

Fee and contribution schedule

The membership fees are determined by the general assembly (§ 6 No. 2 of the statutes).
They are – unless otherwise provided – due at the beginning of the financial year.

Membership fees

1. Ordinary membership

The membership fee for ordinary members is uniformly €950.00. Billing is calculated on a daily basis from the date of admission.

2. Sponsoring memberships

The membership fee for sponsoring members who are natural persons is €365.00.

The membership fee for legal entities is €1,500 for Bronze, €4,500 for Silver, and €7,500 for Gold.

Billing of membership fees for sponsoring membership is on an annual basis.

Value added tax

The membership fees are exempt from VAT according to the small business regulation (§ 19 UStG).

Fee reductions

The board may grant fee reductions if this serves the purpose of the association or if the fee would otherwise be disproportionately high in relation to the benefit for the member.

No regular right can be derived by the member from a granted fee reduction.

The board may grant exemption from fees for natural persons as sponsoring members for one calendar year as part of a trial membership. After this period, the membership automatically ends or is converted into an unlimited sponsoring membership by payment of the first membership invoice.

Levy for public relations

The board may set a levy for public relations work.

For the correctness and completeness of the statutes according to § 71 para. 1 BGB the board signs as follows:

Berlin, 19.05.2025

Lars Rottmann (Chairman) & Edgar Jungblut (1st Deputy Chairman)