

Advertising and Marketing Opportunities

Association for Education and Rehabilitation of the Blind and Visually Impaired (AER)

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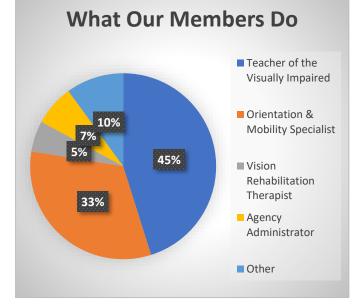


OVERVIEW

The Association for Education and Rehabilitation of the Blind and Visually Impaired (AER) is a professional membership organization dedicated exclusively to professionals who provide services to persons with vision loss. We support the professions by advocating for evidencebased practices, high quality standards, value-added resources and giving voice to issues of critical importance. We provide professional development via face-to-face conferences, virtual offerings, and publications to strengthen the knowledge, skills, and abilities of professionals within the field. AER provides networking, mentoring, connectivity, awards, and scholarships for professionals to advance excellence within the field. We ensure that persons with vision loss will have optimal gains and greater independence by giving timely, intentional, and value-added support to professionals in the field.

We can assist you with your marketing resources and will help you reach your target audience. Our members use a wide range of products and services and are looking for you!







THE AER ELEARNING CENTER



AER has put relevant courses at your fingertips, enabling individuals to keep abreast of new trends in the field, all while qualifying for continuing education hours! Consider being a sponsor of the month!

Corporate/Organizational Gold Level Sponsorship Rate: \$5,000

- Your logo prominently displayed on the AER e-learning website for thirty days.
- Two Blast emails.
- One month advertisement in monthly e-newsletter The Voice.
- Two complimentary AER Memberships (one year) for your staff (two staff members).

Corporate/Organizational Silver Level Sponsorship Rate: \$2,500

• Your logo prominently displayed on the AER e-learning website for thirty days.

THE VOICE

AER The Voice provides insightful articles with in-depth coverage of association activities, chapters, divisions, and it's members. The Voice is published monthly and distributed to our entire membership.

	Member Rate	Non-Member Rate	
Quarter Page (vertical) - 2 Months Quarter Page (vertical) - 4 Months	□ \$800 □ \$1,500 □ \$ ³	□ \$1,200 1,900	
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AER JOB EXCHANGE

The AER Job Exchange is a comprehensive online listing of job openings directed at those looking for positions that offer opportunities to provide services to or work on behalf of individuals who are blind or visually impaired. Do not miss this opportunity to get your positions in front of top candidates! Your ads will be viewed by all AER website visitors - members and those who are vision professionals in the field, through our public access.

Member Rate	Non-Member Rate
\$49 for a thirty-day posting	\$149 for a thirty-day posting
\$25 for each additional 30 days	\$75 for each additional 30 days



EMAIL BLASTS

Allow AER to do your heavy lifting! Our members are looking for your products and services, so allow us to send emails on your behalf. We can target divisions, districts, or other demographics. Contact us for more information.

Member Rate	Non-Member Rate
□ \$650	□ \$800
□ \$1,170	□ \$1,320
□ \$1,658	□ \$ 1,808
	□ \$650 □ \$1,170

AER WEBSITE (WWW.AERBVI.ORG)

The AER website (<u>www.aerbvi.org</u>) reaches the largest audience of professionals who serve those who are blind or visually impaired. Our website provides multiple portals to help individuals become more informed about resources, professionals in the field, and events occurring through the association. The AER website includes features directly geared towards year-round visibility, time-sensitive promotion, and customization. Expand upon your message by placing your business in the eyes of the community built within our profession.

	Member Rate	Non-Member Rate	
Website - 1 Month	□ \$1,000	□ \$1,800	
Website - 6 Months	□ \$3,000	□ \$5,200	
Website - 12 Months	□ \$5,000	□ \$8,800	

UPCOMING 2022 AER BIENNIAL CONFERENCE

The AER Biennial Conference Sponsorship is a great way to leverage your advertising dollars for an extended timeframe. Not only will you receive visibility during the conference, but you will also gain added exposure in conference promotions leading up to the event. A wide variety of options provide you with the flexibility to position your company in the most appropriate way. Select from our pre-packaged Platinum, Gold, Silver, or Bronze packages, or choose a wide selection of individualized sponsor opportunities. Our upcoming conference will be held in St. Louis, Missouri in July 2022. We will be providing you with further information soon!



AER Sponsorship and Advertising Form

Allow AER to promote your brand for you!

Please select the advertising or sponsorship options from the list below. Mark each selection with a check. Then, complete the entire form, and return it with payment (check or credit card information) via email to <u>michele@aerbvi.org</u> or mail to AER, 5680 King Centre Drive, Suite 600, Alexandria, VA 22315. Please check your selection(s) from the list below.

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Mailing Address:			
City, ST/ ZIP:			
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AER Website (www.aerbvi.org)

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Member Rate □ \$1,000 □ \$3,000 □ \$5,000 Non-Member Rate □ \$1,800 □ \$5,200 □ \$8,800

Upcoming 2022 AER Biennial Conference

AER's biennial conference will be held in St. Louis, MO in July 2022. More information on sponsorship, advertising and exhibiting will come soon!

Policies and Terms

- Association for Education and Rehabilitation of the Blind and Visually Impaired (AER) publications or programs will not knowingly accept advertisements that discriminate on the basis of ethnic group, race, religion, gender, sexual orientation, age, and/or disability.
- All advertising is subject to AER approval. AER reserves the right to reject advertising that is not in keeping with its standards and objectives.
- The advertiser agrees to indemnify AER and its publications against any and all liability, loss or expenses arising from claims of libel, unfair competition, unfair trade practices, infringement of trademarks, copyrights, trade names, patents or proprietary rights or violation of rights of privacy resulting from the publication of the advertiser's ad.
- Requests for placement of advertising will be honored whenever possible.
- AER shall not be liable for slight changes or typographical errors that do not lessen the value of an advertisement.

Agreement and Signature

I have read and agree to abide by the requirements and regulations of the stated advertising policies and terms.

Name	Signature		Date			
Payment: Payment	Payment: Payment must be submitted in full along with this Advertising Contract.					
□ Check made	payable to AER for \$		USD			
□ Charge \$	USD on:	□Visa	□MasterCard	□AMEX	Discover	
Card Number						
Expiration Date						
Signature						

Keep a copy of this contract for your files and forward to: michele@aerbvi.org

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