Membership in WINA

Qualification of WINA Members

Qualification *Please refer to Article 4 of WINA Articles of Association.

Regular Members: instant noodle manufacturers
Associate Members: companies other than the instant noodle manufacturer who are engaged in instant noodle related businesses
Special Members: state authority, public institution or academic society

Fees and Admission

Fees *Please refer to Article 14.

A: Initiation Fees (one time only)
(1) Governors US$10,000
(2) Regular Members US$1,000
(3) Associate Members US$500
(4) Special Members US$500

B: Membership Dues (for a two-year period)
(1) Governors US$7,000
(2) Regular Members US$1,000
(3) Associate Members US$500
(4) Special Members US$500


Admission Procedure *Please refer to Article 5.
Please fill out an application form and send it to WINA Secretariat: wina@nissin.com

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Nothing served as an instant Hot Meal is better embodied than the instant noodles that warm both the body and the soul. Instant noodles based on the five key development principles of “delicious taste, safety, convenience, preservability, and affordability” meet all the essentials of food. Thanks to the constant efforts of manufacturers and continued support from consumers, instant noodles have become a global food with some 100 billion servings consumed annually.

To maintain this value, WINA positions food safety as a non-competitive field and works together on common issues such as improving the quality of instant noodles and ensuring safety and security. A quality problem within a single company could trigger consumers’ distrust in instant noodles and might pull down the entire industry. In fact, Mr. Momofuku Ando, the first Chairman of WINA, established this Association to prevent such a tragedy from happening. We aim to contribute to the further development of the entire industry by contributing to people’s healthy and rich diet.

Nowadays, companies and industries are expected to earnestly work together with international organizations and governments to deal with various social and environmental issues on a global scale. To meet these expectations, in August 2018, WINA added “Nutrition and Health” and “Environmental Sustainability” to the five principles and declared to make further efforts toward Instant Hot Meal that is friendly to people and the earth. In order for instant noodles to contribute to the happiness of future humanity and the earth, we manufacturers must fulfill more responsibilities than ever before. We wholeheartedly welcome new members with the same ideas to join WINA. Hopefully we work together to push forward the sustainable development of our industry.

Koki Ando
Chairman
World Instant Noodles Association

WINA Funds

WINA Food Safety Research Fund
We offer WINA Food Safety Inspection Service for WINA members to ensure food safety and improve the quality of instant noodles. WINA Food Safety Research Fund covers a half of the fee for the analysis of hazardous substances.

WINA Disaster Relief Fund
We provide instant noodles in aid to the victims of natural disasters that occur all over the world. Since WINA Disaster Relief Fund was established in 2008, we have provided more than 6.5 million servings of instant noodles as emergency rations for a total of 39 devastating disasters (as of November 2019).

- 2015 Earthquake (Nepal), Flood (Tirril, Nepal, India)
- 2016 Earthquake (Ecuador), Typhoon (Palawan, China), Hurricane Mathew (Haiti)
- 2017 Hurricane Harvey (Texas, USA), Earthquake (South Mexico)
- Hurricane Irma (Florida, USA), Earthquake (Central Mexico), Earthquake (Iran & Iraq)
- 2018 Volcanic Eruption (Guatemala), Flood (Laois, Flood India), Hurricane Florence (North Carolina, USA), Typhoon Mangkhut (Philippines), Earthquake & Tariam (Baliwest, Indonesia), Tsunami (Banten, Indonesia)

WINA Events

WINA provides a platform for knowledge-exchange and networking regarding common issues in our industry. We hold World Instant Noodle Summit which brings together the top management of instant noodle businesses from around the world, and WINA Food Safety Conference to exchange information about food safety which WINA positions as a non-competitive issue.