



## Registration and Membership Info

Whilst all members of the UN and associated communities are invited to browse the site, becoming a Staff Coop Member brings a whole host of extra benefits.

There are four membership schemes, depending on your physical location and whether you want to include family members:

### 1. Full Membership (for members based at FAO or WFP)

€30.00 for the calendar year (Jan to Dec) plus €25.00 "one time", fully refundable share\*\* of the co-operative (this is a legal requirement and brings voting rights)

### 2. Full Family Membership (for members based at FAO or WFP and their immediate family)

€35.00 for the calendar year (Jan to Dec) plus €25.00 "one time", fully refundable share\*\* of the co-operative (this is a legal requirement and brings voting rights)

### 3. Associate Membership (for all non-FAO/WFP members)

€30.00 for the calendar year (Jan to Dec)

### 4. Associate Family Membership (for all non-FAO/WFP members and their immediate family)

€35.00 for the calendar year (Jan to Dec)

**Please note** that it is a legal requirement of an Italian Cooperative that memberships run from January through to December in any one year

*Please note that the FAO Staff Coop Board of Directors, in accordance with Art. 2354 and following of the C.C. and Art. 15, Point 15.1, of the bylaws, has proceeded in excluding members who are no longer able to contribute to the achievement of the corporate purposes. That is, as required by the relevant implementing regulation for members who fail to renew their membership for ten consecutive years: therefore, members who do not renew their membership in ten years are considered excluded. Excluded members can request refund of their Coop share within a maximum period of 180 days from their exclusion.*

Call us at +39 06 5705 3142 or else email: [fao-staff-coop@fao.org](mailto:fao-staff-coop@fao.org) with any questions.

## Member Benefits:

- \* Full access to the accommodation service: apartments at realistic prices, information and guidance. This includes the ability for you to send us your accommodation requirements such that, if you cannot find what you want through the listings, we can match your request against other properties held in our database
- \* access to our professional services such as lawyers and tax consultant at favourable prices
- \* access to our classes of Italian language (in person at FAO or online on Zoom)
- \* access to our gym activities (at FAO HQ)
- \* open invitation to all of our Sports and Cultural activities (guided tours, piano and singing lessons etc.)
- \* submit articles and events
- \* create classified ads of various natures
- \* discounts from local businesses, theatres and service companies

**Please note** that FAO Staff Coop membership does not automatically entitle one to enter FAO and WFP premises, since it depends on the validity of each person's building pass

**\*\*To obtain a reimbursement of the social share of the co-operative, it is required to send a PEC to [faostaffcoop@pec.it](mailto:faostaffcoop@pec.it), stating your desire to cancel your membership and giving your bank instructions in order to receive your refund by wire transfer.**

**Please note** that the 25 euros will be refunded net of fees, which remain the responsibility of the bank account holder.