

# SSPC

**SSPC MEMBERSHIP**



**real value – flexible benefits**

# MEMBERSHIP:

## Real Value for Real Professionals

**APPLICATORS  
ARCHITECTS  
BLASTERS  
CONSULTANTS  
CONTRACTORS  
ENGINEERS  
INSPECTORS  
SPECIFIERS**

At SSPC, we understand value. Like you, we work to protect the value of public and private facilities and structures. We uphold the value provided by the safe and effective use of protective coatings and linings. We appreciate the value of quality products, services, and workmanship.

This is why we strive to provide our members benefits with real value, benefits they can really use. Benefits that can help you expand your knowledge, improve your skills, grow your business, and make better decisions.

Although a considerable value can be assigned to things like discounts on SSPC products and services, SSPC membership can bring you so much more.

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**STUDENT  
MEMBERSHIP  
OPTIONS ARE  
AVAILABLE. VISIT  
[SSPC.ORG/MEMBERSHIP](http://SSPC.ORG/MEMBERSHIP)  
FOR DETAILS.**

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*" SSPC is a one-of-a-kind society. It's aim is to help protective coatings professionals without the aim of gaining profit. I can tell you many positive stories I've experienced over my 9 years working with SSPC."*

*- Tolga Diraz,  
AKIS Paint and Chemical Inc. / Carboline Turkey*



# JOIN SSPC

### THE JOURNAL OF PROTECTIVE COATINGS AND LININGS

Every month, the JPCL brings SSPC members the latest news, trends, and developments affecting the protective coatings industry, along with useful case histories, maintenance strategies, and problem solving forums.

However, the JPCL does more than just report. Readers use it to learn about new technologies and practices, as a directory of service providers, as a vehicle for reaching potential customers, and as a guide to upcoming events and training opportunities.

**The JPCL puts you in touch with the worldwide protective coatings industry.**

### MEMBER STANDARDS DOWNLOAD

When we ask our members which of SSPC's products and services they find most valuable, the word "standards" nearly always tops the list. That's why we developed the **Member Standards Download** section on our web portal - the **SSPC Marketplace**. The Member Standards Download provides members with unlimited access to all SSPC standards at no additional cost. Simply login to [sspc.org](http://sspc.org) using your email address and password. Go to the Marketplace, search for the standards you want, and download them to your computer.

**Get access to the most widely used standards in the coatings industry. 24/7.**

### TRAINING AND EDUCATION

No matter where you are in your career, there is always something more to learn, and always opportunity to move ahead. SSPC can help get you there. Whether you're just starting out as a novice blaster or painter, moving up to project manager and specifier, or looking to enhance your credentials as a coatings inspector, SSPC training and education programs can get you where you want to go. SSPC members enjoy the added value of substantial discounts off non-member registration fees.

**Member discounts provide added value, but the real value lies in training itself.**

### CERTIFICATION PROGRAMS

For facility owners and other end users, SSPC certification programs help take the guesswork out of selecting industrial painting contractors, project specifiers, coatings inspectors, and other protective coatings professionals. For the certified company or individual, your SSPC certification shows potential clients that you maintain industry-standard capabilities and a commitment to exceptional quality. Your SSPC member discounts help you take advantage of certification at a considerable cost savings

**Professional certification shows your dedication to value and quality.**





## FLEXIBLE BENEFITS FOR COMPANY MEMBERS

What makes SSPC membership even more valuable to organizational members is the ability to customize a benefits package to suit their particular needs. By redeeming *flexible benefit* points, you get the most from your member dollars. For example:

### CONTRACTORS

Contractors can use these points to place the most pertinent people on their member roster, and then concentrate on training or free SSPC publications for their staff. They can also work toward SSPC Protective Coatings Specialist (PCS), by choosing online courses at no cost.

### ARCHITECTS, ENGINEERS, CONSULTANTS

Architects, engineers, and consultants might choose to focus on free publications, or they can apply their credits toward SSPC Protective Coatings Specialist (PCS) or Protective Coatings Inspector (PCI) certification.

### SUPPLIERS

Suppliers can focus on getting their reps the proper contact information in their region or territory to generate leads and increase sales. This program allows them to focus their points on additional members.

### FACILITY OWNERS

Facility Owners have a multitude of options within this structure. They can have the right people on the member roster and still acquire free books, save on training, and get full SSPC conference registrations.

**With flexible benefits, you choose the things that are most important to your business!**

**Everything we do is designed to benefit the users and providers of protective coatings products and services. Your SSPC membership allows you to take the most cost-effective advantage of everything we offer.**

## ORGANIZATIONAL MEMBER FLEXIBLE BENEFITS REAL DOLLARS, REAL VALUE

COMMON BENEFITS	DOLLAR VALUE	POINTS
• 1 Individual Member	\$95	1 point
• 1 Book	\$125 (Avg)	4 points
• Fundamentals of Protective Coatings Online	\$795	15 points
• Planning/Specifying Coatings Online	\$795	15 points
• Marine Coatings Online	\$795	15 points
• Quality Control Supervisor Online	\$395	6 points
• Applicator Training Basics Online	\$395	6 points
• Steel Surface Prep Online	\$295	3 points
• Concrete Surface Prep Online	\$245	3 points
• NonFerrous Metal Surface Prep Online	\$245	3 points
• Training Discount Coupon*	\$200	6 points
• QP Discount †	\$250	5 points
• CFO Coupon (only for CFO Level)	\$500	5 points

\* Maximum of 1 voucher per individual member  
 † One discount per year, not applicable to CFO Levels

MEMBERSHIP LEVEL	PRICE
Patron (20 Points)	\$700
Sustaining (44 Points)	\$1750
Industrial (82+ Points)	\$5500+
<b>Industrial Affiliate Level</b> - provides the most flexibility for large corporate organizations or those with a heavy concentration of technical staff	

FACILITY OWNERS	
Patron CFO (25 Points)	\$700
Sustaining CFO (66 Points)	\$1800

**Patron CFO and Sustaining CFO** members can use Flex Points to attend the annual SSPC Conference: \$500 value - 5 Pts

The **SSPC Flexible Benefits** package allows you to customize your membership to get the most value for your company.

For more information, please contact SSPC at 1.877.281.SSPC, 412.281.2331 or OM@SSPC.org.

## BENEFITS TO MEET INDIVIDUAL NEEDS

SSPC membership is open to individuals as well as companies, but with a more structured group of benefits. However, all SSPC members enjoy the same core benefits: a subscription to the JPCL, access to the Members Download Area and other "members only" web content, discounts on publication purchases, reduced rates on training and individual certification, networking opportunities, and more.

Contact SSPC to see which level of membership is right for you!

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For More Information On  
 SSPC Membership, Please Visit  
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