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RIBA MEMBER BENEFIT GUIDE

Comprehensive RIBA Member Benefits

- Complimentary Education Programs
- Member Solution Services
- Legislative Advocacy at State House
- Networking & Social Events
- Member to Member Referral Database
- Business Marketing Opportunities
- Vital Information Resources
- Monthly Industry-focused Magazine
- Workforce & Trade Training for Employees
- Complimentary Jobsite Safety Service
- Rhode Island Home Show
- Professional Women in Building (PWB)
- Medical and Dental Plans
- Full-Service Insurance Agency



Complimentary Education!

Online and in-person, our contractor education offerings are some of the best association-based programs in the country. With over 100 courses to choose from, each are designed for your professional development, and they are always tuition free for our members! Classes and seminars are given monthly for both owners and their respective employees. Subject matter includes energy,

codes, safety, estimating and so much more!
Most classes also are eligible for Rhode Island continuing education credits.

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Member Solution Services

Industry-based professionals are available to help you find answers to your most troubling issues. From permitting, new-regulations compliance, to financing resources, the solutions staff at RIBA gives you peace of mind!

Powerful Legislative Advocacy

RIBA represents you locally, at the RI State House, and on the federal level with all things Regulatory. With effective political lobbying, we track every bill that affects you, and as a housing stake-holder, we help develop legislation to help the state's housing needs. As a member, you can feel free to join our committees, get updates on bills, and advocate on key legislation impacting the residential construction industry.

Socialize, Network & Enjoy!

Our events are a favorite benefit among our new and longstanding members! Take advantage of big, fun events like our Annual Clambake, Golf Classic, monthly network events, a holiday party, cookouts, annual meeting and, you like to socialize, meet new people, and catch up with old friends, these events offer that opportunity!

Find Work/Hire Members

Services include member-to-member referrals, the RIBAlist.com consumer website, and the annual Membership Directory and Buyer's Guide, which is a comprehensive listing of all members and their respective services.

Vital Information Resources

Members stay in the know with information they can only find through RIBA, including the award-winning, monthly Rhode Island Builder magazine; update e-mails; participation on various committees; member podcasts and so much more! This is a true advantage in the marketplace!

Workforce / Trade Training for Employees

As a member of RIBA, you can send current or prospective employees to trade training. Upskill your current workforce or enroll them in a pre-apprentice training before you hire them. With 6 locations and Spanish speaking options, this trade training program is a standout-Carpentry, Electrical, HVAC/ Plumbing and many more options are available. Looking to post or find a job, use RCWPJobs.com, an industry specific residential construction job resource.

Complimentary Safety Service

All members have access to a complimentary. Safety Service that includes a jobsite visit and/or consultation to guide members toward proper workforce-safety procedures, ensure OSHA compliance, and lower insurance rates. This is a totally confidential service, and it can save you thousands of dollars as well as fines.

The RI Home Show

RIBA hosts the Rhode Island Home Show, which is attended by thousands of people from southern New England. Attendees are all interested in buying/building a new home or remodeling an existing one, making it one of the largest shows around. As RIBA member, you get a 5% discount on the booth rates.



To access Member Resources, please call today. 401-438-7400

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Welcome!

Dear Members:

Thank you for your continued commitment, support, and membership in the Rhode Island Builders Association.

Whether you've just joined RIBA or are a longstanding member, your involvement supports the residential construction industry in so many ways. As you will read in this member benefit guide, we offer the services that protect you, save you money, improve your knowledge, and ultimately grow your business!

To make the most of your membership, be sure to keep this guide handy as a resource - it will help you take full advantage of the many things your annual membership brings.

Our collective industry resources come from the strength of this Association and that strength comes from the size of our membership. So, please share details about us with your colleagues.

Ask them to join! Our services, advocacy and industry-leading resources depend on membership. Helping someone join is easy, just have them call the office at (407) 438-7400 and we'll take it from there!

Thanks again for being a member, and know that we are always here for you. Please always feel free to call us with any issue and if I can ever be of any direct assistance to you, just reach out to me.

My best regards,

John Marcantonio Executive Officer RI Builders Association





Professional Women in Building

Participate and become a member of RIBA's Professional Women in Building (PWB). The group offers informative programs that focus on professional development, networking, and career knowledge for the construction industry. All RIBA members are welcome to join and participate in programs.



Insurance & Bonding

RIBA has its own full-service, inhouse insurance agency-The Builders Insurance Group (BIG). Every year the agency offers all its members a complimentary insurance review. Find out if you have to much or too little coverage, or even have the right coverage at all. Members will find a rewarding service experience, trusted advice on insurance products, and the knowledge that the resources of this affiliate go toward helping the industry. BIG understands construction and works with more than 40 other insurance partners to find the right type of coverage for you.





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Medical & Dental Plans for You & Your Employees

The Association offers complete health and dental plans for both you and your employees. The dental plans are the best available when it comes to cost because RIBA has its own pool and its own rate. Contact Builders Insurance Group to learn more today.



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