

Qualifications

To qualify for membership in the Financial Women's Association of New York (FWA), an applicant must be employed in a clearly-defined financial position or be employed by a financial services firm. Financially-oriented, senior level executive recruiters and entrepreneurs responsible for the financial operations of their business are also welcome.

- ◆ Candidates for full membership must have either four years of professional experience in a financial position or two years of experience with an advanced degree in business.
- ◆ Associate memberships are also available for candidates with less professional experience. Former FWA college interns and FWA scholarship recipients are particularly welcome as associate members.

Find out more

We hope you will join us at an event, most of which are open to the public.

If you have any questions about the FWA, its membership requirements or procedures, please call our executive office at 212-533-2141, email fwaoffice@fwa.org or contact our Membership Committee Co-Chairs:

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We welcome your interest.



Invest in Yourself!

**Join the
Financial Women's Association**

For more information

www.fwa.org

Our mission

To accelerate the success and leadership of women in the financial community across all industries by advancing careers, fostering alliances and preparing the current and next generation of professionals.

Our vision

To be the voice for women in the financial community across all industries, advancing thought leadership, recognizing women's achievements, and illuminating their unique contributions to their professions, companies and communities.

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Invest in yourself. Join the FWA.

You can take advantage of the remarkable opportunities that membership in the Financial Women's Association affords.

- ◆ **Meet other professionals in your industry.**
Critical at every stage of your career, effective networking helps you navigate your personal and professional life.
- ◆ **Talk with experts about today's events and tomorrow's emerging issues.** Social concerns, technology, financial and political issues – explore these topics and more in engaging, enlightening discussions that keep you consistently ahead of the curve.
- ◆ **Broaden your horizons.**
International travel, meetings with government and industry leaders, and ongoing dialogue with influential experts provide a fresh perspective on a changing world.
- ◆ **Give back to the community.**
Participate in mentoring programs, scholarship fundraising initiatives and community service activities, and see your involvement pay lasting dividends for others.
- ◆ **Get professional advice and counsel from other women.**
The relationships you'll form in the FWA give you a professional head start with support, industry insight, career advice and more.
- ◆ **Gain off-the-job training for on-the-job skills.**
Try on different responsibilities by joining one of the FWA's committees. Hone your skills in a supportive environment, then use your newfound talents to expand your professional options.

Come to an event to meet current members and get a first hand look at what makes the FWA so special. Our calendar and registration are available at www.fwa.org.

Member benefits

Join the FWA to enjoy special members-only privileges:

- ◆ **Expand your network**
 - ◇ Access to our worldwide network of professionals
 - ◇ Listing in our online membership directory
 - ◇ Automatic membership in The International Alliance for Women and the New York Women's Agenda
- ◆ **Get involved and develop your skills**
 - ◇ Opportunities to volunteer on over 30 committees
 - ◇ Complimentary attendance to monthly Career Connections/Transition Tuesday events
- ◆ **Access professional opportunities**
 - ◇ Confidential access to employment listings
 - ◇ Access to opportunities to serve on nonprofit boards
- ◆ **Take advantage of members-only discounts**
 - ◇ Discounted registration fees for events, including the International Conference; *Non-members pay 100% more on most events*
 - ◇ Other preferred discounts (e.g. Brook's Brothers)
- ◆ **Stay informed**
 - ◇ Emailed FWA newsletter, special updates and reminders

Become a member

1. Attend one event to qualify for membership.
2. Ask a current member to sponsor you.
3. Complete a simple application form.

The sponsor will write a letter supporting your candidacy. Once your application has been received, you'll be contacted by a member of the Membership Committee. Your interview will broaden your knowledge of the organization and help the FWA get to know you better.