

COPW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in COPW membership! Fulfillment of the COPW membership commitment may be accomplished in one of two ways: Payment of Annual Membership Dues of \$70 and the purchase of a subscription to any concert series at the Walt Disney Concert Hall or the Hollywood Bowl OR a Payment of Annual Dues of \$70 and a contribution of \$120 to the Student Ticket Fund (\$190 total). COPW welcomes both men and women to membership. The Los Angeles Philharmonic requires all affiliate members to pass a basic background check. Please see page two of the application for activities and service opportunities.



Name: _____ Date: _____

Residence Address: _____

Business Address: _____

Title or Position: _____

If retired what was your previous profession: _____

Preferred Mailing Address: ☐ Residence or ☐ Business

Home Phone: () _____ ☐ Cell Phone: () _____ ☐

Business Phone: () _____ ☐ (Please check preferred phone number)

E-Mail Address: _____

How did you learn about COPW? _____

☐ Yes, I am applying for COPW membership and I have an LA Philharmonic or Hollywood Bowl subscription. Enclosed is my \$70 Dues payment made out to COPW. Subscription Information:

Name of subscription holder: _____

LA Philharmonic at Disney Hall Series Code(s), (e.g. TH2): _____

Hollywood Bowl Series Code(s): _____

☐ Yes, I am applying for COPW membership, but I do not have a subscription. Enclosed is my check for \$190 made out to COPW - \$70 dues payment plus \$120 Student Ticket Fund Donation

☐ Yes, I would like to attend a COPW event. Please let me know about upcoming programs

The Committee of Profession Women appreciates your interest. Any questions may be directed to our Membership Chair. Please give or mail, this completed application with your check to the COPW Membership Chair:

Ratna Jones, 880 W 1st Street, Apt. 522, Los Angeles, CA 90012
(818) 614-6690, rjones145@yahoo.com

Dues: Annual dues are \$70. For those joining during the second half of the season (January-April), dues are prorated to \$35. Those joining in May will pay \$70 to include the coming dues year. From COPW Bylaws.



OUR MISSION

The mission of the Committee of Professional Women is to encourage women and men in business and the professions to support the Los Angeles Philharmonic Orchestra. By attending concerts and exploring cultural and educational events sponsored by the committee, we seek to further our appreciation and understanding of symphonic music and the arts in the greater Los Angeles area.

OUR CONTRIBUTIONS

Volunteerism

We provide hundreds of volunteer service hours at concerts, in schools, and for the Youth Orchestra of Los Angeles.

Symphonies for Youth—Six concerts designed especially for children age 5-11 are held on Saturday mornings throughout the LA Phil season. A COPW favorite, volunteers are needed from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. to assist with pre-concert activities for the youngsters at Disney Hall. Volunteers are invited to attend the concert that follows free of charge.



Symphonies for Schools—Part of the LA Phil's educational outreach program, these six concerts are provided free of charge to schoolchildren in grades 3 through 12, and are designed to introduce classical music to schoolchildren who would not otherwise have the opportunity. This is a great way to spend a weekday morning at Disney Hall, and Symphonies for Schools is one of the ways we give back to the community.

LA Soundscapes at The Ford--LA Soundscapes feature artmaking, dancing, and listening with Los Angeles artists at The Ford. These daytime family events explore the many artistic cultures and traditions that make LA vibrant. Volunteers are needed to assist with a pre-concert activity and participatory art making for ages 3-11.



Pasadena Showcase House for the Arts—Showcase House is the largest and one of the oldest annual house and garden tours in the United States and serves as a major Philharmonic fundraiser. COPW members volunteer for four-hour shifts as house and garden docents either in the morning or afternoon. For information on past showcase events [click here](#). To sign up or for more information on volunteering, please contact Mary Helen Ewan.

Los Angeles Philharmonic Music Library

One of COPW's most cherished traditions is the donation of an orchestral score to the LA Phil each year to honor our outgoing president. Since 1965, COPW has donated more than 58 scores to the Philharmonic Library, helping to keep classical music alive. The Committee is proud to have contributed scores from every genre, from baroque to modern, that have been performed here at home and around the world. It is always a joy to hear a COPW score performed by the LA Phil.

Financial Support

Financial support beyond requirements for membership is strictly voluntary. Over the years, COPW members have given generously to a number of LA Phil initiatives, including: Walt Disney Hall Campaign Fund, Philharmonic Friends Campaign, Affiliates Endowment Campaign, Student Ticket Donations. Members also provide financial support to COPW initiatives to advance the mission of the LA Phil through season subscriptions, donation of 130 Symphonies for Youth (SFY) concert tickets to youths in residence in group homes and shelter homes, support for the Youth Orchestra of Los Angeles Instrument Drive and holiday gifts, and through the Committee's annual gift to the philharmonic, made possible by membership dues and events.

COPW Committees Opportunities

COPW Board of Directors—Another way to get involved in COPW and meet other members of the Committee is election to the COPW Board of Directors. The Board consists of 20-30 members who serve a three-year term. The Board meets six times a year either on Zoom or for lunch at a restaurant. Board members may volunteer for any of the following standing committees or board positions: Activities, Affiliates Endowment, Attendance, Auditor, Bylaws/Parliamentarian, Friends of the Phil, SFY Group Home Tickets, Historian/Legislation, Hospitality, Membership, News Notes, Nominating, Publicity/Photographer, Roster, Season Tickets, and Volunteers.

COPW Events

Please see <http://www.copw.org/events.html> for information on our next and past events.