

**Texas Association of
Black Personnel in
Higher Education (TABPHE)**

Corpus Christi Chapter



P.O. Box 8054
Corpus Christi, TX 78468

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

PHILOSOPHY

TABPHE-CC believes that human performance, increased productivity, and quality of life are enhanced through the sharing of individual experiences. Higher education personnel are rich in experience, knowledge and skills that play a vital role in helping educational institutions address key goals for achieving success. TABPHE-CC provides a statewide vehicle for a diverse, multicultural workforce to learn, share, direct, lead and influence our educational system and serves as a support network for students of African descent promoting higher education, student enrollment, retention, tutoring and networking through the Village initiative.

OBJECTIVES

- A. To act as an advocate for Blacks in the educational process.
- B. To evaluate, promote and support programs pertinent to Blacks in colleges, universities and communities
- C. To encourage and promote collaboration among Blacks in the educational process.
- D. To assist colleges and universities in the recruitment, placement and retention of Black students, faculty, staff and administrators.
- E. To stimulate interest in and awareness of current issues relevant to Blacks in all aspects of higher education.
- F. To provide a vehicle for disseminating the viewpoints of Blacks regarding education, equal opportunity and affirmative action.
- G. To assist in and be supportive of the development and strengthening of Black student programs at the secondary level.
- H. To cooperate with all institutions of higher education in Texas in pursuit of these objectives.

MEMBERSHIP

- A. General Member is open to professional representatives from the faculty, staff and administration presently employed or retired from higher education and/or educational-related fields committed to the aims and objectives of TABPHE-CC upon payment of local dues shall have voting rights.
- B. Associate Member is open to individuals committed to the aims and objectives of TABPHE and who may be employed in, or retired from, professions other than those in higher education upon payment of local dues shall have voting rights.
- C. Student Membership is open to students currently enrolled in higher education committed to the aims and objectives of TABPHE-CC upon payment of local dues shall have voting rights.
- D. Honorary Membership may be conferred upon professionals who have rendered distinguished service or who have made outstanding or noteworthy contributions in support of TABPHE. These members shall be exempt from the payment of dues and shall have speaking rights only.

COMMITMENTS TO TABPHE

- A. Time Commitment
 1. Commit to attending a minimum of nine (9) scheduled physical chapter meetings
 2. Commit to spending at least two hours per month doing something for the chapter.
- B. Financial Commitment
 1. Commit to absorbing the cost of travel and accommodations to attend State Board meetings and Annual Conferences.
 2. Commit personal and/or professional resources for special projects of the chapter in compliance with all local and state rules and regulations.
- C. Conference Support Commitment
 1. Commit to supporting the Association's Annual State Conference, local advertisement of the conference, bringing individuals or sponsoring individuals to attend the conference, and donations of finances and/or time in support of the conference.



Texas Association of Black Personnel in Higher Education (TABPHE) (Corpus Christi Chapter)

Membership Categories *(Please check one)*

- General Membership** (\$25) **
 State Membership (\$30)
 Associate Member (\$25)
 Student (\$25)
 Honorary (\$0)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Telephone No. _____

Work Telephone No. _____

FAX No. _____

E-mail address: _____

Name of Institution: _____

Institution Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code _____

Make checks payable to TABPHE and mail to:

**TABPHE
P.O. Box 8054
Corpus Christi, TX 78468**

(TABPHE membership year is September 1 - August 1.)

*** all officers must become a state member*