BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

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Members of the AACR enjoy the following benefits:

1. subscriptions to all of the Association's high-quality journals, Cancer Research, Cell Growth & Differentiation, Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention, and Clinical Cancer Research, at reduced member rates;
2. the privilege of sponsoring a paper for presentation at the AACR annual meeting;
3. an advance copy of the scientific Program and the Proceedings of the American Association for Cancer Research for each annual meeting;
4. reduced registration rates at all scientific meetings;
5. priority notification of events in the AACR's outstanding series of special conferences on timely subjects in the field;
6. the receipt of AACR newsletters, meeting announcements, and an up-to-date membership directory;
7. reduced rates for the AACR Employment Register; and
8. the professional benefits of AACR's public education activities.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

Active membership in the AACR is open to investigators who live in the Americas. Individuals who have conducted two years of research resulting in peer-reviewed publications relevant to cancer, or who have made substantial contributions to cancer research in an administrative or educational capacity, are eligible. If a candidate is working in a research area not directly related to cancer but has conducted research of merit in a related area of biomedical science, he or she may also qualify for membership.

Corresponding membership is open to persons who are not residents of the Americas. The qualifications for corresponding membership are the same as those for active membership. Visiting scientists from outside the Americas who intend to return to their countries of origin by the anticipated time of election should apply for corresponding membership. All other visiting scientists should apply for active membership and transfer to corresponding status at a later date upon leaving the Americas. Graduate and medical students, postdoctoral fellows, and physicians in training who do not yet meet the above qualifications should apply for associate membership.

PROCEDURES FOR APPLICATION

There are three deadlines for receipt of a membership application: January 1, May 1, and September 1 of each year. The Membership Committee will review all complete applications for active membership that have been received by these deadlines and will submit recommendations on each candidate to the Board of Directors which formally elects all members. The same procedure is followed by the Special Memberships Committee which receives applications for corresponding membership. Candidates will be notified according to the following schedule:

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A complete application consists of the following material:

1. 6 copies of the form on the opposite side of this page, with all requested information provided.
2. 5 copies of the candidate's most current curriculum vitae and bibliography.
3. 5 copies of a letter of recommendation from a nominator who is an active, corresponding, emeritus, or honorary member of the AACR (at least one copy must be a signed, original letter). This letter should describe the candidate's achievements in laboratory research, clinical investigations, or epidemiological research, and it should affirm that this research adheres to accepted ethical scientific standards. —OR— The nominator may supply the responses requested at the bottom of the application form in the section entitled "STATEMENT OF SUPPORT" (at least one copy of the form must be the signed original).
4. 5 copies of a letter of recommendation as described in Item 3 above from a seconder who is an active, corresponding, emeritus, or honorary member of the AACR (at least one copy must be a signed, original letter). —OR— The seconder may supply the responses requested at the bottom of the application form in the section entitled "STATEMENT OF SUPPORT" (at least one copy of the form must be the signed original).
5. 5 reprints of each of two publications on which the candidate appears as author.

All material should be collated into five complete sets with the original application form as a covering document and sent to the address given below. Questions regarding procedures for membership application may also be directed to the following address:

American Association for Cancer Research
Public Ledger Building, Suite 816
150 S. Independence Mall West
Philadelphia, PA 19106-3483
Phone: 215/440-9300
FAX: 215-440-9313

RESPONSIBILITIES OF MEMBERSHIP

Candidates should be aware of the following responsibilities of membership in the AACR. Active members must pay annual dues, a major portion of which is designated for subscriptions to AACR publications. In 1995 dues for active members are $160, $95 of which is designated for journal subscriptions. Newly elected members of the AACR who have already purchased subscriptions to Cancer Research, Cell Growth & Differentiation, or Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention at the higher, nonmember rate will receive reimbursement of the unused portion of those subscriptions once their first year's membership dues are paid in full.

Corresponding members are required to pay dues ($80 in 1995) and may, if they wish, subscribe to Cancer Research, Cell Growth & Differentiation, Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention, or Clinical Cancer Research at reduced member rates.

Applicants elected in March will be responsible for payment of that year's dues; applicants elected in July and November will pay dues for the following year. Applicants elected in March and July will be eligible to sponsor an abstract for the next annual meeting. Every effort will be made to afford the same opportunity to applicants elected in November.

Margaret Foti
Executive Director
APPLICATION FOR ACTIVE OR CORRESPONDING MEMBERSHIP

NAME OF CANDIDATE: ____________________________

LAST FIRST M.I. DATE OF BIRTH: ____________

PRESENT POSITION/TITLE: ____________________________

INSTITUTIONAL AFFILIATION: ____________________________

INSTITUTIONAL ADDRESS: ____________________________

(City) (State/Province) (Country) (Postal Code)

TELEPHONE NUMBER: ____________________________

E-MAIL NUMBER (CARRIER): ____________________________

FAX NUMBER: ____________________________

PRIMARY FIELD OF RESEARCH (Please check only one):

___Biochemistry and Biophysics       ___Biostatistics       ___Carcinogenesis
___Cellular Biology and Genetics    ___Clinical Investigations ___Endocrinology
___Epidemiology                     ___Immunology         ___Molecular Biology and Genetics
___Preclinical Pharmacology and     ___Virology           ___Other: ____________________________ (Please specify)
   Experimental Therapeutics

ACADEMIC DEGREES (Including where and when granted)

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EXPERIENCE SINCE HIGHEST DEGREE WAS GRANTED (Please list most recent first)

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PUBLICATIONS (Reprints of two peer-reviewed articles on which the candidate appears as an author must accompany this application. For these two articles list the authors, title, journal, volume, inclusive pages, and year. Do not submit abstracts.)

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CANDIDATE NOMINATED BY*: ____________________________ (Please print)

CANDIDATE SECONDED BY*: ____________________________ (Please print)

CANDIDATE IS APPLYING FOR (Check one): □ ACTIVE □ CORRESPONDING MEMBERSHIP

STATEMENT OF SUPPORT (in place of letters of recommendation)

Instead of submitting letters of recommendation, either the nominator or the seconder or both may complete the following section:

How long has the candidate worked in the field of cancer research? _____ years
Will the candidate make a long-term contribution to cancer research? _____ Yes _____ No
Does the candidate’s research adhere to accepted ethical standards? _____ Yes _____ No
I therefore recommend this candidate for membership in the American Association for Cancer Research.

Signature of nominator* ____________________________ Date ____________________________

Signature of seconder* ____________________________ Date ____________________________

See Guidelines for Application on the reverse side of this form for further instructions.

*Both nominator and seconder must be active, corresponding, emeritus, or honorary members of the AACR.

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QUALIFICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

Associate membership is open to graduate students, medical students, postdoctoral fellows, and physicians in training who are following a course of study or who are working in a research program relevant to cancer. Scientists in training who already have a substantial record of publications may wish to apply for active or corresponding membership which confers full benefits of membership.

 BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

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1. the privilege of sponsoring a paper for presentation at the AACR annual meeting provided that (a) the associate member is the presenter of the paper and (b) an active, corresponding, emeritus, or honorary member in good standing of the AACR also signs the abstract of the paper in support of the work (In this instance, the member who cosigns the abstract does not lose his or her own sponsorship privilege);
2. an advance copy of the scientific Program and (if one has been purchased by the associate member) the Proceedings of the American Association for Cancer Research which contains abstracts of all papers being presented at each annual meeting;
3. the privilege of registering for the annual meeting at the low student rate (This rate is otherwise available only to predoctoral students);
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7. reduced registration rates at special conferences;
8. the receipt of AACR newsletters, meeting announcements, and an up-to-date membership directory; and
9. the facilitation of informal scientific exchange with leading researchers in the cancer field.

PROCEDURES FOR APPLICATION

Persons wishing to apply for associate membership must use the official application form on the reverse side of these instructions. Each candidate for associate membership must be nominated by an active, corresponding, emeritus, or honorary member in good standing of the AACR. Three completed copies of the form should be submitted; at least one of these copies must carry the original signatures of both the candidate and the nominator. The application form may be submitted to the Association Office at any time.

After review of applications for associate membership, the Executive Director will notify candidates of their election or deferral within one month of the receipt of the application form. A check for one year’s dues payment must accompany the application. Dues for 1994 are $30 for associate members residing in the Americas and $40 for residents of other countries. For 1995 these rates are $35 and $45, respectively. This fee will be refunded to any candidate deemed to be ineligible for associate membership. Checks should be in U.S. currency, made payable to AACR, Inc., and drawn on a U.S. bank. Send the three copies of the application form and the appropriate dues payment to:

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215/440-9300

RESPONSIBILITIES OF MEMBERSHIP

Associate members must pay annual dues in an amount to be determined by the AACR Board of Directors. Dues for 1994 have been set at $30 per year for residents of the Americas and $40 for residents of other countries. For 1995 these rates are $35 and $45, respectively. If an application is submitted by August 31, the accompanying dues payment will be credited to the current year. Candidates submitting applications between September 1 and December 31 may indicate whether they wish their dues payments credited to the current or forthcoming year. Candidates should be aware, however, that associate members may sponsor an abstract for the annual meeting only if their dues for the current year are paid. For example, an associate member submitting an abstract in October 1994 for the forthcoming annual meeting must have paid dues for 1994. Any newly elected associate members of the AACR who have already purchased subscriptions to Cancer Research, Cell Growth & Differentiation, Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention, and Clinical Cancer Research at the higher, nonmember rate will receive a refund for the unused portion of that subscription upon receipt of their payment for a member’s subscription.

Each Fall the AACR will send to current associate members an invoice for dues for the forthcoming year. Payment of this invoice must be accompanied by a statement signed by the associate member’s current registrar, dean, or department head, verifying the member’s current academic status. The Association’s By-Laws state that dues are payable for each year in advance by January 1 of the year to which they should be applied. An individual may be an associate member for a maximum of five years. Each year in which an individual pays dues will count as one full year of associate membership. Thus, an associate member who pays dues for 1994 may retain associate membership until December 31, 1998. The Board of Directors may terminate the membership of an associate member whose dues are in arrears for two years.

Margaret Foti
Executive Director
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR CANCER RESEARCH, INC.
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APPLICATION FOR ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

NAME OF CANDIDATE: ___________________________________________ DATE OF BIRTH: ____________

LAST FIRST M.I. _____________________________________________

INSTITUTIONAL AFFILIATION: _____________________________________________

INSTITUTIONAL ADDRESS: _____________________________________________

(City) ______________________________________________ (State/Province) __________________________
(Country) ______________________________________ (Postal Code) _______________

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _______________ FAX NUMBER: _______________

PRESENT ACADEMIC STATUS/TITLE (Please check only one): ___________________________

Graduate Student __________ Medical Student __________ Postdoctoral Fellow

__ Physician in Training

PRIMARY FIELD OF RESEARCH (Please check only one):

Biochemistry and Biophysics __________ Biostatistics __________ Carcinogenesis

Cellular Biology and Genetics __________ Clinical Investigations __________ Endocrinology

Epidemiology __________ Immunology __________ Molecular Biology and Genetics

Preclinical Pharmacology and __________________________________________________________

Experimental Therapeutics __________ Virology __________ Other: __________________________

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ACADEMIC DEGREES (Please indicate degree(s) acquired to date along with the name of the academic institution and date of receipt. Provide information on degree currently being sought and the anticipated date of completion of this degree program.)

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PUBLICATIONS (List the authors, title, journal, volume, inclusive pages, and year of any article in a peer-reviewed journal on which the candidate appears as an author. Do not list abstracts. Continue on a separate sheet, if necessary.)

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CANDIDATE NOMINATED BY: __________________________ (Please type or print name of AACR active member in good standing.)

SIGNATURES
I hereby apply for associate membership in the American Association for Cancer Research. I have read the instructions on the reverse side of this form, and I understand the privileges and responsibilities of this class of membership. I certify that the statements on this application are true.

Signature of Candidate: ___________________________________________ Date: ____________

I recommend this candidate for associate membership in the American Association for Cancer Research. To the best of my knowledge, the candidate is qualified for this class of membership, and the statements on this application are true.

Signature of Nominator*: ___________________________________________ Date: ____________

Submit three copies of this form. At least one copy must contain the original signatures of the candidate and the nominator. Enclose a check in U.S. funds, made payable to AACR, Inc., and drawn on a U.S. bank for one year's dues. For 1994 dues are $30 for associate members residing in the Americas and $40 for residents of other countries. For 1995, these rates will be $35 and $45, respectively.

Check one of the following boxes only if this form is being submitted between September 1 and December 31:
The enclosed dues payment should be applied to the ☐ current ☐ forthcoming calendar year.

(NOTE: If dues are applied to the forthcoming year, membership will take effect on January 1, but the candidate will not be eligible to sponsor an abstract for presentation at the annual meeting in May of that year.) See Guidelines for Application on the reverse side of this form for further instructions.

*Nominator must be active, corresponding, emeritus, or honorary member of the AACR.

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Guidelines for Submitting Disks
to
American Association for Cancer Research Publications

The word processing packages that we prefer are as follows:

- XyWrite III Plus (for the IBM)
- WordPerfect 4.2, 5.0, 5.1 (for the IBM)
- WordPerfect (for the Mac)
- Wordstar (for the IBM)
- Microsoft Word (for the IBM)
- Microsoft Word Macintosh (Versions 1–4) 400/800K
- Wang OIS (WPS)

Also acceptable:

- Apple II DOS 3.3
- Apple III Plus DOS 3.3
- Apple Macintosh 400K Disc/ MacWrite 2.2 (text)
- Apple Macintosh Plus 800K Disc/ MacWrite 4.5 (text)
- Display Write 4
- IBM Displaywriter Word Processor 6580
- Lanier Business One Step
- Lanier No Problem
- Lanier Super No Problem
- MASS-11 PC
- Multimate
- PC Write
- PFS Professional Write
- Volkswriter 4.0
- CPT 8000
- DEC WPS-8
- DEC Decmate II
- DEC Decmate III
- Display Write 3

New releases of word processing software are not always immediately available for conversion. In addition, because of the file structures and internal coding, we cannot accept disks created on desktop publishing systems or those created on proprietary typesetting systems. We also cannot guarantee that all special characters can be translated. Tabular and mathematical material, such as equations, will not be captured from the disk but will be rekeyed.

To expedite work and for your own security, we do require that you submit a hard copy printout of the disk file. The tables and equations will be keyed from this hard copy. We also need to know the name of the file to be converted, the type of hardware (e.g., IBM PC) on which the files were created, the operating system (e.g., DOS 3.3), and the version of the software (e.g., WordPerfect 5.1) used to create the file.

PLEASE FILL OUT ALL INFORMATION ON REVERSE SIDE AND SUBMIT THIS FORM WITH YOUR DISK. DISKS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED WITHOUT THIS INFORMATION.
**DISK SUBMISSION FORM**

AACR journals are now using personal computers to copyedit manuscripts accepted for publication. When submitting a revised manuscript, authors are encouraged to submit an electronic disk of the paper along with the required four hard copy printouts. Disks will ultimately be returned to the authors.

See reverse for the word processing packages that can be accepted.

**File preparation**

Please be sure that the file you send is the most recent version of the manuscript and that it matches the most recently submitted printed copy. The file should contain all the parts of the manuscript in one file. Mathematical and tabular material, however, will be processed in the traditional manner and may be excluded from the disk file.

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Please label the outside of the disk with the journal name, the first author's name, a partial title of the manuscript, and the name of the computer file used to access the manuscript on disk. To process your disk efficiently, we need the following information. Please be sure to provide ALL the information.

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MECHANISM OF ACTION OF RETINOIDS, VITAMIN D, AND STEROID HORMONES

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Applicants are encouraged to submit abstracts for poster presentation.

Application Deadline: November 3, 1994

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ADVANCE REGISTRATION FORM

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DEADLINES:
- February 3, 1995 for reduced rates and to ensure receipt of meeting materials by mail in late February or early March
- February 24, 1995 for all registration by mail (Registration forms received after this date will not be accepted.
  Registration will be conducted at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre from March 18-22.)
- March 15, 1995 to cancel registration and receive refund less cancellation fee (US$25/C$35)

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NAME: ____________________________
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☐ Check this box if you have a physical disability and have special requirements for transportation, hotel accommodations, or other facilities in connection with the meeting. A member of the Association Staff will contact you.

WHAT IS YOUR PRIMARY FIELD OF RESEARCH (Please check only one):
☐ Biochemistry and Biophysics ☐ Carcinogenesis ☐ Cellular Biology & Genetics ☐ Clinical Investigations
☐ Endocrinology ☐ Epidemiology ☐ Experimental Therapeutics ☐ Immunology ☐ Molecular Biology & Genetics
☐ Prevention ☐ Radiobiology/Radiation Oncology ☐ Virology ☐ Other (please specify): ______________

ARE YOU THE PRESENTER OF AN ABSTRACT SUBMITTED FOR THE 1995 AACR MEETING? ☐ Yes ☐ No

ON WHICH DAYS WILL YOU ATTEND THE 1995 AACR ANNUAL MEETING?
☐ Saturday, March 18 ☐ Sunday, March 19 ☐ Monday, March 20 ☐ Tuesday, March 21 ☐ Wednesday, March 22

PAYMENT OF REGISTRATION

Fees may be paid by check or with a MasterCard, VISA, American Express, or Eurocard account. All payments must be made in U.S. or Canadian currency, and all checks must be drawn on a U.S. or Canadian bank. Payment must accompany this form; purchase orders will not be accepted as payment. Honorary members may register gratis.

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*Students must enclose a statement, signed by the registrar, dean, or department head of their university or college on official letterhead, confirming their status. Postdoctoral fellows or physicians in training do not qualify for the student registration rate unless they are Associate Members of the AACR. An application for Associate Membership may accompany this form, but these should be submitted well before the February 3 deadline, as review of the Associate Membership application may delay registration.

+AACR members with paid-up subscriptions to an AACR journal and registrants who pay the nonmember fee receive the Proceedings automatically. If these members or nonmembers check this box and pay the fee, they will receive an additional copy of the Proceedings.

†Optional payment for registrants outside of the U.S. and Canada only. Registrants paying this surcharge will receive meeting publications via airmail–printed matter before the annual meeting.

REFUND POLICY

Refunds on registration fees will be granted on written request received in the AACR Office by March 15, 1995. Requests received after this date will not be honored. Receipts and badges (if they have been mailed) must be returned to the AACR Office with the refund request. A cancellation fee of US$25/C$35 will be deducted from all refunds to cover administrative costs.
INSTRUCTIONS FOR AUTHORS

Clinical Cancer Research

SCOPE

Clinical Cancer Research, a new journal of the American Association for Cancer Research, will publish original articles describing clinical research on the cellular and molecular characterization, prevention, diagnosis, and therapy of human cancer. Its focus is on innovative clinical research and translational research which bridges the laboratory and the clinic. Clinical Cancer Research is especially interested in clinical trials evaluating new treatments for cancer; research on molecular abnormalities that predict incidence, response to therapy, and outcome; and laboratory studies of new drugs and biological agents that will lead to clinical trials in patients.

EDITORIAL POLICY

When a manuscript is received for consideration, the Editors assume that no similar paper has been or will be submitted for publication elsewhere. Further, it is understood that all authors listed on a manuscript have agreed to its submission. The signature of the corresponding author on the letter of submission signifies that these conditions have been fulfilled.

The journal policy requires that authors, reviewers, and Associate Editors reveal all relationships that they have that could be construed as causing a conflict of interest with regard to a manuscript under review. The letter should include a statement of any financial relationships with commercial companies involved with a product under study.

Upon acceptance, authors must transfer copyright to the American Association for Cancer Research, Inc., the copyright owner of the journal, prior to publication.

REVIEW PROCESS

The review process, expedited by fax transmission and overnight mail service, is conducted as rapidly as possible. Each submitted manuscript is reviewed by at least two experts in the field of investigation. If the authors are invited to submit a revised manuscript for an expedited further review, the revised version must be submitted within three months.

MANUSCRIPT SUBMISSION

Send manuscripts to John Mendelsohn, M.D., Editor-in-Chief. Submit four original sets (not photocopies) of figures along with four copies of the manuscript. One set of figures will be returned to the author if the paper is not accepted for publication. If a manuscript is closely related to papers that are in press or have been submitted elsewhere, please provide copies of those papers with your submission.

Tight communication will be reserved or concise, definitive reports of novel observations and discoveries that have mutual importance. A request for consideration for rapid communication should be included in the letter of submission. Minireviews and Forum articles that are submitted or solicited will undergo editorial review. The Editors welcome Letters to the Editor, which will be published if they are determined to be appropriate.

The letter of submission should suggest the Associate Editor (or Editor-in-Chief) who will serve as primary reviewer of the manuscript. In addition, we invite authors to provide the names, addresses, and telephone/fax numbers of up to five potential reviewers who are not current or recent collaborators or advisors in the area under investigation.

FORMAT

Manuscripts must be written succinctly in clear, grammatical English. Define abbreviations in an inclusive footnote to the text. Double-space on 8 1/2 x 11-inch paper. Dot-matrix printing is not acceptable. The format is as follows:

1. Title page, including title, authors and their institutions, research support, and address plus telephone/fax numbers of the corresponding author;
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