

APAC Associate Membership



Association of Performing Arts Collections (APAC) is the membership organisation for professionals, specialists, and other individuals working with or interested in performing arts heritage in the United Kingdom and Ireland. Membership is open to any institution, corporate body and individual primarily concerned with the acquisition, preservation, or documentation of material relating to any branch of the performing arts.

APAC does not accept membership applications from purely commercial entities to ensure meaningful communication, advice and recommendations amongst the membership remains 'vendor neutral'. Commercial organisations seeking to join APAC will have the opportunity to apply to be APAC Associates.

APAC Associates will be required to provide:

- Their annual turnover
- The nature of their business within the performing arts
- The purpose behind their decision to apply for APAC Associate status
- The benefits they hope to obtain from such an association

APAC Associates will be required to abide by the APAC Code of Conduct and the following values and principles in their dealings with APAC and its membership:

- Not claim their relationship with APAC represents any kind of endorsement
- Not abuse attendance of events for commercial gain
- Respect the need for APAC members to discuss and debate in confidence without commercial influence
- Respect that APAC's governance, planning, meetings or editorial processes is reserved for Full Members, except by invitation

APAC Associates breaching these principles may have their status withdrawn with no refund of fees provided. Each application will be assessed on individual merits and be subject to review by the Board.