

13. THE COMMONWEALTH ASSOCIATION FOR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT

• CAPAM membership and how to join

CAPAM's membership is drawn from individuals, institutions and professional organisations in its member countries – both elected and appointed officials from all levels of government.

Each member will receive:

- a booklet summarising the Inaugural Conference "Government in Transition: A New Paradigm in Public Administration";
- quarterly issues of *Commonwealth Innovations*
- invitations to participate at reduced registration fees in both international and regional conferences; and
- access to Commonwealth contacts and database.

Institutional membership

This category includes government departments and agencies (governments may not be institutional members); private sector organisations; not-for-profit corporations and non-governmental organisations. Each institutional membership provides the equivalent of five individual members and other customised benefits in the process of being finalised.

Affiliations with CAPAM

CAPAM will negotiate affiliations with existing public sector institutions and training organisations to improve their access to information about government renewal and to provide services to members throughout the Commonwealth.

Application for membership

If you or your organisation would like to apply to become a member, you should send your name, address and type of membership required together with your payment, either in the form of a money order, VISA, MasterCard or cheque to:

Executive Director
CAPAM
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Toronto, Ontario, Canada M4P 1E8
Tel: (416) 488-1504
Fax: (416) 481-6510

Type of membership

The cost of membership as at the beginning of 1995 was as follows:

Individual	US\$75
Institution	US\$2,250
Student	US\$37
Retired	US\$37
Affiliate	(please contact CAPAM by telephone or fax)

• **CAPAM Board and staff**

CAPAM is governed by a Board of Directors of distinguished officials from 10 member countries. The Board members are as follows:

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Ms Gillian Mason

• **1996 CAPAM Conference**

Malta will be the site of the 1996 CAPAM Conference. The planned theme is
"The new public administration: global challenges – local solutions".

The emphasis of the Conference will be an assessment of the impact of the new
paradigm in the different developmental contexts of Commonwealth and other
countries: What works where?