## **MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

## Fondazione Centesimus Annus Pro Pontifice & Centesimus Annus Pro Pontifice, Inc.

Fondazione Centesimus Annus Pro Pontifice (FCAPP) is a lay Vatican-based organization founded by Pope Saint John Paul the Great. Centesimus Annus Pro Pontifice, Inc. is its affiliate in the United States. This is an application to join both organizations (described collectively as "CAPP" in this application).

Membership in CAPP is open to practicing Catholics in good standing. There is an annual membership fee of \$500 (or \$600 for a married couple) 40% of which goes to support the international work of CAPP at the Vatican. Applications require a letter from your pastor attesting to good standing in the Church and a curriculum vitae. Membership in CAPP is not guaranteed and requires joint and sequential approval from the CAPP boards in the USA and the Vatican. While full acceptance takes several months, applicants are invited to be engaged throughout, including joining all national events and international conferences in Rome.

Name(s):
Home Address:
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Home Telephone:
E-mail address(es):
Cell Phone:
Archdiocese/Diocese: Parish:
Business/Profession:
Business Address:
Business Telephone:
Business E-mail address:
Preferred contact address: Home Business
Special interests/skills:

Please attach your Curriculum Vitae

I hereby apply for membership in *CAPP* and declare the following:

- I am a practicing Catholic;
- I embrace the teachings of the Holy Father;
- I am familiar with the bylaws of *CAPP*.

I understand *CAPP*'s "specific goal is to help promote the study and diffusion of the social doctrine of the Catholic Church" in pursuance of which members agree (per **by-laws**, **art. 3**) to:

- promote informed knowledge of the social teachings of the Church and of the activity of the Holy See among qualified and socially motivated business and professional leaders;
- promote initiatives aimed at expanding the Church's effective role in all sectors of contemporary society;
- promote fund raising activities to help support the activity of the Holy See, and;

In pursuit of this I will:

- participate actively in the programs and activities of *CAPP*; providing my business and professional expertise in promoting *CAPP*'s mission and purpose;
- make an annual contribution for the support of the activities of *CAPP*;
- promote contributions in support of the activities of the Apostolic See and for the support the Holy Father's charities.

<u>Date</u>: \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_ SIGNATURE: x\_\_\_\_\_

## **SPONSOR**:

x\_\_\_\_\_ (CAPP Member)

(Print name): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## PARISH or OTHER SPONSORING PRIEST: Letter Attached