

U.S. Christian Chamber of Commerce: Directory Notice

Be listed in our Christian Chambers Directory, so that people can find you and join the movement!

Become A Christian Chambers Directory Contributor!

All Christian Chambers or Christian Business Associations operating like a Christian Chamber and listed in our U.S. Christian Chamber of Commerce (USC3) directory, have expressed their alignment with our mission to build Kingdom, business, and community.

As part of the USC3 national network of Christian Chambers, a Christian Chamber operating on a state, regional or city level in the US can become a USC3 Directory Contributor.

All Christian Chambers listed in our directory agree to the following growth and community conditions and principles:

- Invite the Holy Spirit to be woven into the fiber and DNA of their Christian Chamber;
- Operate in an open, transparent and professionally-run chamber;
- Allow members to convene by hosting at least 1 Christian Chamber event per month;
- Keep an active directory for members to create Kingdom Commerce;
- Require all members to agree to a statement of faith;
- Create balance between business training, networking, and teaching and encouraging business that is based on faith and is honoring to God, while looking for opportunities to integrate business with faith at all events.
- At a minimum, commit to begin and end **all** chamber-related events with prayer;
- Create a serve-one-another atmosphere which is conducive to building relationships and creating a “know you, like you, pray for you, trust you, and do business with you” community culture;
- Be a neutral convener, inviting all to gather and build relationships equally without favoring or aligning with any one business or person;
- Operate with a Biblical Worldview, rather than a worldly ideology;
- Encourage members to vote Biblical values in their communities, states and country, regardless of political affiliations. The Christian Chamber or CBA agrees to be nonpartisan and nondenominational with Christ at the center of it all;
- Actively seek growth in membership, skills and spiritual depth;
- Participate in our national USC3 Christian Chamber Coalition virtual meetings.

We invite other Christian Chambers to join us in building Kingdom, business and community and to become a USC3 Directory Contributor!

**U.S. Christian Chamber of Commerce:
Directory Contributor Agreement**

THIS AGREEMENT is effective from the date signed by both parties, and is entered into between:

US Christian Chamber of Commerce, incorporated under the laws of the state of Florida, reg. no _____, with its registered address at _____ (referred to here as "**USC3**"); and

_____, incorporated under the laws of the state of _____, reg. no. _____ with its registered address at _____ and which is the Christian Chamber Directory Partner Organization (hereinafter called "the **USC3 Directory Contributor**");

which do hereby consent and agree to enter into this Agreement, including the bylaws template and statement of faith template mentioned below which forms an integral part of this Agreement.

USC3 AGREES TO THESE TERMS AND PROVISIONS, AND THE USC3 DIRECTORY CONTRIBUTOR AGREES TO THESE TERMS AND PROVISION BY INDICATING ITS AGREEMENT TO THE PROVISIONS BELOW:

1. USC3 Directory Listing Opportunity

The provisions below represent the terms under which the US Christian Chamber of Commerce offers to your Christian Chamber (or Christian Business Associations operating like a Christian Chamber) the opportunity to be listed in our USC3 Directory. By accepting this offer, your Christian Chamber as a USC3 Directory Contributor aligns with USC3's mission to build Kingdom, business, and community.

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2. Requirements and Conditions for a USC3 Directory Contributor

As with all other Christian Chambers listed in the USC3 directory, your Christian Chamber or equivalent as a USC3 Directory Contributor agrees to the following:

- a. Invite the Holy Spirit to be woven into the fiber and DNA of your Christian Chamber;
- b. Operate in an open and transparent professionally-run chamber, including having a minimum of 4 Directors on your Board of Directors (no more than 33% can be related persons);

- c. Operate with bylaws (see our template);
- d. Allow members to convene by hosting at least 1 Christian Chamber event per month;
- e. Keep an active directory for members to create Kingdom Commerce;
- f. Require all members to agree to a statement of faith (see our template);
- g. Create balance between business training, networking, and teaching and encouraging business that is based on faith and is honoring to God, while looking for opportunities to integrate business with faith at all events;
- h. At a minimum, commit to begin and end **all** chamber-related events with prayer;
- i. Create a serve-one-another atmosphere which is conducive to building relationships and creating a “know you, like you, pray for you, trust you, and do business with you” community culture;
- j. Be a neutral convener, inviting all to gather and build relationships equally without favoring or aligning with any one business or person. Sponsoring partners are allowed and encouraged;
- k. Operate with a Biblical Worldview, rather than a worldly ideology;
- l. Encourage your Chamber members to vote Biblical values in their communities, states and country, regardless of political affiliations. The Christian Chamber or CBA agrees to be a nonpartisan and nondenominational based organization with Christ at the center of it all.
- m. Right of first refusal - if you decide you want to close your C3, you agree to provide formal notification to the USC3 rather than allow it to naturally attrit;
- n. Actively seek growth in membership, skills and spiritual depth.
- o. Attend at least 50% of our USC3 Christian Chamber Coalition virtual meetings with representation from your chamber leadership.
- p. Arrange for one or more of your members to attend the annual USC3 Expo workshop.

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3. Training from USC3

The C3 Directory Contributor undertakes to participate in the regular virtual USC3 Christian Chamber Coalition meetings, which trains all members in the keys to successful chambers, addresses legal, membership, sponsorship, events and related functions, builds relationships and referrals between chambers and their members for the development of business locally, nationally and internationally, and contributes to raising the integrity and professionalism and utility of the member Christian Chambers. Executive leadership of the C3 Directory Contributor agrees to attend, cooperate and contribute to this training and the instructions of USC3 as described.

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4. Termination of USC3 Directory Listing

If the Board of Directors of the C3 Directory Contributor fails to act upon the requirements of this Agreement and the instructions of USC3 as described in this Agreement, the C3 Directory Contributor shall be held in breach of this Agreement and USC3 will be entitled to terminate this Agreement at its sole discretion. In the event of the termination of this Agreement, the C3 Directory Contributor agrees to remove all mentions of affiliation and membership with USC3 and the C3 Directory Contributor shall remove all copies of the USC3 logo and references to the USC3 name from its websites, social media and related informational and marketing materials.

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5. Resolution of Disagreements or Disputes

The Parties agree to resolve any disagreements, claims or disputes in accordance with biblical principles, and particularly Matthew 18 and 1 Corinthians 6, utilizing three steps of Biblical dispute resolution, specifically a direct meeting, if necessary a meeting with a third person to mediate, and if still necessary a binding meeting with a Christian arbitrator. Any need for interpretation of this AGREEMENT shall be governed by the laws of the State of Florida, and any necessary meetings shall be held in Orlando, Florida unless otherwise agreed.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties enter into this Agreement the day and the year written below.

By signing below, the person signing on behalf of the C3 Directory Contributor confirms that they are fully authorized to agree hereto and to sign this Agreement with full and binding effect using the e-signature below. By signing this agreement, you acknowledge and agree that possible audits of the terms of this agreement may be conducted at any time.

C3 Directory Contributor Organization Name: _____

Authorized Signatory Name: _____

Signatory's Title: _____

Date: _____