



Introducing Network Membership Fees

Effective January 1, 2011, to be more sustainable and to serve our members better, the Canadian Sustainability Indicators Network (CSIN) will introduce membership fees on an annual tiered basis.

CSIN membership fees are being introduced to:

- Improve the standard of quality for the network
- Better manage increased growth and member queries
- Ensure the sustainability of the Network with core membership funding
- Leverage funding by showing current and potential funders that CSIN members value the network by supporting it themselves

Scheduled to be in place by February 1, 2011, the new CSIN membership fee structure is as follows:

MEMBERSHIP LEVELS	MEMBERSHIP FEES (PER YEAR)
STUDENT	\$ 25
INDIVIDUAL	\$ 50
SUPPORTING INDIVIDUAL	\$ 120
ORGANIZATIONAL: Basic/Level One/Level Two	\$ 250/\$350/\$500
SUPPORTING ORGANIZATION	\$ 1,000

To stay connected to the network, you will first need to register as a paid CSIN member by February 1, 2011. If you choose not to become a member, you may continue to access public content at the CSIN website. However, you will no longer receive CSIN mailings and will need to pay a fee to participate in any upcoming CSIN Learning Events.

All CSIN members, regardless of membership level, will receive:

- The new quarterly CSIN e-Magazine, *The Indicator: Accountability through Measurement*
- The new monthly CSIN News (which replaces Listserv Mailings)
- Advance notice of, and free participation in, upcoming CSIN Learning Events
- Discounted registration fees for upcoming CSIN conferences and events
- Access to CSIN's new private member community website—Coming Soon

CSIN Membership Levels:

- **INDIVIDUAL — \$50/year**
– Benefits as listed above
- **STUDENT— \$25/year**
– Benefits as listed above
- **SUPPORTING INDIVIDUAL — \$120/year**
– Benefits as listed above plus recognition on the CSIN Members Page
- **ORGANIZATIONAL / BASIC — \$250/year**
– Eligible to designate up to five individual members who will, in turn, receive Individual CSIN Members’ Benefits as listed above
– Eligible to be listed on the CSIN Consulting Resources Listing on the CSIN website as either:
 LEVEL ONE – Additional \$100 (Total \$350/year)
 – Listing of your organization as above plus inclusion of your organization’s logo
 OR
 LEVEL TWO – \$ Additional \$250 (Total \$500/year)
 – Listing of your organization’s name, address, telephone, website URL plus organization synopsis (up to 750 characters; spaces included)

For more details about the CSIN Consulting Resources Listing, please contact csin@iisd.ca

- **SUPPORTING ORGANIZATION (\$1,000/year)**
– Inclusion on the CSIN Members Page, with recognition as a CSIN Supporting Organization
– Eligible to designate up to five Individual CSIN members who will, in turn, receive individual members’ benefits as above
– Inclusion in the CSIN Consulting Resource Listing—name, address, telephone, website URL, your organization’s logo and an organization synopsis (up to 1,000 characters; spaces included)

For more details about being a Supporting Organization, please contact, csin@iisd.ca