



OHIO CAREER DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

OCDA membership encompasses all career development providers including counselors, educators, business professionals, graduate students and paraprofessionals. The OCDA community represents a wide array of settings: education, private practice, business, and public and private institutions. Members are dedicated to promoting the career development of all people over the lifespan and improving the standards of professional career service in Ohio.

OCDA, founded in 1975, is a division of the Ohio Counseling Association (OCA) and the Ohio division of the National Career Development Association (NCDA), which was founded in 1913. NCDA is a division of the American Counseling Association (ACA).

WHY JOIN OCDA? Each OCDA member receives:

- Networking opportunities with career development professionals from all over Ohio
- Access to the OCDA Linked In group for additional networking and professional development
- Opportunities to build leadership skills by participating on the OCDA executive board
- Access to the OCDA quarterly newsletter and the ability to publish articles
- A free subscription to NCDA's monthly web magazine Career Convergence
- Discounts for workshops including the OCDA Spring Conference
- Access to multiple career-related online interviews each month through Careerwell
- Several opportunities each year to earn CEU's
- Notifications about volunteer opportunities with community organizations seeking career professional expertise
- Opportunities to apply for and be nominated for professional development and career-related grants/awards
- A chance to increase professional recognition for career development and counseling by being part of a state organization

OCDA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

* Membership expires one year from date of joining/renewal*

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Street/Apt: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Employer: _____ Title: _____

Ethics Agreement: As a member of OCDA, I do hereby agree to uphold the NCDA Code of Ethics www.ncda.org (click on guidelines).

Signature _____ Date _____

Type of Membership

- Professional \$20 (Master's in Counseling/related field)
- Associate \$20 (Degree, no counseling credential)
- Retired \$10
- Student \$10

License/Certification (check all that apply)

- LPCC/PCC
- LPC/PC
- NCC
- GCDF/CDF
- Other _____

Status

New Renewal

Make Checks Payable to OCDA & mail to:

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