

## Humanitarian Centre membership 2009 10

### Organisational membership

The cost of membership is nominal, and based on organisational turnover as follows:

Organisational Membership Band	Organisational turnover	Annual membership 2009 10
A	£0-10k	£10
B	£10 – 100k	£40
C	£100 – 250k	£90
D	£250k plus	£180
E	Organisations in first year of contact with HC	n/a

### Benefits of organisational membership

Organisational members of the Humanitarian Centre will be entitled to:

- Apply to trustees for regular use of space within the building (subject to availability)
- Use meeting room, hotdesks, office resources whenever required at members' rates
- Attend networking meetings, HC events, communities of practice, trainings at member rates
- Attend the HC AGM, and vote for trustees
- Have a link from the HC website, and have organisational logo displayed on HC materials
- Make use of any benefits coming to HC members as a whole
- Receive regular updates on HC activities and services
- Nominate a representative to the Members' Advisory Group
- Make suggestions to trustees and HC manager for further services and activities whereby the HC can support the achievement of organisational goals

Non-members of the Humanitarian Centre will be entitled to:

- Receive regular updates on HC activities and services
- Attend networking meetings, HC events, communities of practice and training at non-member rates and with secondary priority.

### Notes on organisational membership

- Organisational membership is decided at quarterly trustee meetings: organisations wishing to become members should download the template letter to trustees from the membership page of the HC website.
- Organisations have voting rights under the HC constitution, and are liable for up to £1 should the Humanitarian Centre be wound up.
- Organisations in their first year of membership are exempt from membership fees. The first year of membership is taken to start with the first significant contact with the HC; for example, attendance of a networking meeting or training event, use of space etc.
- The membership year runs from August to July: joining mid-year will reduce rates by quarterly amounts.

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