

2018 ACS Membership Categories		PROFESSIONAL					ASSOCIATE	
		INDIVIDUAL	ORGANIZATIONAL				INDIVIDUAL	
TYPE OF BENEFIT	BENEFIT	Individual	Small Business 1, 2, or 3	Corporate 4 or 5	Corporate PLUS	Corporate SUSTAINING	ENTHUSIAST	STUDENT
		Benefits apply to one person	Benefits apply to the number of members selected: 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5. To give more of your team access to benefits, consider Corporate PLUS or SUSTAINING.				Benefits apply to one person	Benefits apply to one person
	Annual Dues	\$175	\$225/400/600	\$800/1,000	\$1,250	\$3,000	\$150	\$75
Resources	Unique username/password for ACS web access	✓	✓	✓	for 5	Unlimited	✓	✓
Resources	All ACS digital and print communications	✓	✓	✓	for 5	Unlimited	✓	✓
Resources	25% off Dairy Practices Council guidelines	✓	✓	✓	for 5	Unlimited	✓	✓
Education	Full access to Safe Cheesemaking Hub	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Education	FREE Online Food Safety course through NC State	✓	✓	✓	for 5	Unlimited	✓	✓
Education	FREE member webinars	✓	✓	✓	for 5	Unlimited	✓	✓
Education	FREE online access to recorded Conference sessions	✓	✓	✓	for 5	Unlimited	✓	✓
Professional Dev't	Discounted Conference Registration(s)	✓	✓	✓	Unlimited	Unlimited	✓	✓
Professional Dev't	View job postings in ACS Career Center	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Professional Dev't	View ACS Classifieds listing	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Professional Dev't	Serve on ACS Committees	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Savings	PartnerShip FedEx and Yellow Freight discounts	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Savings	Hotel Engine discounted hotel rooms	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Savings	Retailer discount with ACS membership card	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Savings	Discount credit card processing/merchant services	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Professional Dev't	Serve on ACS Board of Directors	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Professional Dev't	Eligible to vote (one per Individual or Organization)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Professional Dev't	Discounted Certification Exam Fees	✓	✓	✓	Unlimited	Unlimited		
Business Dev't	Listing in searchable Individual Member Directory	✓	✓	✓	for 5	Unlimited		
Business Dev't	Post ACS Classifieds listing		✓	✓	✓	✓		
Business Dev't	Enter products in Annual Judging & Competition		✓	✓	✓	✓		
Business Dev't	Exhibit in Meet the Cheesemaker		✓	✓	✓	✓		
Business Dev't	Sample products at ACS-related events		✓	✓	✓	✓		
Business Dev't	Become an Authorized Education Provider		✓	✓	✓	✓		
Business Dev't	Send Member-2-Member marketing emails		✓	✓	✓	✓		
Business Dev't	Listing in searchable Organization Directory		✓	✓	✓	✓		
Business Dev't	Post open job listings in ACS Career Center		✓	✓	✓	✓		
Business Dev't	Post events to ACS online calendars		✓	✓	✓	✓		
Marketing	Portion of dues supports cheesemaker scholarships					✓		
Marketing	Year-round recognition on ACS website					✓		
Marketing	Inclusion on American Cheese Month website					✓		
Marketing	Inclusion in select ACS media placement annually					✓		

↑ Benefits for all members ↓

↑ Benefits exclusively for Professional members ↓