



Membership application for Akademikernas a-kassa

Send your application to Akademikernas a-kassa Fe 55 930 88 Arjeplog

The fastest way to apply is at akademikernasakassa.se

First name and surname		Personal ID number (yyymmdd-xxxx) _____	
Address		Postal code and city	
c/o	Phone number	Email	

1 APPLICATION FOR

- Membership
- Transferring unemployment insurance fund
- Membership after working abroad

2 MY EMPLOYMENT

- I am currently working/have previously worked in Sweden
- I am currently working abroad: _____
Country
- I am currently unemployed
- I am currently on sick/parental leave

Employee – I work/have worked for: _____
Name of employer and town

Self-employed – I work/have worked in my own business: _____
Corporate identification number

3 MY EDUCATION / ACADEMIC LEVEL

- I have a minimum of 180 credits.
- I am currently studying towards a minimum of 180 credits.
- I have studied abroad and have an academic degree equivalent to a minimum of 180 credits.
Country: _____ University: _____ Degree: _____
- I am/have been enrolled in Akademikernas a-kassa / a Saco trade union or Vårdförbundet (state which):

4 SIGNATURE

I confirm that the information provided in my application is correct. I give my consent to Akademikernas a-kassa to obtain information on previous membership in other unemployment insurance funds. (Please note that your details will be data processed.)

Date	Signature
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INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR MEMBERSHIP

In order to become a member of Akademikernas a-kassa you must fulfil certain academic and work requirements.

You fulfil our academic requirements if you have a minimum of 180 credits from a university or similar institution of higher education (equivalent to 3 year full time studies). Students can also join if currently studying towards a minimum of 180 credits. If necessary, foreign qualifications can be validated by The Swedish Council for Higher Education (UHR). You also fulfil the academic requirement if you are a member of one of the Saco trade unions (Swedish Confederation of Professional Associations) or Vårdförbundet (The Swedish Association of Health Professionals).

You fulfil the work requirement if you are currently working in Sweden or if your most recent employment was in Sweden. Regardless of what type of employment or profession you have or have had, you can still join Akademikernas a-kassa.

Assuming the required conditions are met, membership will be granted from the first day of the month in which your application is received.

Academic level

If you are (or have been) a member of one of the Saco trade unions or Vårdförbundet, please state which one. If so, you fulfil our academic requirements and no additional information about your education is needed.

You fulfil our academic requirements if you have acquired 180 credits or are currently studying towards 180 credits. Please state where you have studied, which programme and how many credits you have acquired.

If you are currently studying, please state when you enrolled and when you expect to have acquired at least 180 credits.

If you studied abroad, please specify where you studied and which degree you have. If you are unsure if your education is equivalent to 180 credits or not, do not hesitate to contact us on 08-412 33 00 or contact UHR directly for a validation of your foreign qualifications.

My employment

You fulfil the work requirement if you are working in Sweden. Even if you are not currently working, you can become a member if your most recent employment was in Sweden. Please state your occupation, for example if you are studying, unemployed or on parental leave.

Regardless of your profession, it is important that you state information about your current or most recent employment. If you are self-employed, please state the name of your company.

If you work as a PhD or as a researcher, please state information about the funding of your employment. An employment financed by scholarship or study grant is regarded as studies and not as employment. If you receive 100 percent scholarship or study grant, or a combination of salary and scholarship/study grant, please contact us on 08-412 33 00 for more information.

If your most recent employment was abroad, please state in which country you have worked. Please contact us on 08-412 33 00 for more information.

Switch to us

If you are switching unemployment insurance fund, you need to contact your current unemployment fund and terminate your membership with them. Send in your membership application to us at the same time. The membership from your former unemployment fund will be included in the transfer if your switch is made without interruption.

We can assist you with the termination of your current unemployment fund. Please fill in the form *Fullmakt* (Power of attorney) and send the original copy to us as soon as possible. You do not need to contact your current unemployment fund. We will make sure the switch is made without an interruption.

As soon as you are granted membership with us, you will receive a membership certificate by post.

Am I entitled to unemployment benefit if I become unemployed?

To be entitled to unemployment benefit, you must be registered at Arbetsförmedlingen and meet the work requirement for unemployment benefit. Please read more about how to qualify for unemployment benefit on akademikernasakassa.se.

Is there anything you would like to add to your application of membership?

If you would like to send additional information, please write a note and attach it to your application

QUESTIONS?

Contact us at
[medlem@
akademikernasakassa.se](mailto:medlem@akademikernasakassa.se)

or

08-412 33 00