General Membership Criteria

- 1. **Syrian Heritage**: Members must have Syrian heritage to become a member. People with significant connections to Syria are considered. Members can be from any geographical location but should have a vested interest in Syrian affairs.
- 2. Age Requirement: Members must be at least 18 years old.
- 3. **Commitment to Mission**: Members should demonstrate a commitment to the network's mission, values, and code of conduct.

Political Criteria

- 4. Non-Violence: Members must support non-violent means of political engagement.
- 5. **Respect for Diversity**: Members must respect political diversity and refrain from promoting extremist ideologies.
- 6. **Democratic Values**: Members should support democratic principles, including the rule of law and human rights

Social Criteria

- 7. **Community Involvement**: Members should be actively involved in their communities and willing to participate in network activities.
- 8. **Ethical Conduct**: Members must adhere to high ethical standards and demonstrate integrity in their actions.
- 9. **Collaboration**: Members should be willing to collaborate with others and contribute positively to the network.

Cultural Criteria

- 10. **Cultural Promotion**: Members should be committed to promoting and preserving Syrian culture, heritage, and traditions.
- 11. **Language Proficiency**: Proficiency in Arabic is preferred, but not mandatory. Willingness to engage with the language and culture is essential.
- 12. **Cultural Sensitivity**: Members must exhibit cultural sensitivity and respect for different cultural perspectives within Syria.

Professional Criteria

13. **Professional Conduct**: Members must demonstrate professionalism and respect in all interactions.

Participation and Engagement

14. **Active Participation**: Members should commit to actively participating in network meetings, events, and initiatives.

15. **Feedback and Improvement**: Members should provide constructive feedback and be open to continuous improvement and learning.

Financial Criteria

- 16. **Membership Fee**: If applicable, members should be able to pay a membership fee to support network activities.
- 17. Financial Integrity: Members must demonstrate financial integrity and responsibility.

Application Process Overview

- 18. **Application Form**: Prospective members must complete an application form detailing their background, interests, and reasons for joining.
- 19. **References**: Applicants may need to provide references or endorsements from existing members or reputable community figures.
- 20. **Interview**: An interview process may be conducted to assess the applicant's alignment with the network's values and goals.
- 21. **Trial Period**: New members may undergo a Trial period to assess their commitment and fit within the network.

Code of Conduct

22. **Adherence to Code of Conduct**: Members must agree to and adhere to the network's code of conduct, which outlines expected behaviors and disciplinary measures for violations.