

## **Adopted Membership fees of Xchange Now e.V.**

1. The membership fee rules are created based on the regulations in § 6 of the statutes of Xchange Now e.V..
2. Xchange Now e.V. depends on the complete and punctual payment of its members' contributions in order to fulfill its statutory tasks. With this in mind, the founding assembly of Xchange Now e.V. decided on 23.02.2023 to adopt these membership fee rules.
3. The annual membership fee for regular members is 120 Euro.
4. The reduced annual membership fee for members younger than 18 years, pupils, trainees, and students is 60 Euro.
5. Honorary members are exempt from paying dues.
6. In cases of social hardship, a change in the amount and/or payment modalities can be requested. The application is to be directed with appropriate proofs to the Executive board, which decides on this with simple majority. Appropriate proof must be submitted for the reduced membership fee.
7. Members who join Xchange Now e.V. after adoption of the membership fee regulations will be handed over the membership fee regulations together with the declaration of membership.
8. The amount of the membership fees shall be determined by the General Assembly of Members by resolution. The membership fees apply in each case from the quarter following the general assembly in which the membership fees were decided.
9. Members who newly join the association in the months of July to December shall pay half the annual dues in the year of joining.
10. Fees are collected annually on January 1 of the current year. Fees may be paid quarterly, semi-annually or annually. In case of resignation or expulsion from the Association, fees already paid will not be refunded.
11. Members who have not given the association a SEPA direct debit mandate will receive an invoice which must be paid within 14 days of receipt. Reminder fees will be charged for late payment of membership fees.
12. Members who have given the association a SEPA direct debit mandate are responsible for ensuring that the account specified has the appropriate coverage when the fees are collected. In the event of a chargeback, the member will be charged for the costs incurred.
13. Members shall notify the Executive Board immediately in writing of any changes of personal address or banking account. The notification shall be addressed to the Executive Board. Should the association incur costs due to late or non-notified changes, these will be charged to the member.
14. The membership fee does not cover costs (e.g. course fees, entrance fees, etc.) for special events of the Association.