

# THE POWER OF MRC MEMBERSHIP

When you join the MRC, you open the door to a dynamic community of professionals who are shaping the future of payments and fraud prevention and working toward safe and profitable eCommerce. The power of MRC membership lies in staying connected, current, and empowered to influence and transform the industry.

Our thriving community welcomes merchants, solution providers, issuers, law enforcement, card brands, and ancillary companies who all work together to fight fraud and drive progress in the payments industry.

### **EXPAND YOUR NETWORK**

The MRC fosters an environment for open conversation, collaboration, information sharing, learning, and networking. Connect with your peers to reimagine the fraud and payments landscape.

## **MAKE YOUR VOICE HEARD**

Advocacy is immensely important to MRC members as the payments industry becomes more regulated than ever before. We are guided by our mission to advocate for our members' interests on a global scale, empower you to be informed, compliant, competitive, and make your voice heard where it counts.

#### **INVEST IN PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

Manage your professional development in ways that closely align with your career goals and objectives and make a positive impact on your career.

#### **ENHANCE YOUR KNOWLEDGE**

MRC members have access to a content-rich resource center and a myriad of educational tools — from online courses, webinars, presentations, case studies, white papers, weekly newsletters, industry analyses, and reports, to best practices and knowledge sharing through discussion boards and community calls.



Demonstrate thought leadership and expertise with contributions to the MRC Blog and Resource Center.



Leverage member priority for conference, event, and Rapid Edu sponsorship opportunities.

INDUSTRY PARTNER MEMBER BENEFITS	W	SUERS	ICILLARY RVICES	GULATORS
NETWORKING & EVENTS	*	*	*	*
Unlimited number of subscribers per member organization	•	•	•	•
Registration and discounts at MRC conferences and events	•	•	•	•
Potential speaking opportunities across MRC programs	•	•	•	•
MRC Communities portal and Slack Workspace access	•	•	•	•
Exclusive access to MRC merchant-only community groups	•	•	n/a	n/a
Unlimited complimentary registrations to MRC Virtual Summits and networking events	•	•	•	•
EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT				
MRC Resource Center access	•	•	•	•
Discounted pricing on RAPID Edu eLearning Courses and CPFPP certification	•	•	•	•
MRC Mentor Program participation	•	٠	•	•
Post to MRC LinkedIn Job Board	•	٠	•	•
MARKETING & PROMOTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES				
Author original, authentic content for MRC blog	•	•	•	•
Unlimited submissions of news articles and member-hosted events	•	•	•	•
Educational member-hosted webinars	•	•	n/a	n/a
Brand exposure and lead generation through sponsored MRC Education eLearning courses	•	•	•	•
ADVOCACY & LEADERSHIP				

- ★ Law Enforcement membership eligibility requirements apply: 1) Must be a government organization, entity, or public body specializing in the analysis, investigation, and prosecution of eCommerce crime. 2) Application subject to a selective screening process.
- ★ Issuers membership eligibility requirements apply: 1) Must be a financial institution offering one or more branded consumer payment methods to transact with eCommerce merchants in accordance with applicable laws and regulations. 2) Is compliant with governmental credit or debit regulations defined by the country in which it operates. 3) Is not an MRC member also representing the brand as a solution provider.
- ★ Ancillary Services membership eligibility requirements apply: 1) Must provide industry-related expertise and does not sell in-house payment, risk, or security solutions to merchants. 2) Is not a membership organization focused on payments, risk, fraud, or similar to the Merchant Risk Council. 3) Not eligible to sponsor MRC conferences and events.
- ★ Regulators membership eligibility requirements apply: 1) The individual or entity represents a government authority whose role is to supervise regulated organizations in the payments industry. 2) The individual or entity has a prescribed regulatory focus on eCommerce fraud prevention and risk.

Eligible for participation in Committees

**ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FEES** 

**FREE** 

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\$2,500\*\* \$2,500

<sup>\*\*</sup>Ancillary membership fee will increase to \$3,000 annually, beginning January 2025.