

Arkansas Economic Developers & Chamber Executives (AEDCE) is the state's premier association representing professional and volunteer economic developers, chamber executives and entrepreneurial support professionals in Arkansas.

Our mission
is to enhance the professional development of our membership and to advocate for community and economic development benefitting the citizens of Arkansas.



Membership Benefits

Professional Development & Training

- Mid-South Basic Economic Development Course
- AEDCE Annual Conference
- New Chamber Professional Boot Camp
- Benchmarking Best Practices Visits
- Workshops & Seminars tailored for economic developers, chamber professionals and entrepreneurial support professionals
- Executive mentoring, network building and peer-to-peer idea sharing and best practices
- Advocacy and governmental affairs
- Scholarships awarded for training opportunities

Exclusive Member Resources

- Member discounts to AEDCE events
- Communications tailored to Arkansas' chamber and economic development professionals
- Resource library and customized technical assistance on a variety of topics including operational issues, economic development taxes and incentives, site development, board relations, staffing and workforce development



Apply for membership online at aedce.org



Membership Investments

Membership in Arkansas Economic Developers & Chamber Executives (AEDCE) is available to anyone with an interest in the economic and community development of Arkansas. Our membership covers all aspects of the economic development and chamber industry in Arkansas, from rural to urban areas and everything in between. This allows us to provide a broad array of resources and expertise in the chamber and economic development fields.

Chamber/Economic Development Organization

Member investment is tier based on the total revenue of the organization. All employees listed by the chamber/EDO are covered as a member of AEDCE.

Total Revenues of Chamber/EDO	Investment
Volunteer Chamber <i>(no paid executive/director)</i>	\$100
Up to \$100,000	\$250
\$100,001 - \$500,000	\$500
\$500,001 - \$750,000	\$1,000
\$750,001 - \$1M	\$1,500
\$1M+	\$2,250

Corporate/Entrepreneurial Support Organization

Corporations and other organizations may determine the number of memberships they desire in AEDCE.

Number of Memberships	Investment
1 - 3 Memberships	\$300 per Membership
4 - 7 Memberships	\$250 per Membership
8 - 10 Memberships	\$225 per Membership
Unlimited	\$5,000
(Must work at the same organization)	

Elected Officials/Retired Professionals

Available to elected officials and retired professionals for \$200 per person. Any other individual memberships will be reviewed and approved on a case-by-case basis by the AEDCE board of directors.*

*The AEDCE board of directors retains the authority to approve all memberships and to terminate memberships if dues are not paid in full by March 1.

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