



Join a Chapter

Self-Serve

Find the chapter that will work best for you.

1. Go to [Find a Chapter](#)

Click on the [Find a Chapter](#) tab. You can look at meeting locations, dates, time and view professions filled.

2. Search for a Chapter

Visit the chapter website.

- Verify your profession is open.

Location is important.

- Close to home makes early morning meetings easier.
- Close to the office allows you to network afterwards and still get to work on time.
- Some members join a chapter that will help them create clientele in a new area.

What about size?

Chapters vary in size. And each chapter is unique. The only way to find the chapter that is a good fit for you and your company is to visit the chapter!

- Smaller chapters present you with a great opportunity to build close relationships with existing members. And when you join a smaller chapter, you can include others that you know, like and trust on your team.
- Larger chapters provide you a great opportunity; usually if you are in a specialty profession that is not already taken. It may take you longer to build relationships with all the members in the chapter.

3. Contact the chapter's Leadership Team

- Contact the President and Vice President. We recommend you send an email also make a phone call to both the President and Vice President.
- Let them know when you plan to visit.
- Ask them to make arrangements to introduce you to chapter members in your contact sphere when you visit.

4. Visit the chapter

- Arrive early.
- Bring lots of business cards.
- When you visit, verify that your profession is open.

5. Submit your application when you visit

Turn in your application to the Vice President or a Visitor Host when you visit the meeting.

If you can't find a vacancy, fill out the form to the right and "Let us Help You" join a chapter.

Let us Help You

You may want personal assistance to find the perfect chapter. We are happy to step you through the process.

1. Fill in the on-line form

Fill in the information fields as best as you can. The more information you provide, the easier it will be for our Chapter Placement Department to assist you quickly. Please double-check your email address so we can respond in a timely manner.

2. Wait for a response from our office

A Chapter Placement Specialist will contact you with recommendations. Your placement specialist will also supply chapter Leadership Team contact information.

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Follow-up

When you join a chapter, please let your placement specialist know that you no longer require assistance.

Your placement specialist will continue to follow up with you until you find a chapter that will work for you.

If you can't find an opening for your profession...

If you can't find an opening for your profession, you may want to find out how to form your own BNI chapter. New chapters form all the time! Your placement specialist will help you learn how to form your own chapter.

Please let us know how your visit went.