

## SOCIETY FOR VECTOR ECOLOGY

The Society for Vector Ecology is a professional organization formed in 1968 by a group of individuals involved in vector biology and control programs in California. The membership has since grown to represent an amalgamation of diverse research and operational and extension personnel from all over the world. The Society is committed to solving many complex problems encountered in the field of vector biology and control. Among these are the suppression of nuisance organisms and disease vectors through integration of control elements, such as environmental management, biological control, public education, and appropriate chemical control technology.

The Society publishes the biannual Journal of Vector Ecology that contains research and operational papers covering many phases of vector biology, ecology, and control. The Society also distributes a periodic newsletter and holds annual conferences and International Congresses.

### MEMBERSHIP QUALIFICATIONS

There are five classes of membership in the Society for Vector Ecology: Regular, Retired, Student, Honorary, and Sustaining. The qualifications are as follows:

**REGULAR MEMBERSHIP:** Any person with an academic degree from an accredited college or university, plus two or more years of experience in the field of vector ecology or in related fields or with equivalent merits and experience may become a regular member. Education beyond the bachelor degree or equivalent may be substituted for experience. Regular members shall pay annual dues as set forth by the Board. Regular members will receive the Journal and Newsletter free of charge and are eligible to participate in the affairs of the Society and vote on issues.

**RETIRED MEMBERSHIP:** Any individual involved in vector biology and control programs having attained retirement. Retired members pay one-half of the regular member dues and are entitled to the same privileges as regular members. Retired members will receive the Journal and Newsletter free of charge and are eligible to participate in the affairs of the Society and vote on issues.

**HONORARY MEMBERSHIP:** An honorary membership may be conferred upon regular members who have long served in the field of vector ecology. Honorary membership shall pay no dues and are entitled to the same privileges as regular members.

**SUSTAINING MEMBERSHIP:** Any agency, organization or individual who desires to contribute financially to the purpose and objective of this Society may become a sustaining member by paying annual dues set by the Board each year. Names of sustaining members will be listed once a year in both the newsletter and annual program of SOVE. Sustaining members have the same rights and privileges as regular members except they cannot vote or hold office.

**STUDENT MEMBERSHIP:** Any student enrolled full-time in a college or university is eligible to become a student member. Student members pay one-half of the regular member dues and are entitled to the same privileges as regular members, but cannot hold office. To qualify, the students must be certified by an advisor or department head each year.

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### Society for Vector Ecology Membership Application

Name: _____ Organization: _____ Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code _____ Country _____ Phone: _____ Fax: _____ e-mail: _____ Education: Institution: _____ Degree: _____ Experience: Title: _____ Length of Service: _____	<table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;">Regular Member:</td> <td style="width: 50%; text-align: right;">\$70.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Retired Member:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$35.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Student Member: (Please include proof of student status)</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$35.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sustaining Member:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$200.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Institutional Subscription:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$500.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: right;">Total Enclosed: _____</td> </tr> </table> <p>Make checks payable in U.S. Dollars to:  <b>Society for Vector Ecology</b></p> <p>                 Visa <input type="checkbox"/>      MasterCard <input type="checkbox"/>                  Credit Card Number: _____                  Expiration Date: _____                  Signature: _____             </p>	Regular Member:	\$70.00	Retired Member:	\$35.00	Student Member: (Please include proof of student status)	\$35.00	Sustaining Member:	\$200.00	Institutional Subscription:	\$500.00	Total Enclosed: _____	
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