

Corporate Affiliate membership is designed for companies who want to be kept abreast of PM technology and industry developments but who do not fit within the scope of any of the 6 federated MPIF associations. Corporate Affiliate members have full voting privileges and can serve on MPIF committees and boards.

Corporate Affiliate members use PM products or are involved in processes that are not eligible in other MPIF associations, such as direct powder rolling, rapid solidification, spray forming, or mechanical alloying.

BENEFITS OF MPIF MEMBERSHIP:

Meetings and Conferences:

- Members can attend the annual POWDERMET conference that brings together the global PM industry for technical exchange, networking and a trade exhibition showcasing suppliers of powders, equipment and products. Registration fees are discounted for members.
- Members also are invited to attend the MPIF PM Summit where senior industry leaders gather to exchange management issues relevant to all segments of the PM industry.

Management and Statistical Programs:

- Members receive the monthly *MPIF Management Briefs* summarizing industry manufacturing and management updates with pertinent information solely for PM management.
- Members receive the “Monthly Economic Indicators & Industry Trends” report encompassing leading and lagging indicators for U.S. gross domestic product (GDP), automotive sales & production, agricultural and lawn & garden, aerospace, semiconductors, firearms, powder shipments, and U.S., Japanese and European imports & exports.
- Members receive quarterly statistics on metal powder shipments useful for industry trend analysis.

Standards Development:

- Members actively support and vote on industry standards including materials standards for PM parts and products including methods of test used by customers when specifying PM parts.

Publications and Training:

- MPIF conducts pertinent educational seminars and short courses open to your employees at member discounts.
- MPIF hosts the Guide to PM Microstructures website offering images of most MPIF material designations in a number of property influencing conditions.
- Members have direct access to the world’s largest and most comprehensive library on powder metallurgy. MPIF is the leading publisher of PM books, proceedings, standards and electronic media. Your employees can purchase publications at member discounts.

Marketing Opportunities:

- Members receive a discount when advertising in the *FocusPM* Newsletter.
- Members are listed on various MPIF Web sites in a fully searchable online database of industry parts, powder and product manufacturers. You can also hotlink to your website increasing market outreach.
- Members can provide data and be identified in the Global PM Property Database, the world’s only global online data resource created by MPIF, EPMA and JPMA.
- Members are listed in the annual *Who's Who in PM Membership Directory* published by APMI International.

Membership Information

The Metal Powder Industries Federation, is an incorporated 501(c) 6 not for profit trade organization. Corporate Affiliate members are subject to the policies and regulations of the federation. Membership is on a company or "corporate" basis.

Eligibility

Eligibility for Corporate Affiliate membership shall be determined by the Executive Director of the Federation in accordance with the applicable bylaws.

Any firm, or corporation (or division thereof) with offices and/or manufacturing facilities that fall within the scope of the Federation, not elsewhere represented in any of the federated associations, is eligible for Corporate Affiliate membership in the Federation.

Membership Dues and Representation

Annual membership dues are established by the MPIF Board of Governors. Companies joining after the first quarter of the calendar year will be invoiced on a pro-rated basis to the nearest quarter. For federal income tax purposes, payments to MPIF are not deductible as charitable contributions. They may be deductible under other provisions of the Internal Revenue Service code, including those applicable to business expenses.

Each member company must appoint an individual to serve as its "Official Representative" who will be authorized to represent, and act for the company. This does not preclude other individuals from the same company from participating.

Members may also designate any number of additional individuals to serve as "Alternate Official Representatives" who will receive the same mailings and communications as the Official Representative. A service fee determined by the Board of Governors will be assessed for each individual so designated to defray additional servicing and mailing expenses.

Each corporate voting member shall have one vote at Federation meetings.



Corporate Affiliate Application Form

Metal Powder Industries Federation

Company: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State/Country: _____ Zip/Postal Code: _____

Telephone Number _____ Fax Number _____

E-mail: _____ Web site: _____

Date of incorporation or founding _____

If applicant is a subsidiary or division, what is the name of the parent organization?

Name, Title, and E-mail of Individual to be designated as "Official Representative"

Name, Title, and E-mail of Individual(s) (if any) to be Designated as "Alternate Representative(s)"
(A nominal, annual service fee per person will be assessed)

Names, Titles, and E-mail of Sales Contacts (limit 3): Please note telephone number if different from main number on application form.

If elected to membership, the representative(s) agree to be governed by the rules and regulations of the Metal Powder Industries Federation.

Name and Title of Submitting Applicant

Signature

Date



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The following information, in addition to acting as MPIF's official source of corporate file information, will act as a source of information which will be posted in the PM Industry Online Directory on the www.mpif.org and www.PickPM.com Web sites. Please be as complete as possible. It is the member's responsibility to inform MPIF of any changes to this information.

Manufacturing Capabilities:

Compacting Equipment Mechanical/Hydraulic Presses:

Other Consolidating Equipment:

In-House Secondary:

In-House Q.C. and Metallurgical Inspection:

Products:

Materials:

Types of Parts:

Specialties:
