



INTERNATIONAL SHIA CULTURAL AND HUMAN RIGHTS ORGANIZATION  
(ISCHRO)

MEMBERSHIP FORM		
<b>Full Name:</b>		
<b>Date of birth:</b>	<b>Home Phone:</b>	<b>Fax:</b>
<b>Alternative Phone:</b>		<b>Email Address:</b>
<b>Address:</b>		
<b>City &amp; State:</b>	<b>Country:</b>	<b>ZIP Code:</b>
SIGNATURES		
ISCHRO respects the privacy of individuals and will make all efforts within its capability not to make public the above details of the applicant unless permission has been given by the applicant or otherwise required by law.		
By signing this membership form the applicant testifies that he/she has read ISCHRO's mission statement, objectives and information regarding membership attached to this application form.		
<b>Signature of applicant:</b>		<b>Date:</b>
Has the applicant filled in this registration form: Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>		
If no please provide the details of the person who filled in the application on behalf of the applicant below:		
<b>Name:</b>		
<b>Date of birth:</b>	<b>Home Phone:</b>	<b>Alternative Phone:</b>
<b>Email Address:</b>		
<b>Address:</b>		
<b>City &amp; State:</b>	<b>Country:</b>	<b>ZIP Code:</b>
I testify that I have permission on behalf of the applicant to complete this membership form and take full legal responsibility in this regard.		
Signature of the individual applying on behalf of the applicant:		Date:
VOLUNTARY INFORMATION		
(This information will be used for public statistical purposes without reference to the applicants personal information above)		
<b>Gender:</b> Male: <input type="checkbox"/> Female: <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Nationality:</b>	<b>Religious Affiliation:</b> (Please include school of thought/denomination)
<b>Occupation:</b>	<b>Education</b> (Please state level of Completion):	
OFFICE USE ONLY		
<b>Membership Fee:</b> Paid: <input type="checkbox"/> Not Paid: <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Membership Fee Waived:</b> Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Membership Approved:</b> Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Staff member approving the membership:</b> Position: Full Name: Signature:	

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## **LEGAL STATUS**

Incorporated in New Zealand under the Charitable Trust Act 1957 on the 8<sup>th</sup> of September 2005

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

The International Shia Cultural and Human Rights Organization is a charitable trust established for the propagation and facilitation of Shia thought and culture and the protection of human rights for Shias around the world.

## **AIMS AND ACTIVITIES**

- Propagation of Shia thought and culture
- Promoting public awareness of human rights. This includes awareness of human rights violations against Shias around the world and striving for reformation of legislations in different nation states and international law to guarantee their human rights
- Propagation of peace and non-violence in every aspect of life
- Publication of educational and cultural material
- Building of socially relevant facilities such as Shia cultural and religious centres, educational centres, hospitals and other similar facilities
- Financial assistance to Shia organizations, companies and individuals for the enhancement of their educational, cultural, health and other life needs.
- Promoting interaction among local and international universities and higher learning centres.
- Any other activity that is in accordance with the spirit of the organization.

## **Membership Information**

Individuals can become full members of ISCHRO by submitting a signed registration form provided by ISCHRO and paying his/her annual fees.

Membership to ISCHRO is voluntary and must be with the consent of the individual registering to be a member of ISCHRO.

There are no restrictions for membership based on the region of residence of the individual or the availability of a local branch of ISCHRO in his/her country or state of residence.

The Executive Committee and/or the Local Committee reserve the right to terminate the membership of an individual after returning their membership fee for the year in which the membership is terminated.

A member of ISCHRO can at any time terminate his/her membership through a written request to his/her Local branch or to the Executive Committee. Any member that decides to terminate his/her membership in the aforementioned way will not be reimbursed for any of his/her year/s of membership.

The Executive Committee and/or the Local Committee reserve the right to reject any membership application without providing reasons or explanation for the rejection.

Please contact your local branch for further information.