

## Connecting to the community - (membership) options

We want to enable different ways of connecting within the community, in order to meet the diversity of connections that people have with the community. This also means that we use different types of membership.

### 1. Visitor to the platform

Our 'digital basecamp' (online platform) is freely accessible to everyone all over the world and is a place where visitors feel welcome and where they can easily find their way. It's a place where people get inspired to think and act as planetary citizens while getting to know more about TCI. Visitors do not pay for visiting the basecamp – for members this basecamp is a way to show TCI and themselves to the world (one of the needs that have been expressed in the exploratory conversations).

- We would like to make literature and articles publicly available here (see leading principles, open & inclusive, showing TCI to the world), as long as its authors have given consent.

### 2. Participant in meetups

Planetary citizens who participate in an (online) meetup that involves costs, pay for access and participation. The organizing circle determines the amount and makes the budget and realization transparent.

### 3. Members of the Hybrid TCI community

As a paying member of the community they receive::

- All the meetups
- A say in the distribution of revenue (budget) for community initiatives and current community affairs

### 4. Member of the Hybrid TCI community *including* membership of RCI international

The same as in 3. but moreover being a member of RCI international via the formal association within this community and thus receive:

- The magazine of RCI international
- Voting rights within RCI International
- Discounts on courses and training as offered through RCI International and RCI contracted teachers and institutes

### 5. Donor that cares about the community

Anyone who wishes can donate to the community or purchase an attractive item (merchandising), of which a part of the proceeds will go to the community. There will be a donation button on the digital basecamp (the amount can be chosen by the donator).

## *Levels of contribution*

For participants with membership (3. and 4.) we use - as was usual - three levels for contribution, depending on income (register yourself, no control on this)

Low income < € 14.000,- per year: €90 (2019: €115)

Middle income € 14.000,- - € 27.000,- : €110 (2019: €140)

High income > € 27.000,-: €130 (2019: € 170)

We must substantiate the amount with a budget overview.

In addition, according to the statutes, it remains possible to individually make an arrangement with the treasurer of the coordination team, who can determine the amount of the contribution 'without consultation' for individual members who for reasons of their own cannot pay the full membership amount.

NB. Remittance of each member to RCI International is €70 (possibly more in the future).