USC Aiken Pacer Travel Club
Application for 2019 - 2020

Our Goal: Unite like-minded people who enjoy continuous learning with a desire to explore the world of travel in a friendly, socially responsible manner. The Club is heavily focused on fun and cultural expansion, both domestically and internationally.

Benefits:

Club Benefits
The Pacer Travel Club is 5 years young and continues to evolve, primarily based on member feedback. Meetings are conducted periodically throughout the year with the purpose of providing learning opportunities, travel offerings and social networking. Members are encouraged to attend, and provide input. Examples of annual club benefits:

- An exclusive signature trip hosted by the Chancellor (or USC Aiken staff)
- 2-3 day/short getaway trips and 2-3 week long journeys are offered
- Guest speakers from the University and the travel industry
- Meet & mingles to share past experiences and discuss future destinations
- Informational emails on travel topics and current trends
- Pre-travel ‘know before you go’ sessions

Travel Benefits
Travel services are provided by The Travel Mechanic, a registered agency with locations in Aiken, SC and Raleigh, NC. The Travel Mechanic will give members benefits on club sponsored group trips. Benefits and amenities vary depending upon trip type, length and cost, as governed by our travel suppliers. Examples of some amenities we may provide:

- Group pricing
- Pre-paid gratuities
- Ship board credits
- Private on board cocktail parties
- Pre-night hotel
- Airport parking credits
- Airport transfer credits
- Excursion credits
- Ability to purchase travel insurance (annual plans also available)
- Family and friends are welcome to travel with the club at the same rate

Similarly, benefits are provided for personal trips booked through the agency. Travel concierge services are offered for members’ individual vacations at no cost.

Club Member Cost:

$55 per person or $95 per couple per year (July 1 to June 30 of each year)

Name (s): ____________________________
Address: ____________________________
Phone: ____________________________ Email: ____________________________

☐ I’ve enclosed by check made payable to Aiken Partnership for $ _________

Please bill my: ☐ MasterCard ☐ Visa ☐ Discover ☐ American Express

Account Number: ____________________________ Expiration Date: ________

Signature: ____________________________

Please make checks payable to the Aiken Partnership and return to:
Mary Driscoll, University of South Carolina Aiken
471 University Parkway, Aiken, South Carolina 29801