

## Application for Membership

Thank you for your interest in the Foreign Correspondents' Club of Thailand, the oldest and largest press association in Southeast Asia. The FCCT welcomes all applicants for membership who have a genuine interest in supporting and furthering the aims and objectives of the Club: "to be a neutral forum for discussion and debate on issues of the day, and a venue for entertainment and social and professional interaction, to act as an advocate for a free and responsible press, and to foster good relations between the foreign press community, the Thai press and Thai government agencies and authorities." Please note that your application is subject to review and acceptance by the FCCT Executive Committee; membership will be confirmed and a membership card issued only after Executive Committee approval.

### Personal Details (Please Print)

FamilyName: \_\_\_\_\_ Given Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's/Partner's Full Name (not applicable to Student, Temp membership): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: Day \_\_\_ Month \_\_\_ Year \_\_\_ Title: e.g. Dr. Mr. Mrs. Ms. Miss. \_  M  F

Nationality: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone : \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Office Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt To Be Acknowledged In Company Name:  Yes  No

If Yes, Please Provide Company's Tax ID: \_\_\_\_\_

MOFA PRD Press Card No. (Journalist and Correspondent applications only): \_\_\_\_\_

**Please provide small portrait-type photographs for your and your spouse's/partner's membership cards.**

### Membership Category

#### Correspondent

An active and currently employed person, whether staff, or freelance, representing mass media, with its headquarters outside Thailand, with the coverage of current events intended for foreign audiences, this also includes those living, or stationed in countries of Indochina.

#### Journalist

Correspondents, or members of the editorial staff, freelance, broadcast, or photojournalists whose work is published or broadcast in Thailand.

#### Thai Journalist

Correspondents, or members of the editorial staff, freelance, broadcast, or photojournalists whose work is published or broadcast in Thailand, representing mass media headquartered in Thailand.

#### Associate

Non-Journalists from the public or private sectors with an interest in the press and in public and current affairs.

#### Corporate, Government (Minimum of three applicants)

#### Diplomats and Multilateral Organization

Thai government ministries, departments and agencies; embassies, and diplomatic missions in Thailand. Whenever three or more individuals in a group apply, memberships are transferable within the same group during their period of validity. (Membership fee is per person)

#### Life

A special membership category that includes spouse and remains active for the life of the primary member, with a single front-end dues payment.

#### Local Non-Governmental Organization

Those employed, or associated with a recognized NGO, headquartered in Thailand, and active here or in neighboring countries. This category is not available to local subsidiaries or affiliates of international NGOs.

#### International Non-Governmental Organization

Those employed, or associated with a recognized NGO headquartered outside of Thailand and active in more than one nation or region, including at least Thailand or neighboring countries.

#### Student

Degree or diploma progressing students at an accredited college, technical school, or university, not otherwise fully employed; or in a post-graduate program, receiving no more than reimbursement of expenses stipends.

#### Senior

Those reaching the Thai statutory retirement age of 60 years.

#### Country

Those residing outside of a 50 km radius from the Bangkok metropolis.

#### Overseas

Those whose principal residence is outside of Thailand.

#### Temporary (Maximum of three consecutive months)

Those residing in Thailand for periods of three consecutive months or less, each stay.

## Registration Fee, Annual Dues

Registration fees and initial dues are payable when an application for membership is submitted; no refund is available unless your application is rejected by the FCCT (the rates are inclusive of 7% VAT). FCCT membership and its benefits are non-transferable to any other individual.

Membership Category	Registration Fee	Annual Dues
Correspondent	1,500 Baht	6,500 Baht
Journalist	1,000 Baht	3,500 Baht
Thai Journalist	1,000 Baht	3,500 Baht
Associate	1,500 Baht	6,500 Baht
Corporate	1,500 Baht	6,500 Baht
Government & Diplomats	1,500 Baht	6,500 Baht
Local NGO	1,000 Baht	3,500 Baht
International NGO	1,500 Baht	6,500 Baht
Student Discount	1,000 Baht	2,500 Baht
Senior	1,000 Baht	3,500 Baht
Country	1,000 Baht	3,500 Baht
Overseas	1,000 Baht	3,500 Baht
Temporary	1,000 per month, maximum of three consecutive months	
Life	75,000 Baht	

\*\* Spouse / Partner Card -- 1,000 Baht

## Payment Options

MasterCard  Visa  American Express

Card Number

Expiry Date

Card Holder's Name

Signature

By ATM Bank transfer or counter deposit

To Bangkok Bank account number 911-3-00144-1 SWIFT CODE: BKKBTHBK follow by our account number. Please provide a copy of your transfer slip so we may properly credit your payment.

By personal or corporate cheque made payable to the "Foreign Correspondents' Club of Thailand." All cheque must be drawn in Thai Baht.

By Cash in Thai Baht only.

## Signature

Please sign and date your application

Signature: _____
Date: _____

By my signature, I hereby agree that if my application for membership is accepted by the Foreign Correspondents' Club of Thailand that my association with the FCCT shall in all respects be governed by the policies, procedures, rules and regulations of the Club, and that I will fully and at all times abide by the same.