

**OKLAHOMA LAND TITLE ASSOCIATION
APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP
(Associate or Title Examiner Member)**

Type of membership sought:

_____ Associate (does not receive OLTA voting rights)

_____ Title Examiner* (does not receive OLTA voting rights)

Application fee submitted \$ _____ (see fee schedule enclosed)

1. Company/Applicant Name: _____

Physical Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

Primary Contact Name: _____

Primary Contact Email: _____

Additional Names/Email addresses to be added to the mailing/email list

Name:	Email:
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

2. If a successor to some other company, please give the name of the former company and the date the applicant company succeeded to the interests of such former company: _____

3. If a corporation, give the names and title of officers; if a partnership, give the names of the partners; if a sole proprietorship, give the name of the owner: _____

4. Are you now engaged in the following business activities:

(a) Compiling abstract of title: _____ Yes _____ No

(b) Insuring titles to land (i.e. title insurance underwriter): _____ Yes _____ No

5. If not engaged in either compiling abstracts of title, or insuring titles to land, PLEASE INDICATE ONE OR MORE of the following professions in which you are engaged:

_____ Real Estate Broker _____ Mortgage Banker

_____ Surveyor _____ Lending Institution

_____ Developer _____ Builder

_____ Title Examiner – OBA No. _____

_____ Legal Counsel (In the employment of a mortgage banking company, a life insurance company or a supervised lender [as defined in the Oklahoma Uniform Consumer Credit Code] which make loans secured by legal property)

_____ Other (Describe): _____

6. List four references, including two current, active members of the Oklahoma Land Title Association, who are totally unrelated to each other in business or otherwise, from whom we may solicit letters of recommendation, on behalf of your application:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

7. Please briefly describe the reasons you wish to belong to the Oklahoma Land Title Association:

IT IS UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED BY AND BETWEEN THE APPLICANT AND THE OKLAHOMA LAND TITLE ASSOCIATION (ASSOCIATION) THAT:

The information in this application is to be held in confidence by the Association and used only for the purpose of determination of the applicant's qualifications for membership.

Applicant certifies to the Association that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Applicant agrees, in the event of approval of this application, to abide by the By-Laws and Code of Ethics of the Association, no existing or subsequently adopted.

Signed this ____ day of _____, 20__.

CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP APPLICANT:**

COMPANY: _____ BY: _____

TITLE: _____ PHONE: _____

INDIVIDUAL APPLICANT:

NAME: _____ PHONE: _____

YES! Please contact me about being involved with one of the OLTA Committees!

*NOTE: "Title Examiner" membership applications should be submitted in the name of the individual title examiner whose practice is, to a large extent, devoted to the examination of abstracts of title.

**Corporations must list members as participating Associates.

Please Return Application to: Oklahoma Land Title Association
P.O. Box 1544
Oklahoma City, OK 73101

QUESTIONS? Call the OLTA office at 405.293.4753 or via email at Admin@oklahomalandtitle.com.
Applications may also be accessed on the OLTA website at oklahomalandtitle.com.



For over 100 years, OLTA has been making the land title industry stronger in Oklahoma. OLTA is comprised of dedicated professionals desiring to improve themselves and their businesses. Associating with individuals and companies that are the best at what they do, combined with the nurturing environment OLTA provides, creates a win-win opportunity for employees and employers.

Based in the state's capitol city, the Oklahoma Land Title Association (OLTA) is the only trade association of the land title and abstract industry in Oklahoma. Why join the OLTA team? See the reasons why OLTA membership consistently proves to be a smart investment for us in Oklahoma.

A Smart Investment to Make Your Business Stronger

Networking and Business Contacts

Long-term partnerships with your peers and to build many lasting friendships with others in our industry. We have many regularly scheduled meetings that all members of our association are welcome to attend, beginning with the Owners-Managers Meeting and Legislative Reception in February, followed by the Annual Convention in spring and the statewide meetings held in the Fall.

These meetings allow you the opportunity to discuss:

- general business practices regarding operations,
- marketing,
- settlement service issues,
- legislative issues

affecting our industry and overall business performance in the industry with others in our industry, enabling you to enhance your own business.

Every contact an employee makes is a potential asset to you and your business. As an OLTA member, an employee has access to a network of professionals in the title insurance industry and its related fields. If a tough question arises, OLTA is here to help members find the answer.

Looking Out For Your Interests at the State Capitol and Nationally

Our effective and ongoing presence at the Capitol and relationships with our regulatory boards, the Oklahoma Abstractors Board and Oklahoma Insurance Department has yielded dividends for our Association and its members. We are now perceived by the Oklahoma Legislature as a much more united voice. This has been accomplished through the dues support and personal participation of our members. On the legislative front, we must move forward to avoid falling behind. Your continued membership in the OLTA will allow the Association to continue its forward movement on your behalf.

The Oklahoma Land Title Association is an affiliate of the American Land Title Association. On the national level, the American Land Title Association (ALTA) is considered the premier expert on issues critical to the land title industry and actively represents the concerns of its members both on Capitol Hill and with regulatory agencies. ALTA works for you, the member, in Washington, D.C.!



Educational Opportunities

Throughout the year, OLTA provides many educational seminars that are available to members at a fraction of the cost you would pay as a non-member. OLTA continues to be the “*number one*” provider for continuing education courses for title insurance licensees and escrow personnel. We also provide training for abstractors, both on beginning and advanced levels. We offer education opportunities via a variety of formats including live classes, DVD rentals and webinars which can also be used for continuing education accreditation.

No matter how busy you are, your staff needs to take time out to invest in your company's professional advantage. OLTA's educational seminars provide a training ground for employees. Association programs address emerging and top-of-mind subject matter, keeping employees in touch with key industry trends and developments.

Publications and Website Information:

Our dues-paid members receive regular communications about the activities of the Association in the form of the "Titlegram." Also, in recent years, we have put out a publication called the "OLTA Directory." This is a handy guide providing information about our members and their various services. Our website address is www.oklahomalandtitle.com and is a handy resource for our members.

Cool Savings

Belonging to OLTA provides you with business opportunities at a discount rate and helps your business prosper. You get member discounts to attend all OLTA conventions, seminars, video check-out...you name it.... OLTA offers their members discounts you can count on.

Join the best of the best today!

Mission Statement:

The OLTA Mission is to establish and maintain high professional standards and ethics in the business of abstracting and title insurance.

OKLAHOMA LAND TITLE ASSOCIATION

MEMBERSHIP DUES

Effective 1/1/2003

ABTRACTOR//TITLE AGENT MEMBERS:

<u>POPULATION CATEGORY</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF DUES</u>
1) Population Greater than 250,000	\$ 1,000.00
2) Population from 115,001 to 250,000	\$ 900.00
3) Population from 50,001 to 115,000	\$ 800.00
4) Population from 30,001 to 50,000	\$ 700.00
5) Population from 15,001 to 30,000	\$ 600.00
6) Population from 10,001 to 15,000	\$ 400.00
7) Population below 10,000	\$ 300.00

UNDERWRITER MEMBERS:

<u>GROSS INCOME (Premium)</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF DUES</u>
\$0 - \$250,000	\$ 600.00
\$250,001 - \$300,000	\$ 700.00
\$300,001 - \$350,000	\$ 800.00
\$350,001 - \$400,000	\$ 900.00
\$400,001 - \$500,000	\$ 1,000.00
\$500,001 - \$750,000	\$ 1,250.00

Plus \$ 10.00 per \$ 10,000 premium above \$ 750,000, Maximum of \$ 2,500.00

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS : \$250.00