

As a non-governmental organization in public interest, our goal is to turn the standards for prevention and counteraction of corruption, civil rights, rule of law, transparency, integrity, and accountability from ideals into reality for citizens, businesses and public institutions.

For more than 25 years we have been working with representatives of civil society, academia, business, media and institutions at national and local level to promote and realize the mission of the organization. Our members are prominent individuals and experts with active civic positions and many years of work for the benefit of society.

The membership of Transparency International Bulgaria consists of natural persons with an established public position and prestige, who, through their public status and respect for it, as well as through their expert abilities, to contribute significantly to the implementation of the goals and the achievement of the objectives of the Association.

In order to apply for membership in the Association, each person is required to prepare and provide the following documents:

1. Information on enduring engagement in the field of civil rights, the rule of law, good governance and prevention and counteraction of corruption.
2. Up to date resume which includes information on education, academic work and work experience in the state or private sector/central or local administration and business, including positions, related to the protection of civic rights and freedoms.
3. A cover letter stating the motivation for applying for membership and the contribution the person expects to make to the organization and the movement.
4. Declaration of possible conflict of interests and participation in other non-governmental organizations.
5. Unconditional agreement to respect the statutes and moral and ethical rules of the Association and the movement Transparency International, as well as to strive to contribute to the achievement of the objectives and results set out in national and international strategic documents, including the strategy of Transparency International Holding Power to Account – A Global Strategy Against Corruption 2021-2030¹.

Along with the submitted documents, the candidate may be invited to present his/her ideas and objectives related to membership in the Association to the Management Board, to clarify incompleteness in the documents, as well as reputational issues as far as they are relevant to the image of the organization and the movement.

¹ [Our Strategy - The Organisation - Transparency.org](https://www.transparency.org/en/our-strategy-the-organisation)