

how do I become a SOAR member?

If you are a full or part-time Order In Council appointee, an adjudicator, mediator, staff or management within the AJS, then you're invited to join SOAR.

Simply go to our website at www.soar.on.ca, click on the 'Become a Member' link and choose one of the options available.

Or, just fill out the information below and fax it to 416-695-9977, or mail it to:

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what is SOAR?

We are an organization where anyone working in the administrative justice system (AJS) can meet others dedicated to improving their capabilities, careers and the system itself.

Representing over 900 members from 150 agencies, boards and commissions, SOAR is a non-profit and non-partisan group committed to bettering the AJS through education, advocacy and innovation.

Through our training, seminars and networking events, SOAR brings together Chairs, members, management and staff from across the system to learn, discuss and advocate.



what can

SOAR do for me?

Professional Development

Experience a week-long intensive and highly regarded Adjudicator Training Course, an Effective Decision Writing workshop, or other numerous courses and seminars developed and presented by SOAR.

Networking

Enjoy meeting other AJS professionals from across Ontario and Canada at our events and expand your circle of contacts, friends and colleagues.

Conferences

Attend provincial, national and international conferences with SOAR colleagues on a range of AJS issues.

Issues and Ideas

Engage SOAR on issues that matter to you and the AJS. Receive feedback and support from others who seek to make our system better.

Advocacy

Participate in bringing matters of AJS interest to lawmakers, administrators and the general public.

what else

can SOAR do?

Prestigious Industry Recognition

The SOAR MEDAL is awarded annually to recognize those individuals whose achievements in the field of administrative justice go above and beyond day-to-day responsibilities. Demonstrating exceptional leadership, outstanding service and dedication to excellence are the hallmarks of SOAR MEDAL winners.

Staff and Management Network (SAMN)

An important standing committee of SOAR, this group represents the management and staff of agencies, boards and commissions. Networking, professional development, program design and energizing discussions on issues, policies and procedures are representative of SAMN's initiatives.

Publications

A variety of publications written by and for professionals within the AJS are available through SOAR. Whether it's the *Manual for Ontario Adjudicators* or *Writing Reasons*, we have the resources you need for on-going professional development.

Volunteering

SOAR welcomes any member who wishes to devote time to furthering both the organization and the AJS. A variety of opportunities exist to lend your expertise, learn something new, and get to know your colleagues better.