**2018 RIMS NATIONAL & CHICAGO CHAPTER  
MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES & DUES REQUIREMENTS**

RIMS dues are not pro-rated; they are billed on an anniversary basis. The calendar year for member is twelve months from the join date. For example, if an individual joins on August 1st, their expiration date will be July 31st the following year. Renewals are sent out 60 days before the membership expires. Each member is invoiced 60 days before their expiration date. RIMS National will automatically bill each member on their anniversary date and disperse chapter dues to their chapter. Below are the categories of membership:

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| **Category** | **RIMS National Dues** | **RIMS Chicago Chapter Dues** |
| [**Organizational Membership**](http://www.rims.org/membership/Documents/RIMSCorpMemApp.pdf)**\* $600 - for up to two members $200 – for each member after two.** | **Are you an employee of a company/organization for which you have risk responsibilities?**  Your company is eligible to become an Organizational Member of RIMS and you and a colleague (also an employee with risk responsibilities) will be your company’s individual members (we refer to you as a Professional member). Both your memberships are included in the $600 annual Society dues. The membership belongs to the organization, not the individual. | **$75 – Chapter Dues per member.** |
| [**Individual Membership**](http://www.rims.org/membership/Documents/RIMSCorpMemApp.pdf) **$335** | **Are you an employee of a company/organization for which you have risk responsibilities?**  You are eligible to become an Individual Professional Member of RIMS. The membership belongs to you so if you leave the company, you can take it with you. | **$75** |
| **Young Professional $225** | **Are you an employee of a company/organization for which you have risk responsibilities and are under the age of 26?**  You are eligible to become an Individual Professional Member of RIMS. The membership belongs to you so if you leave the company, you can take it with you. | **$75** |
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| [**Associate Membership**](http://www.rims.org/membership/Documents/RIMSAssocMemApp.pdf)**\* $575** | **Do you provide products or services to those in the risk management profession? For instance, are you a broker, underwriter, consultant, attorney, accountant, actuary or outsourced risk manager?**  You are eligible for Associate membership in RIMS. Associates have all the privileges of membership except they are not eligible to serve as voting members of Boards or Committees at the Society or Chapter level. Your individual Society member dues are $575 per year\*; the membership belongs to you, not to your company/employer. | **$200 – Chapter Dues for each Associate Member.** |
| [**Student Membership**](http://www.rims.org/membership/Documents/RIMSIndMemApp.pdf)**\* $25** | **Are you a full-time undergraduate or graduate student working towards a degree in risk management, insurance or business?**  If you are not eligible in any other category, you are eligible for Student membership in RIMS. RIMS has waived dues for Student member, but you will be required to join and pay applicable dues to your local chapter.  (A copy of your current transcript is required in order to qualify for student membership) | **$0** |
| [**Educational Membership**](http://www.rims.org/membership/Documents/RIMSIndMemApp.pdf)**\* $125** | **Are you a full-time professor or dean in a program providing risk management, insurance or business education?**  You are eligible for Educational membership and your Society dues are $125 per year\*.  (A current curriculum vitae is required in order to qualify for educational membership) | **$0** |
| [**Retired Membership**](http://www.rims.org/membership/Documents/RIMSIndMemApp.pdf)**\* $125** | **Are you fully retired from the risk profession? Were you a Professional or Associate member of RIMS immediately prior to your full retirement?** You are eligible for Retired membership and your Society dues are $125 per year\*. | **$0** |
| **Transitional $0** | Available to any Professional or Associate member upon separation from their current place of employment. Transitional Membership is renewable once, or a maximum of 2 years from the date of separation. Membership terminates upon acceptance of employment. | **$0** |
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| **Recent Graduates – Professional or Associate** | Are you a full-time professor or dean in a program providing risk management, insurance or business education? Please contact RIMS.ORG for more information on membership dues. | **When did you graduate?** 2017; dues are $25 2016; dues are $25 2015; dues are $25 2014; dues are $50 2013; dues are $50  If you have graduated before 2013 full dues for Professionals and Associates are required. |
| **Chapter-Only Membership** | Available only to members under special circumstances. Each request for “Chapter Only” membership must complete a membership application and submit it to the Membership Chair who will take it to the board for review and approval. This special category of membership does not require belonging to RIMS Society. | **$200 – Chapter Dues Only Per Member** |

\* All RIMS Members are required to join their local chapter and pay applicable dues. Details about benefits, fees and membership qualifications may be found at [www.RIMS.org/Benefits](http://www.RIMS.org/Benefits).