



Membership Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone (cell): _____

Email Address: _____

Graduates of the IISHJ Rabbinic Program need only apply with information above and your signature and date at the bottom of this application.

Membership Category

There are three memberships categories: full member, affiliate member, and student member. See explanation of membership categories in [bylaws](#).

Which category of membership are you applying for? _____

Employment

Present Employer: _____

Title: _____ Years in position: _____

If you are currently affiliated with another Rabbinical Association, please indicate which one(s)

Education and Degrees

Please forward documentation of all graduate degrees received. A scan, photo, or photocopy will suffice.

Undergraduate Degree(s): _____

College or University: _____

Graduate Degree(s): _____

College or University: _____

Rabbinical Training

Please forward documentation of ordination and an informal transcript or list of courses taken to support or enhance your rabbinical training.

Date and Institution of Ordination: _____

References

Please submit two letters of reference. One should be from a current AHR Member, a graduate of an IISHJ professional program (Leader of Officiant), or a lay leader with at least five years of membership in the Secular Humanistic Jewish movement, except under special circumstances. The second should be from someone who knows you professionally.

Essay

Please forward at least 500 words

Why have you chosen Humanistic Judaism? Describe your ideological journey, and why you identify as a Secular Humanistic Rabbi.

I hereby apply for membership in the Association of Humanistic Rabbis, and if accepted I agree to abide by its [bylaws](#) and [code of ethics](#).

Signature

Date

Please submit completed application online and send to AHR Membership Chair along with supporting documentation to:

Rabbi Miriam Jerris
Membership Chair, AHR
rabbi@shj.org