

Even More Membership Benefits

A Network of Peers is one of the most prized benefits of STC membership. Networking with other technical communicators, both in-person and online creates opportunities to build your career.

STC Chapters offer in-person connections and programming through local meetings, conferences, social events, and newsletters.

Special Interest Groups (SIGs), organized by topics of interest rather than geographic location, accelerate your learning chain in specialty areas, with webinars and virtual meetings. SIGs give you connections with members across the globe.

STC's Technical Communication Body of Knowledge defines the profession and separates it from a trade, which is a significant advantage for the entire profession. Continued work on vetted content will result in the development of new tools and templates, and increase your ability to do your job better!

Promoting the Profession STC continues to work with the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics to elevate "technical communicator" to a distinct profession. Companies use BLS data to determine salaries for full-time employees, which, in turn, determine market rates for contractors and freelancers. The ongoing efforts of STC directly impact your income.

Go to www.stc.org and join today!



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Technical communicators
build a better world.

STC builds a better
technical communicator.

Membership Benefits 2016

The Society for Technical Communication is a professional association with over 6,000 members dedicated to the advancement of technical communication. Technical communicators promote clarity by researching and creating clear information.

Member Benefits

- Significant member-only discounts on education and our annual conference
- Access to over 140 free, on-demand, seminars on topics ranging from user experience and accessibility to content management and DITA
- 14-day advance access to the newest employment opportunities available in the STC Job Bank
- A FREE copy of STC's *Salary Database*, containing the most up-to-date information from the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics on what technical communicators are earning
- Online access to industry-leading publications *Intercom* and *Technical Communication* as well as STC's *Notebook* blog, and the *TechComm Today* eNewsletter
- Access to the member-only sections of the STC website, including the community leadership resources, the STC member directory, and more
- STC member-only discounts on software, insurance, travel, computers, and other services
- And more

Membership Types

Classic

Gold Value Package

New TC Professional

Student

Retired

Pick the best membership category for your needs.

Unparalleled Education Opportunities

The educational experiences you gain access to as an STC member include an annual conference with a host of seminars, webinars, and eLearning opportunities throughout the year that are widely attended and produce measurable value.

STC Technical Communication Summit Four days of the most popular conference education available in the field. Each year, some of the best names in technical communication give presentations, participate in panels, and provide insights.

Summit Playback We bring the Technical Communication Summit to you 24/7. The recorded conference sessions allow you to "attend" anytime.

Live Webinars Each week, we offer multiple hour-long, single-topic seminars for you and your coworkers. This format provides easier access to the materials as well as a more intimate learning environment.

Free, Sponsored, Live Webinars Live seminars brought by partnering vendors that range from beginner to expert level, providing opportunities for all of our members to learn.

Recorded Webinars Can't make the live event? Recorded versions bring the webinars to you!

Online Courses Live sessions you may attend over several weeks. Completion of these professional development topics results in a certificate of completion.

What Members Say

"STC has given me much more than I could possibly give it, and my path has been smooth because of the generosity of other STC members."

— Jeff Haas

