

## Get Involved

Our Committees and Conferences are where members meet to help develop TIA policies and discuss specific industry issues. Committees and Conferences are open to all members, meet regularly via conference call, and offer a unique opportunity to contribute to TIA efforts and shape the future of your industry.

### Conference Committees

- Airfreight & International Logistics
- Highway Logistics
- Intermodal Logistics

### TIA Committees and Working Groups

- Environmental & Hazardous Material Subcommittee
- CSA-Carrier Selection Framework
- C-TPAT Subcommittee
- Government Freight Work Group
- Operations Committee
- Fraud Task Force
- Legal Committee
- Communications Committee
- Education Committee
- Membership Committee
- Programs Committee
- Veterans Hiring Initiative

### LEARN MORE ABOUT GETTING INVOLVED

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## Why Are You TIA?

Being a member of the TIA since 2007 has been electrifying. The TIA has tons of ways that they help us through their lawyers, the consortium, to frameworks, to contracts, to education, knowledge and awareness. Most importantly the friendships I have made along the way.

Being on the board of the TIA and chairing the membership committee has been a contribution in my life. Working with the staff and being in D.C. and seeing policies change has been amazing. 2023 will be a great year with a great association like the TIA in our corner.

*Jim Becker*  
Chairman - CEO  
Becker Logistics (Member since 2007)

Through our membership with TIA, we've connected with numerous like-minded 3PL companies. This has provided us with an opportunity to learn about new technology, industry tools and resources available to our company from various members. We've grown while being members of the TIA through the education courses and committees available for our organization to be active participants – specifically the Education Committee and PAC Committee.

We appreciate the continuous communication and support of the TIA Staff Members – everyone is eager to assist us with our needs as 3PL Professionals. Each staff member wants to learn more about our individual companies and how to support us in every way possible.

*Cori J. Eckley, CTB*  
Vice President  
NATCO TRANSPORT (Member since 2013)



## Make the Most of Your Membership

As the trade association for the 3PL industry, our strength is our members and our passion (or focus) is providing resources and services that help you grow your business.

**TIA model contracts, frameworks, and journals** are created from the collective insights of industry experts and are regularly updated to reflect the latest trends. These resources are included with membership and can save your company thousands of dollars and countless hours of work every year.

**TIA Education courses and seminars** provide invaluable continuing education for logistics professionals of all types and experience levels. As a member, your company receives a significant discount on all of our courses and conferences.

**The TIA Advocacy team** works on behalf of your company and our entire industry to help shape the regulations that affect your business and make sure that your voice is heard by lawmakers.

Whether you are new to the organization or have been a member for years, we encourage you to take advantage of all of your valuable TIA member benefits. Join us on our weekly new member orientation call, visit the Members Only section of [tianet.org](http://tianet.org), or contact us at any time to find out more about how you can make the most of your membership.





# Stand Out in Your Industry with Resources Built for 3PLs

## Member Benefits

### Networking

Members have opportunities to network via TIA Connect, the member directory, and in-person meetings and events. Being part of the TIA community not only lends credibility to member companies, but provides opportunities to ask questions, share experiences and strategies, and grow individual networks.

### TIA Model Contracts

Developed and reviewed by a team of transportation attorneys, our model contracts are ready to use, save you thousands in legal fees, and help ensure that you are properly protecting your business.

- Broker-Shipper
- Broker-Carrier
- Co-Brokering
- Intermodal-Broker
- Broker-Shipper for Produce
- Freight Forwarder-Shipper

### Frameworks

TIA Frameworks are created in conjunction with industry experts in order to give you recommended best practices on running your business and making the right call in tough situations.

- Carrier Selection
- Cargo Claims
- Government Freight
- Combating Fraud
- The Fair Labor Standards Act

### TIA Marketplace

TIA Marketplace is where members connect! Marketplace provides access to useful resources, and a centralized repository of TIA's suite of publications—all in one place, with access to the following:

- Technology
- Business Services
- Industry Resources
- Vendor & Thought Leaders
- Industry News
- Archived Headlines
- TIA Events
- New Marketplace Digest

### FIATA Affiliation

TIA is the only U.S. member of FIATA (International Federation of Freight Forwarders Association), representing the professional 3PL industry in every country around the globe.



- Affiliation with more than 40,000 3PL companies – one of the largest professional networks in the world
- Eligibility to become an individual member of FIATA, with listing in their online membership directory
- Maintain status for your FIATA group bond with TIA membership

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### TIA Conference

TIA Conferences allow 3PLs to gather, explore the challenges facing our industry, discuss solutions, and learn about new ways to grow their businesses.

- Focused solely on the 3PL industry
- Network with member companies of all types and sizes
- Informative education sessions built specifically around the needs of 3PLs

*Join us for our Annual Conference held in April and Technovations Conference held in October.*

### TIA WatchDog

Using data reported by more than 3,400 users across the country, TIA Watchdog allows you to review carriers for problems and avoid becoming a victim of fraud. Watchdog is a free service provided to all TIA members.

- View reports of unauthorized re-brokering
- Avoid having loads held hostage
- Know who has back solicited shippers
- Check for history of canceling or no-shows

### TIA Bond

TIA Bond offers you unparalleled surety protection with coverage options of \$75,000, \$100,000 and \$250,000.

- TIA Bond logo on load boards lets you stand out to shippers
- Comprehensive claim support not found with cut-rate bond programs
- Save on your bond as a TIA member

### TIA Education

TIA offers the most extensive and convenient continuing education programs for the 3PL community. Classes and seminars are based on the real-world experiences of industry leaders, and are available 24/7 with open enrollment to fit your busy schedule.

- Certified Transportation Broker
- Partnership Selling in the Supply Chain
- New Broker Course
- Ethics in Transportation Brokerage
- Temperature Control Transport
- Free monthly webinars, and more

### TIA Advocacy

TIA's Government Affairs team works hard to make sure that our members' voices are heard by lawmakers at the state and federal level.

- Regular meetings with members of Congress to help shape bills that affect the transportation industry
- TIAPAC, our bipartisan political action committee, enables members to have a unified and powerful voice with legislators
- Annual TIA Fly-in to Washington D.C. lets members meet in person with representatives on Capitol Hill

**CENTER OF THE SUPPLY CHAIN**

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