

# Why should I be a member of the Piano Technicians Guild?

**Become a member of the Piano Technicians Guild. Join an association committed to helping you reach your professional and financial goals.**

**Request a membership packet online at [www.ptg.org](http://www.ptg.org) or by calling (913) 432-9975.**

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**Become a part of the world's largest organization of professional piano technicians.**



## Connect with others in your profession

You'll become part of a vast network of individuals and organizations that work together towards industry goals. The Piano Technicians Guild (PTG) consists of individuals who service pianos in homes and concert halls, studio technicians, rebuilders, designers, manufacturers, retailers, and hobbyists. Anyone 18 years of age or older is eligible to join.

Communicate with other professional technicians through local chapter activities, online discussion groups, seminars and conferences.

## Invest in yourself

You'll look forward each month to receiving your copy of the *Piano Technicians Journal*. Find technical information ranging from small tips for everyday use to advance instruction in tuning, repairing and rebuilding pianos.

You'll receive timely information on piano manufacturing as well as tuning and servicing techniques that will show you how to use your time more efficiently. Take advantage of a variety of print and online educational resources designed to give you the personal knowledge and skills you need to become a successful professional.



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## Become an RPT

Join PTG and you will immediately be eligible to take the exams to become a Registered Piano Technician (RPT.)

In order to establish a standard for acceptable piano service, PTG has designed a comprehensive series of exams that test tuning, repair and regulation skills.

Recognized around the world, the RPT designation is awarded to members qualified to service instruments in homes, institutions and performance. Only members of PTG are eligible to become an RPT.

## Grow your Business

You'll have a direct line to both technical and business development experts through seminars, publications and online discussion groups.

Shop in the PTG Store for business forms, reference guides, study materials, apparel and other items. Take advantage of insurance plans specifically designed for your business. Access discounts on other business services and publications. Learn how to better manage your business, find job listings and increase your career opportunities.

## The Pianos Technicians Guild, Inc. is the world's largest gathering of professional piano technicians

Formed in 1957 by the merger of the American Society of Piano Technicians, and the National Association of Piano Tuners, the PTG is organized to promote the highest possible service and technical standards among piano tuners and technicians. All PTG members agree to conform to a strict code of conduct and set of ethical standards to ensure the integrity of the organization.

More than 3,500 members belong to approximately 145 chapters located throughout North America with international members representing over 40 other countries.

PTG sponsors the world's largest gathering of professional piano technicians. The annual convention is the premier place where technicians from around the world come together to share their knowledge, skills and experiences. Additional educational opportunities are available through the PTG Home Office, local chapter meetings and seminars, and regional conferences.