

HORRY-GEORGETOWN TECHNICAL COLLEGE

# POLICY

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Horry-Georgetown Technical College recognizes the importance of maintaining professional organizational memberships for the institution and for the faculty and staff of the College, and the need to financially support these activities. The general purpose of these memberships is to maintain contact with the professional associations in each field of academic instruction and to support the College's faculty and staff development program. In establishing this policy, the College recognizes the following classification of memberships:

- A. General Institutional Memberships are affiliations with organizations that provide broad, general benefits to the College, as funds are available. The College will allocate resources to support memberships in the appropriate organization.
- B. Professional Association Memberships are affiliations with societies that are primarily designed to enhance the professional skills of their members through contacts with other professionals in the field and exposure to trends and developments in the specific area of expertise.