

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM



Proprietor/s

Title _____ **First Name** _____ **Surname** _____

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Company Details

Trading Name _____

Address _____

Town _____

County _____ **Postcode** _____

Telephone _____ **Fax** _____

Web address _____

E-Mail address _____

Type of Business _____ **Date Established** _____

Other organisations NABAS / FSB/FPB/ Other (please state) _____

No. of Staff **Full Time** _____ **Part Time** _____

Please supply:

Two trade references – Company Name & Telephone Number

1st

2nd

Please also enclose a minimum of three of the following;

1. Exterior / Interior photographs of the business premises
2. Invoice / Booking form.
3. Publicity Literature
4. Two utility bills.
5. Yellow Pages or equivalent Advertisement
6. Copy of VAT Registration form.

To become a member of the association applicants are required to abide by the British Costume Association's **CODE OF PRACTICE**. Continued membership of the BCA depends upon your company's ability to meet these requirements.

I promise to abide by the British Costume Associations Code of practice and enclose the first year's membership fee of £60 made payable to "The British Costume Association" and return to the address below. **Currently, the joining fee has been waived until the next AGM.** Membership now runs from the date joined to the following year concurrent.

Signed.....

Dated.....

British Costume Association

Benefits of Membership

- Free entry to BCA Trade shows for two representatives
- 4 issues of "In Costume" Magazine per year, containing invaluable articles and information
- Free listing on BCA web-site which giving a brief description of your business and includes your Company logo and a photograph.
- Certificate and Annual Window Sticker
- Authority to use the BCA logo on business stationery & advertising
- Free/discounted rates at BCA Show Seminars
- Networking opportunities at social events, shows & seminars
- Internet Web-Site – Gives details of all Members of the Association for access by the general public (your customers) plus Members' only pages.
- Free link from BCA web-site to your own site
- Access to Membership Forum on www.incostume.co.uk to trade ideas, problems or to use the swap shop
- Access to costume request page on www.incostume.co.uk for free leads from sourcing enquiries
- Discounted Rates on Exhibition Space
- Negotiated discounts with key industry suppliers
- Helpline on trade enquiries – you call us with your queries, we answer or find someone who can.
- Action Desk in the magazine where we take up trade-wide problems.
- Source Book – Offers information on suppliers within the industry and where to obtain unusual items.