

Dear Current or Prospective USSAAC Member:

**\*\* AGAIN FOR 2023: ONLINE USSAAC MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL ON THE ISAAC INTERNATIONAL WEBSITE \*\***

You can take out a new membership in USSAAC, or renew your existing membership, directly from the Members Only page of the ISAAC International website at: <https://www.isaac-online.org/english/about-isaac/members/membership/ussaac/>. If a renewing member, you will need your individual ISAAC member ID as noted in your reminder email, along with a valid credit card (VISA or MasterCard only).

Alternatively, you can return the completed forms with your payment (**in Canadian funds only, by way of international bank draft or money order**) to ISAAC International at 312 Dolomite Drive, Suite 216, Toronto, ON M3J 2N2, Canada. If you prefer to pay by credit card (**VISA or MasterCard only**), please enter the credit card details on page two of the Membership Form.

ISAAC Conference Cancún (the 19th Biennial Conference of ISAAC) is currently scheduled to be held July 24<sup>th</sup> through July 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023 (Main Conference), at the Cancún Center (formerly Cancún ICC), in Cancún, México. This is a great opportunity to meet and network with others in the AAC world, particularly within Latin America, while learning and enjoying the local culture. Visit the ISAAC International website at [www.isaac-online.org](http://www.isaac-online.org) for updates.

**CONTINUING FOR 2023: BONUS FOR CORPORATE AND INSTITUTIONAL MEMBERS**

*ISAAC International is offering all 2023 corporate and institutional members with a "No Additional Cost" subscription to ISAAC's scientific journal, AAC.*

Check out the details at:

<https://www.isaac-online.org/english/about-isaac/members/membership/>

**ISAAC CORPORATE MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS FOR 2023**

*ISAAC International is offering all 2023 corporate members with additional opportunities for conducting targeted marketing and promotion with our key stakeholders.*

Check out the details at:

<https://www.isaac-online.org/english/about-isaac/members/corporate-members/>

**AVAILABLE FOR 2023**

The following publications are available from the ISAAC International office:

*Conference Proceedings, 18<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conference of ISAAC (USB flash drive format) – Limited supply available*

*Communication Without Speech (electronic PDF format) in English, Spanish, Traditional & Simplified Chinese*

*Waves of Words (electronic PDF format) in Spanish*

**Order your copies at a preferred rate when you renew your ISAAC 2023 membership!**

**IMPORTANT NOTES:**

**Your ID# (Identification Number)** is issued when you first join ISAAC, and is unique to each membership. Please use your ID# for:

- Registering for ISAAC conferences
- Enquiring about your membership and/or subscription(s)
- Ordering ISAAC products

**If you do not know, or have misplaced, your ISAAC Identification Number, please send an email to [carol@isaac-online.org](mailto:carol@isaac-online.org).**

Every now and then ISAAC needs to contact you about new projects, events or to ask for your opinion. **Please make sure we have your current mailing address and email address. Email changes to: [carol@isaac-online.org](mailto:carol@isaac-online.org). Thank you!**

Membership brings you many benefits. As a USSAAC member you will receive:

- Quarterly issues of the **ISAAC Communicator (formerly E-News)**. The **ISAAC Communicator** gives you updates on what is happening in the AAC field worldwide.
- **CSWN (Communication Support World Network) Newsletter**, published twice yearly, focussing on AAC and assistive technology in areas of the world where these fields are still emerging.
- Annual **ISAAC Membership Directory**.
- “**No Additional Cost**” subscription for the **AAC Journal** for our 2023 Corporate and Institutional members.
- Substantially reduced rates for the **AAC Journal** (ISAAC’s peer-reviewed scientific journal). Your subscription to the **AAC Journal** gives you full access to the online version of the Journal including archive copies. \*\*\***SPECIAL PROFESSIONAL COMBINED MEMBERSHIP AND AAC JOURNAL RATE**\*\*\*
- Substantially reduced rates when ordering **ISAAC products**.
- Access to a global network of AAC professionals, researchers, manufacturers, people who use AAC, and family members.
- Full access to the **ISAAC website**, including the Members Only section, which provides resources, information and links to interactive communication opportunities for ISAAC members.

You can also subscribe to ISAAC’s two affiliated publications at preferred member rates.

- AGOSCI In Focus (formerly AGOSCI News), published biannually - July and December in English, in Australia.
- Communication Matters, published 3 times per year – April, August, and November, in English, in the UK.

Your support of USSAAC, and participation in related activities, enables us to enhance and to develop augmentative and alternative communication within the US and around the globe. If you have any questions or have any suggestions about our programs, please contact the ISAAC International office by phone (905-850-6848), by fax (905-850-6852) or by e-mail to [franklin@isaac-online.org](mailto:franklin@isaac-online.org). I am looking forward to your continued support of USSAAC and ISAAC International in 2023.

Sincerely,



Franklin Smith, MBA, CMC  
Executive Director, ISAAC International

**P.S. ISAAC needs your help** to carry on with projects that will spread the word about AAC and promote the best possible communication for people with complex communication needs worldwide. By making a donation to one of the following programs you can help someone become an ISAAC member or you can sponsor someone to attend Conference Cancún.

**ISAAC Sponsored Membership Program:**

\$30.00 CAD provides membership **for a person who uses AAC**. Many people who use AAC live on limited incomes but are keenly interested in advocacy and issues relating to AAC. Allow a person who uses AAC to participate more fully in the development of policies, advocacy, and issues regarding AAC. For more information, visit the ISAAC website at: <https://www.isaac-online.org/english/about-isaac/how-you-can-help/make-a-donation/>

**Travel Fund:**

Support an ISAAC member who uses AAC or an ISAAC member from an emerging country to attend ISAAC conferences. **To make a contribution, simply add your donation to your membership renewal form and include it in the same cheque. Please be as generous as you can. Thank you!**

**2023 USSAAC MEMBERSHIP FORM**

for the period January 1<sup>st</sup> - December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023

2023 Membership Rates Valid Until:

December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023

<b>Name:</b>	<b>ISAAC Member ID:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>		
<b>City:</b>	<b>State:</b>	<b>Country:</b>
<b>Postal Code:</b>		
<b>Home Phone:</b>	<b>Work Phone:</b>	<b>Fax:</b>
<b>Email:</b>	<b>Website:</b>	
<b>Competency in Language(s) Other than English:</b> _____		

**Membership Fees Are Tax Deductible**

**A. Type of Membership (includes membership in ISAAC with BOTH 1 and 2 YEAR OPTIONS)**

NOTE: Fees are charged in Canadian dollars. US TO CANADIAN Exchange rates fluctuate.

<b>Professional</b>	(1 year) [ ] \$120.CAD	(2 year) [ ]	\$240. CAD	
<b>Professional PLUS AAC Journal – a \$13 saving</b>		(1 year only) [ ]	\$205. CAD	
<b>PWUAAC AAC &amp; families</b>	(1 year) [ ] \$40.CAD	(2 year) [ ]	\$80. CAD	
<b>Student (Full-time) *</b>	(1 year) [ ] \$52.CAD	(2 year) [ ]	\$104. CAD	
<b>Institutional **</b>		(1 year only) [ ]	\$650. CAD	
<b>Corporate</b>		(1 year only) [ ]	\$1,550. CAD	
<b>Retired Members***</b>	(1 year) [ ] \$52.CAD	(2 year) [ ]	\$104. CAD	Enter A: \$ _____

**B. Official Journal: Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) 4 issues/year**

Special rate for Corporate & Institutional Members [ ] Included with membership at no additional cost

Special rate for all ISAAC members [ ] \$ 98. CAD

Special rate for PWUAAC/Student/Retired [ ] \$ 59. CAD

*Includes online access and no additional charge for AIRMAIL delivery*

Enter B: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**C. Affiliated Publication: AGOSCI In Focus (formerly AGOSCI News)**

Published in English biannually in Australia – June and December

Special ISAAC rate [ ] \$55. CAD

Enter C: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**D. Affiliated Publication: Communication Matters**

Published in English in the UK three times per year April, August, and November.

Special ISAAC rate [ ] \$67. CAD

Enter D: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**E. Affiliated Publication: ISAAC Israel Journal**

Published, annually in the spring, in Hebrew with English abstracts.

FREE ACCESS

**Donations: "I wish to make a contribution to support":**

**F1.** USSAAC's Disaster Relief efforts [ ] \$25. [ ] Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Enter F1: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**F2.** Anne Warrick Breaking The Ice Conference Scholarship Enter F2: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**F3.** Travel fund [ ] \$25. [ ] \$50. [ ] \$100. [ ] Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Enter F3: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(sponsor an individual to attend ISAAC Conference)

**F4.** ISAAC Sponsored Membership Program [ ] \$30. [ ] Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Enter F4: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(Complete mailing information on a separate sheet)

**F5.** Other Donation to: \_\_\_\_\_ [ ] \$25. [ ] \$50. [ ] \$100. [ ] Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Enter F5: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL AMOUNT (for items A through F5) Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Please make CANADIAN DOLLAR international bank draft / money order payable to: ISAAC**

**We recognize the importance of protecting the privacy of information collected about our members**

The ISAAC Membership Directory is published annually. Please indicate if you **do not** wish your name and information included

Occasionally we are asked to share our mailing lists so that information of an educational or promotional nature can be sent directly to you from affiliated organizations or corporate sponsors. Check here to opt out of receiving such communication

### CREDIT CARD PAYMENT

If you wish to pay by **VISA or MasterCard**, please complete the following information:

\*NOTE: Fees are in Canadian dollars. Exchange rates fluctuate.

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_\_

CVV (3 digits on back of card): \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

(please print name of card holder)

\*For **Student Membership**, please complete only item #1 **OR** item #2:

[ ] 1. "I confirm that the above named is a full-time registered student at \_\_\_\_\_ (Name of University/Institution)."

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Professor)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

[ ] 2. "I confirm that I am a full-time registered student and have enclosed a copy of my University/Institution registration Confirmation."

\*\* **Institutional membership** is for non-profit groups such as schools, assistive technology centres, service delivery centres and academic programs in related fields.

\*\*\* **Retired membership** is for individuals interested in AAC who are no longer in the workforce or actively engaged in a search for work.

### 2023 ISAAC Membership Directory

#### Profession/Role

The 2023 ISAAC Membership Directory will be available to all members internationally by July 2023. It is imperative that your membership enrolment be received by **March 31<sup>ST</sup> 2023** for your name to be included in the Directory.

In order for our Directory to be most effective, please indicate below the category (or categories) that best describe(s) your profession or association/role in the field of augmentative and alternative communication. You may use the codes below to record your choices on the front of this membership form. **Please do not use more than three (3) categories, and use either a "tick" (✓) or "X".**

CATEGORY	CODE
Administrator	ADM
Author	AUT
Consultant	CST
Doctor, Medical	DOC
Caregiver	FCG
Linguist	LIN
Occupational Therapist	OTR
Physical Therapist	PHT
Psychologist	PSY
Research	RES
Social Worker	SWK
Special Educator	SED
Student	STU
Other Profession not listed	

CATEGORY	CODE
Augmentative Communication Specialist	ACS
Computer Scientist	COM
Counsellor	COU
Engineer	ENG
Geneticist	GEN
Manufacturer	MAN
Person who use AAC or family member(s)	AAC
Professor	PRO
Rehabilitation Specialist	RSP
Retired	RET
Special Education School	SCH
Speech/Language Pathologist/Therapist	SLP
Vendor	VEN

**ISAAC SPONSORED MEMBERSHIP FORM**  
**For period January 1<sup>st</sup> – December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023**  
**to sponsor a person who uses AAC**

<b>Name:</b>	<b>ISAAC Member ID:</b>		
<b>Address:</b>			
<b>City:</b>	<b>State/Province:</b>	<b>Country:</b>	
<b>Postal Code:</b>			
<b>Home Phone:</b>	<b>Work Phone:</b>	<b>Fax:</b>	
<b>Email:</b>	<b>Website:</b>		

**Sponsored Member Information -- Please complete all sections:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

ISAAC Member ID# \_\_\_\_\_(if applicable)

Profession Role: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address:     Business             Home

Street & No. \_\_\_\_\_(City) \_\_\_\_\_(State/Province) \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_(Postal Code) \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone:    Business: (\_\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_ Home: (\_\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_

Fax:            (\_\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Web site: \_\_\_\_\_ Competency in languages other than English: \_\_\_\_\_

**Sponsored Member Information -- Please complete all sections:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

ISAAC Member ID# \_\_\_\_\_(if applicable)

Profession Role: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address:     Business             Home

Street & No. \_\_\_\_\_(City) \_\_\_\_\_(State/Province) \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_(Postal Code) \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone:    Business: (\_\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_ Home: (\_\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_

Fax:            (\_\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Web site: \_\_\_\_\_ Competency in languages other than English: \_\_\_\_\_