

National Association of Accessibility Consultants

Dear Colleague,

We are pleased to invite you to become a Charter Member of the National Association of Accessibility Consultants.

Membership

The National Association of Accessibility Consultants is a not-for-profit professional association whose membership consists primarily of individuals and businesses addressing accessibility issues.

The National Association's members include architects, engineers, design professionals, contractors, attorneys, public officials, private consultants, manufacturers and suppliers. Members of the National Association of Accessibility Consultants commit to uphold the National Association's Standards of Practice and Code of Ethics.

Purpose

The purpose of the National Association of Accessibility Consultants is to promote the highest standards of competence and professionalism among its members in addressing the various federal accessibility laws and standards including the Americans with Disabilities Act, the Rehabilitation Act, the Fair Housing Act and the Architectural Barriers Act.

Mission

The National Association of Accessibility Consultants will conduct seminars and workshops for Members as well as the general public. The National Association will offer specialized education and training to Members interested in becoming Certified Accessibility Consultants (CAC). Members who pass the certification tests are entitled to use the 'CAC' designation after their name. The CAC designation is an earned credential, and the best possible evidence of an accessibility consultant's competence and professionalism.

Sincerely,

The Board of Directors

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ACCESSIBILITY CONSULTANTS

Lunsford D. Phillips

President

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ONLY MEMBERS MAY BE CERTIFIED!

As a Member of the National Association of Accessibility Consultants you can become a Certified Accessibility Consultant (CAC).

- * Certification training and/or testing.
- * The right to use the CAC designation.
- Training materials geared to CAC certification testing.
- Continuing education on updated accessibility mandates.

As a Member of the National Association of Accessibility Consultants you have all the information you need in one place.

- * Technical assistance available by fax.
- Access Board Bulletins hot off the press.
- * Codes of the Federal Register for all agencies.
- * Federal Agencies' technical assistance manuals.

As a Member of the National Association of Accessibility Consultants you can network with colleagues and market to clients.

- * Access to model survey forms and reports.
- * Listing In The Annual Membership Directory.
- * Communicate through our World Wide Web home page.
- * Advertise In the Annual Directory, Newsletter and Products Catalog.

1996 NATIONAL CERTIFICATION TRAINING AND TESTING

Members will have the opportunity to participate in a two-day training and testing seminar. The first day of this Monday/Tuesday or Thursday/Friday format incorporates review of the CAC training materials, along with presentations by representatives from the US Department of Justice, Department of Transportation and Access Board. Or attend just the second day for the CAC Certification Testing.

Attain your CAC credentials at one of the seminars to be held at these locations:

Los Angeles Las Vegas San Francisco Seattle Denver San Antonio SL Louis
Chicago Boston New York Washington DC Atlanta Orlando Honolulu

Members will be notified with complete details!

Limited number of Scholarships available for 501(c)(3) Organizations

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JOIN NOW!

Charter Members are eligible to renew their annual dues at the 50% discounted rate.
Charter Members have the opportunity to purchase dCtraining materials at a substantial
Charter Members will receive the annual Membership Directory FREE of charge.
Charter Members have the first opportunity to reserve the limited advertising space in all
Annual Membership Directories, National Newsletters and Product Catalog.

CHARTER MEMBERSHIP ANNUAL DUES - \$225.00

After January 1, 1996 annual Membership dues will be \$450.00
Charter Memberships are available only to members who
join before January 1.1996

Mailing Address:

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Charter Membership Application Form

Name(Mr./Ms.) Company Name

Address

City State Zip

e-mail address

Architect Designer - Engineer - Contractor Consultant Attorney

Public Official Manufacturer Supplier - Other

-I am interested in becoming a Certified Accessibility Consultant (CAC)

- I am not interested in becoming a CAC

If paying by check or money order, please make payable to National Association of Accessibility
Consultants and send to the above address.

For Credit Card payment:

Visa Master Card - Account Name

Account # Expiration Date

Authorized Signature

Credit Card Information may be mailed to the above address or faxed to (808) 523-3008

National Association of Accessibility Consultants
OFFICERS

Lunsford Dole Phillips
President

Mr. Phillips is a spinal-cord injured civil rights attorney based in Hawaii who has litigated over 100 ADA, ABA, 504 and Fair Housing Act cases. He has been active in the independent living movement for twenty years and is nationally recognized as an advocate for disability rights.

Bruce M. Clark
Vice President

Mr. Clark is the president and principal consultant of Accessibility Planning & Consulting, Inc. based in Honolulu, Hawaii. He is a well known speaker and instructor on accessibility issues and the built environment. Mr. Clark was instrumental in bringing the 1994 Pacific ADA Conference to Hawaii. He has participated in several ADA litigation settlement negotiations through the federal courts in both DOJ and private actions

Brent W. Beals
Secretary / Treasurer

Mr. Beals is the principal consultant of Arizona Accessibility Consultants based in Mesa, Arizona. As a licensed building contractor Mr. Beals possesses that practical perspective of accessibility issues. He has long been active in promoting universal design and currently advises state and local governments among his many other clients.

ADVISORY BOARD

Official titles are listed for identification purposes only
in this partial listing of Advisory Board Members.

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Honolulu, Hawaii

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MISSION

ACCESSIBLE AND BARRIER FREE ENVIRONMENTS

MISSION STATEMENT

As the population ages and medical technology advances, public access issues become a major factor in the design and construction of all facilities. Independent access along with supportive technology enable Americans previously restricted by barriers to enter the economic environment, which strengthens the economy and social fabric of America. Increased access and barrier free design enhances the innovation and productivity of the American marketplace. Growing access to social and cultural events and venues widens the horizons of those who have been denied participation because of physical and perceptual barriers. An independently accessible environment enriches us all, allowing active participation in business, politics, entertainment and the arts by everyone.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION GOALS

Facilitate communication between individuals and organizations with shared interests.

Promote compliance with federal accessibility laws and standards.

Advance accessibility., through universal design.

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