

SOCIETY OF FINANCIAL EXAMINERS



® The Society of Financial Examiners (SOFE) is now offering **College Students Free** membership while they are enrolled in college full-time, for a maximum of four years. College Students who are majoring in Accounting, Business Administration, Economics, Finance, Information Systems, Pre-Law and/or other related fields would be particularly interested in our accreditation and certification programs.

Students and Educators as members are entitled to all the rights of membership except those related to voting or holding office within SOFE.

Membership Benefits include:

- ✓ Free access to the members SOFE website -- <http://www.sofe.org/>
- ✓ Free access to job opportunities and careers listed in the SOFE website.
- ✓ Free access to The Insight®--a monthly publication packed with news on current issues in financial examinations.
- ✓ Free access to The Examiner®;--a quarterly journal designed to keep you up-to-date on issues of interest to professionals of financial examination. You also have the opportunity to publish articles in your own area of expertise.
- ✓ Listing of your membership on the SOFE website.
- ✓ Initiates and maintains relationships with other professional organizations and provides a network of peer contacts.
- ✓ Participation provides opportunities to enhance professional and leadership skills.
- ✓ Participation at State Chapter Meetings of SOFE.
- ✓ Discount prices to register for SOFE's annual Career Development Seminar.
- ✓ Member prices to test for SOFE's designations.

® SOFE, is a professional society for examiners of insurance companies, banks, savings and loans, and credit unions. We have a membership of over 1,600 representing 50 states, Canada, Aruba and Netherlands Antilles. SOFE is the one organization where financial examiners or other professions relating to insurance companies, banks, savings

and loans, and credit unions come together for training and to share and exchange information on a formal and informal level.

SOFE was established in 1973 to establish a strict code of professional standards for members engaged in the examination of financial institutions, to promote uniform ethical standards that will engender employer and public confidence to the degree that those interested can identify professionally qualified practitioners, and to promote and enforce minimum requirements of conduct, training, and expertise for members engaged in financial examination.

Provide the information listed on our membership application and submit it to our executive offices: SOFE, 12100 Sunset Hills Road, Suite 130, Reston, VA 20190.

Alternatively, the information can be provided via email to sofe@sofe.org or by fax to 1-888-436-8686.

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 **Student Membership Application**

PLEASE PRINT

Name (Required)

Mailing Address, including city, state and zip code (Required)

Email address (Required)

University/College (Required)

College Student - Expected year of graduation (Required) and Degree Program

Full-Time Educator – Provide Supervisor’s Name & Telephone for verification (Required)

Telephone number of applicant

Signature affirming above information is accurate (Required) (Date Required)

I support SOFE and its programs and hereby authorize you to nominate me to become a Student Member or Full-Time Educational Member. I understand that my name will be submitted to the Executive Committee of SOFE at its next regularly scheduled quarterly meeting. I understand that my signature does not signify approval of my application.

Approval for membership will be communicated from SOFE to the designated email address.