The vision of the California Escrow Association (CEA) is to empower and support escrow settlement agents through our commitment to the professional and personal growth of the escrow practitioner.

For their pursuit of continuing education, every member of CEA shall have the opportunity to participate in and receive timely and relevant information through modern technology and traditional methods.

For the needs of our diverse membership, CEA shall identify and address both state and national challenges that affect the escrow practitioner. CEA shall provide a forum for problem solving and strategic advocacy to seek resolution to these issues.

CEA will cultivate mutually beneficial policies and procedures for the protection of its members, consumers, and related real estate industries.

Current Regional Associations

Alameda  Orange
Antelope  Redwood Empire
Bay Area  Riverside
Central Coast  Sacramento
Central Valley  San Diego
Desert  San Fernando
East Bay  San Gabriel
High Desert  San Joaquin
Kern  Santa Barbara
Long Beach  Santa Clarita
Los Angeles  Tri-County
Marin  Ventura
North San Diego
North State

Benefits of Membership in the California Escrow Association
The California Escrow Association is a statewide organization for professional escrow practitioners founded in 1956.

The organization is dedicated to maintaining the highest standards in escrow through continuing education and legislative advocacy.

For more information regarding the California Escrow Association or to learn more about the California escrow process, please visit www.ceaescrow.org, call (916) 239-4075 or return the form in this brochure to the CEA Office in Sacramento.

Annual Education Conference held each fall offering educational workshops and prominent speakers designed to keep you informed on what’s new in the escrow field.

Comprehensive Web site offering a myriad of information to escrow professionals, including association-specific material, helpful industry-related links, forms, educational classes including notary certification, alerts, newsflashes, plus a CEA store and webmall. Visit www.ceaescrow.org.

Exchange of Ideas and Education through local regional meetings with prominent speakers and updates from your elected representatives on the CEA state board, who meet several times each year and report back to you.

The CEA NEWS, a quarterly publication full of educational articles written by knowledgeable professionals in escrow and related fields.

Representation in Sacramento by a professional legislative advocate. CEA members have a voice that is heard by your elected representatives.

A Professional, on-going public relations program directed at creating an awareness and appreciation of escrow work among escrow practitioners, the general public, members of allied industries and your legislators.

Professional Designations; CEA offers the only statewide program for professional designation of escrow practitioners based on comprehensive examination.

The elite of CEA's education honors are its Professional Designations. With professional demands and compensation in the workplace increasing every day, earning a CEA Professional Designation has become a vital tool for success and recognition in the escrow profession. After successfully completing the appropriate exam, as well as meeting other experience and/or education requirements, CEA members can earn one or more of the following designations:

- Certified Senior Escrow Officer (CSEO)
- Certified Escrow Officer (CEO)
- Certified Escrow Instructor (CEI)
- Certified Escrow Technician (CET)
- Certified Mobilehome Specialist (CMHS)
- Certified Bulk Sales Specialist (CBSS)

To stay on top of the ever-changing escrow industry, Professional Designation holders are required to earn continuing education credits and maintain membership status in CEA as a requirement of the designations. This demonstrates to the public and colleagues that Professional Designation holders are the most knowledgeable and well-educated escrow practitioners.

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