

Member Benefits—Associate

This level of membership is designed for those who have recently graduated in forensic science* or who are in the early stages of their forensic science career (less than 2 years). Associate level demonstrates to prospective employers a commitment to the profession and provides a clear and direct route through to Member. Some of the benefits include:

Awards:

[Autumn conference bursary](#)

[Travel bursary](#)

[Research Scholarship](#)



Professional Development:

Access to CPD

Professional recognition in form of post nominal **ACSFS**

Discounts:

Reduced rates at all CSFS events

30% on Legal/Forensic Medicine books and open access journal publications by Elsevier

Reduced rates for online access to [Elsevier Journal package](#)



[20% on all CRC Press titles](#)

Access to reduced rate private medical, breakdown recovery and life cover

Publications:

Access to [Science & Justice](#) and to Fingerprint Whorld Archive

Access to CSFS publications

Access to [Media library](#)



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To apply for membership visit the [Join](#) page of the website.

If you are new to the Society and wish to become an Associate member you must first join as an Affiliate and then apply to upgrade. (If you are currently studying, contact us before applying—we may be able to set up a discount for you). Reduced rates apply for at least the first year of Associate membership if you

- ⇒ are still in education
- ⇒ undertaking further study (MSc or PhD in Forensic Science or a related discipline)
- ⇒ unemployed

**All student members studying on a CSFS accredited course can automatically upgrade to Associate on completion of their degree (transcript email required). This can be done before graduation and if you are in the middle of your subscription period you will be upgraded to Associate at no extra cost (increase will take effect on renewal date).*



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