

Other Benefits of Joining IATG



Benefits also include:

- Free or discounted entry to tourist attractions and sites.
- e-subscription to our quarterly newsletter "Welcome" containing information of value to members.
- Discounts to industry organisations such as Breakaway Travel Club and IATA.

Membership

Professional: Open to Tour Guides with the training, expertise and experience to deliver outstanding service. Our interview and referral process ensures a high standard we are proud to promote.

Affiliate: As you complete guide training or start working in the tourism industry, you can forge a network through belonging to IATG. On completion of training and as your experience grows, you can apply for professional membership.

Join IATG today to promote the human face of tourism and to enhance your industry. For details please contact:

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Tour Guides - The Human Face of Tourism



What Membership of IATG Will Mean To You

As a professional tour guide – or even an aspiring one – your role in the Australian tourism industry is crucial.

A visitor's tourism experience can be enhanced beyond measure through the professionalism of the people who help them discover the wonders of Australia. It can ensure they tell their friends and fellow travellers and return to rediscover the excitement of that first visit. You are the human face of Australian tourism.

Accordingly, it is vitally important that tour guides, as professional people, be part of the professional face too, through membership of the Institute of Australian Tour Guides.

IATG works to create opportunities, broaden the experience and enhance the careers of its members. We want you to join us at IATG as a Tour Guide Member. By becoming a member you will also help us to present tour guides as perhaps the most important element of the Australian tourism experience.



As a professional body representing tour guides, we work hard to create opportunities for members. Your membership includes regular familiarisation events where guides come together to experience sites and experiences that will increase your tourism knowledge.

You will be able to avail yourself of development workshops to improve your tour guide skills.

You have the opportunity to participate in social events and networking functions, bringing you in contact with your fellow guide members and corporate members to share information and knowledge.

You will receive career opportunities through our listing of organisations or events seeking professional tour guides through IATG.

IATG is a member of Guiding Organisations Australia (GOA), the national peak guiding body. Membership of GOA gives you a voice both nationally and internationally in guiding issues.