



Membership Categories

Student Member – means a person studying an education program, which is approved by the Board.

A person can only be a Student Member for a maximum of three years, unless an exemption is approved by the Board.

A member under this category shall have no voting entitlement and shall not be eligible for nomination to the Board.

Member (Practising) (MAIE) – means a person who has been accepted as a member in each financial year that pertains to membership:

- (i) completes at least five embalming cases in the respective financial year that pertains to membership; and
- (ii) participates in activities, approved by the Board, that are believed to maintain active skills in embalming practice.

A member under this category shall have voting entitlements and be eligible for nomination to the Board.

Annually all members under this category shall receive a certificate to indicate that they are a practising member within the Institute.

Member (Non-practising) – means a person who has been accepted as a member, and;

- (i) is no longer active in embalming practice; or
- (ii) does not wish to complete the requirements to be a Practising Member and still maintains an interest in the Institute and in the practice of embalming.

A member under this category shall have no voting entitlement and shall not be eligible for nomination to the Board.

Fellow (FAIE) – means a Member (Practising) who has completed ten years of continuous membership of the Institute; is recognised by at least five members of the Institute as having demonstrated embalming skills of an excellent nature (whether that be over a continuous period of time or relating to specific tasks undertaken); and has participated in activities of the Institute that assist in the promotion of embalming practice or the furtherance of embalming skills.

A member under this category shall have voting entitlements and be eligible for nomination to the Board.

Life Member – means a current or past member of the Institute that has demonstrated outstanding and meritorious service to the Institute and in the unanimous opinion of the Board is deserving of the highest honour, being that of life membership. No subscription will apply to this category.

A member under this category shall have no voting entitlement and shall not be eligible for nomination to the Board unless qualified under another membership category.