

Benefits of Differing Tiers	Professional	Associate	Student	Friend	
Free or discounted admission to all WIFD screenings and events	*	*	*	*	
Networking events with WIFD members and other industry professionals	*	*	*	*	
Opportunity to participate in programs/projects such as our PSA, Topaz Film Festival, Etc.	*	*	*	*	
Free access to WIFTUS and WIFTI postings, discounts and opportunities	*	*	*	*	NOTE CHANGE: I STARRED STUDENT, double check doc.
Opportunity to participate on committees. *	*	*	*	*	
Listing in our member directory	*	*	*	*	double check doc.
Opportunity to serve as an intern to the Topaz Film Fest Leadership Team or other WIFD committee chair.*	*	*	*	*	
Ability to join and post to the WIFD list-serv, a mailing of opportunities and resources that goes out to over 700 industry members	*	*	*	*	
Free access to all offers and discounts made available to WIFD members: e.g., discounted submission fees to Topaz Film Fest; discounts for film festival passes; discount for IMDb members	*	*	*	*	
Access to apply for WIFD mini-grants for study, production needs or related professional endeavors	*	*	*	*	
Election voting privileges	*	*	*	*	
Opportunity to participate in WIFD officer positions as Secretary or Treasurer*	*	*	*	*	
Opportunity to participate in our end of the year video and in-person showcase.*	*	*	*	*	
Opportunity to seek elected WIFD officer positions as President, Vice President, Secretary or Treasurer	*	*	*	*	Double check doc.
Opportunity to chair a committee or event, such as our annual Public Service Announcement (PSA) project	*	*	*	*	
Opportunity to serve as a representative of WIFD at industry events	*	*	*	*	
Special access to exclusive networking events with fellow Professional Level Members: includes a 30 second personal pitch and educational presentation/guest speaker	*	*	*	*	
Ability to act as a Member Sponsor	*	*	*	*	action item: send out email for call to action, sign up to be a Member sponsor (& what does that mean)
Opportunity to serve as a mentor	*	*	*	*	
Access to Exclusive Industry Events	*	*	*	*	
Opportunity to seek elected WIFD office as Treasurer, upon Board of Directors' review and approval	*	*	*	*	

*Such participation is on a VOLUNTEER basis and will be determined by guidelines set forth by the Board of Directors.

#18 needs BOD approval. Does BOD approval of 30 second personal pitch & educational presentation/guest speaker?

Added on #21: Access to EXCLUSIVE INDUSTRY EVENTS : Professional Level Only

Edited on #19, but have not added corporate column yet: Ability to act as a Member Sponsor: Professional*, Corporate

based upon experience, resume and industry experience.

competition based, script, pitch, etc. prize based events.

Women in film PSA,

- JOB FAIRS , networking

Austin Entertainment Business

- Industry events / fairs

- TV boot camp

Key
To be discussed as a whole
Why are these particularly excluded?

18 ABBEY Question:

Is it true that we can only give out scholarships in the same way WIFD grants work? This rule is pretty strict, doesn't provide a lot of flexibility to help our members personally with projects. Thoughts? How do we reword if the rule has to be followed(?)

21: I feel we are good to leave this be, I suggest #20 to incl specifics of TOPAZ: "Opportunity to Volunteer for WIFD Events and Programs, especially The Topaz Film Festival!"

#12: SUGGESTIONS

Opportunity to participate in programs/projects such as our PSA, Topaz Film Festival & mentorships*

change to

Opportunity to gain on-set experience and receive Professional Level mentorship by participating in WIFD Programs such as the PSA and The Topaz Film Festival.

ADD:

Opportunity to fill key film positions on WIFD's PSA to elevate your career and mentor emerging artists in film. (PROF & ASSOC only)

Sharon's Questions:

#3 and #5 - Why are student members excluded? Just curious. (especially the WIFTUS and WIFTI opportunities. Students could really use this.) Is this open for discussion?. Also, have they not been listed as "members" in the past?

~~#11 and #19 (Updated to #12 & #20) hmmm...why limitation for friends or students to serve as volunteers or committee members? (Don't we need them to be volunteers? We don't have enough volunteers. So can't be on the PSA crew, even as PAs??~~

Questions on #47..(Updated to #18) Need to discuss this. Question on offering a members-only grant that comes out of SGF The 501(c)(3) MUST serve the entire community - not just members. GIVING money away from our "membership" funds could be problematic. The selection process would be suspect - questioning "why my membership \$\$ was awarded to 'HER' rather than to fund my project?" lol Also - why not "Associate" members?? Just wondering?

Just looking at the lack of benefits for both friends and students. I can understand some of the omissions. The "intern" (#26) (Updated to #21) situation might be a mute point, since these folks would be actively enrolled, so devoted to school.