

**SNAC Relationship Types**  
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<b>Alphabetical List</b>	<b><i>Reciprocal</i></b>
acquaintanceOf	
almaMaterOf	<i>alumnusOrAlumnaOf</i>
alumnusOrAlumnaOf	<i>almaMaterOf</i>
ancestorOf	<i>descendantOf</i>
associatedWith	
auntOrUncleOf	<i>nieceOrNephewOf</i>
biologicalParentOf	
child-in-lawOf	<i>parent-in-lawOf</i>
childOf	<i>parentOf</i>
conferredHonorsTo	<i>honoredBy</i>
correspondedWith	
createdBy	
descendantOf	<i>ancestorOf</i>
employeeOf	<i>employerOf</i>
employerOf	<i>employeeOf</i>
foundedBy	<i>founderOf</i>
founderOf	<i>foundedBy</i>
grandchildOf	<i>grandparentOf</i>
grandparentOf	<i>grandchildOf</i>
hasFamilyRelationTo	
hasHonoraryMember	<i>honoraryMemberOf</i>
hasMember	<i>memberOf</i>
Hierarchical-child	<i>Hierarchical-parent</i>

Hierarchical-parent	<i>Hierarchical-child</i>
honoraryMemberOf	<i>hasHonoraryMember</i>
honoredBy	<i>conferredHonorsTo</i>
investigatedBy	<i>investigatorOf</i>
investigatorOf	<i>investigatedBy</i>
isSuccessorOf	
leaderOf	
memberOf	<i>hasMember</i>
nieceOrNephewOf	<i>auntOrUncleOf</i>
ownedBy	<i>ownerOf</i>
ownerOf	<i>ownedBy</i>
parent-in-lawOf	<i>child-in-lawOf</i>
parentOf	<i>childOf</i>
participantIn	
politicalOpponentOf	
predecessorOf	<i>successorOf</i>
relativeOf	
sibling-in-lawOf	
siblingOf	
spouseOf	
subordinateOf	
successorOf	<i>predecessorOf</i>

**Notes and Examples:**

**ownerOf/ownedBy:** reserved for enslaved people and enslavers

Enslavers can be both persons and corporate bodies; Enslaved can be both persons and families

*Examples:* Quander Family **ownedBy** Washington, George, 1732-1799  
Washington, Martha, 1731-1802 **ownerOf** Quander, Nancy Carter

**successorOf/predecessorOf:** reserved for corporate bodies

*Example:* United States. National Aeronautics and Space Administration **successorOf**  
United States. National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics

**memberOf/hasMember:** for persons and corporate bodies, like organizations or expeditions

*Examples:* Baffin Island Expedition (1927) **hasMember** Bartlett, Bob, 1875-1946  
Reagan, Ronald, 1911-2004 **memberOf** Republican Party (U.S. : 1854- )

*To describe a relationship further use the Descriptive Note field*

*Reminder: the reciprocal relationships are not automatic; you have to enter it in the other example as well*