NAEP2015@parametrix.com](mailto:NAEP2015@parametrix.com) or 360-265-1582

**Submission Deadline: 30 September 2014**



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