Institution of Page Charges
Effective January 1, 1997, a page charge of $35 per printed page was levied on all manuscripts published in Clinical Cancer Research. It is understood at the time the author(s) agree to pay this charge in the event of publication. Under exceptional circumstances, when no other source of grant or other support is available, the author(s) may apply to Dr. Margua F. F. Foti, Director of Publications, AACR Publications Department (see page ii for address) at the time of submission to cover page charges. Such applications must be countersigned by an appropriate institutional official stating that no funds are available for the payment of page charges.

Annual Meeting
The AACR’s Annual Meeting is one of the largest and most important annual gatherings of scientists engaged in cancer research worldwide. The next Annual Meeting will take place in New Orleans, LA, March 28–April 1, 1998. The Chairperson of the Annual Meeting is Frank J. Rauscher III of the Wistar Institute. The Program Committee will invite outstanding scientists in the field to organize plenary sessions, symposia, controversy sessions, and meet-the-expert sessions. They also look forward to receiving for consideration for presentation the professors selected and submitted by members of the cancer research community. All abstracts must be sponsored by an AACR member in good standing. The deadline for receipt of abstracts in the AACR office will be October 28, 1997.

Call for Nominations for 1998 AACR-Pezzoler International Award for Cancer Research
 AACR-Pezzoler International Award Committee
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Enrico Mihich, M.D., Roswell Park Cancer Institute, Buffalo, NY, USA

The AACR-Pezzoler International Award for Cancer Research is given biennially to a scientist who has made a major scientific discovery in the field of cancer. The Pezzoler Foundation was established in 1982 by Professor Alessio Pezzoler, a dedicated Italian surgeon who has made important contributions to medical oncology and who, through his foresight, vision, and generous gift in support of the formation of the Foundation, stimulated others to make significant advances in cancer research. Over the past decade the Pezzoler Foundation has given a major award for outstanding contributions to cancer research.

The American Association for Cancer Research (AACR) was founded in 1907 by eleven physicians and scientists who were interested in the conquest of cancer and now has over 13,000 members in more than 60 countries who are experts in basic, clinical, and translational cancer research. The AACR fulfills its mission, the communication of important scientific results, in a variety of forums including publications, meetings, and educational programs. Both from the standpoint of the need for joint commitment to scientific excellence in cancer research, the Foundation and the AACR have now agreed to collaborate on the presentation of this award. This will strengthen their already well-established relationship and facilitate international collaborations and interactions.

AACR

The American Association for Cancer Research (AACR) was founded in 1907 to bring together active investigators of the cancer problem for the purpose of discussion and development of new findings and to foster advances in cancer research. Today the Association has 13,000 members working in all of the subdisciplines of cancer research in the United States, Canada, and more than 60 other countries. Information on AACR programs and activities can be obtained by calling 215-440-9313 or by sending an e-mail to aacr@aacr.org. Nominations should be submitted along with the current plus 12 copies of their nominations to: Carlo M. Croce, M.D., Chairperson, Selection Committee, AACR-Pezzoler International Award for Cancer Research, c/o American Association for Cancer Research, Inc., Public Ledger Building, Suite 826, 150 South Independence Mall West, Philadelphia, PA 19106-3483, USA.

Call for Nominations for AACR Awards

The Association presents six awards to distinguished scientists at its Annual Meeting. The Awards Committee, consisting of six separate subcommittees, will recommend candidates for each award to the AACR Executive Committee. Below you will find a description of each award. Members wishing to make nominations should provide a short description of the candidate’s accomplishments; the subcommittee involved will obtain further documentation on suitable candidates. Nominations may be directed to the Association Office for forwarding to the appropriate subcommittee. This material should be received no later than September 15, 1997.

Clowes Memorial Award
The Eli Lilly Company established the Clowes Memorial Lecture to honor Dr. H. L. Clowes, who was a member of the AACR and a research director of Eli Lilly. The purpose of the award is to give “recognition of outstanding research accomplished in some recent period.” The Clowes Memorial Award is given for outstanding recent accomplishments in basic cancer research, and the Board of Directors considers this to mean both laboratory research and epidemiological investigations.

Joseph H. Burchenal AACR Clinical Award
Joseph H. Burchenal, AACR Clinical Research Award. Bristol-Meyers Squibb Company established this award to recognize outstanding achievements in clinical cancer research. It is named for Dr. Joseph H. Burchenal, an AACR President and honorary member of the AACR, and a leading figure in the field of cancer chemotherapy. There are no restrictions on the age or geographic location of the awardee.

Richard and Hindy Rosenthal Foundation Award
This award was established by Dr. and Mrs. Cornelius P. Rhoads, a founder and the first Director of the Sloan-Kettering Institute for Cancer Research. This annual award is intended to give recognition to an “individual on the basis of meritorious achievement in cancer research.” In accordance with the donor’s wishes, the awardee must be an investigator who has spent at least 50 years of his or her life in the field of cancer research.

Cain Memorial Award
The Warner-Lambert Company instituted this award to honor the memory of Dr. Bruce F. Cain, New York. Dr. Cain’s work in the “design, synthesis, and biological evaluation of potential anticancer drugs.” The purpose of the award is to provide recognition to an individual or research team for their outstanding preclinical research that has implications for the improved care of cancer patients. Examples of such research include inclusion of new anticancer agent and major contributions to a compound’s applicability as an antitumor agent. The award will recognize outstanding contributions in the fields of medicinal chemistry, biochemistry, or tumor biology as related to drug discovery; will encompass antitumor, antiviral, and antifungal agents; and will not have any age limitation, but will be international in scope.

American Cancer Society Award
The American Cancer Society sponsors this award to honor outstanding achievements in the fields of epidemiology, biomarkers, and prevention. There are no age or geographical restrictions on the awardee.
Instructions for Authors

Scope
Clinical Cancer Research, a journal of the American Association for Cancer Research, publishes 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.

Specific areas of interest include clinical and translational research in: molecular pharmacology and chemotherapy; drug sensitivity and resistance; tumor immunology and immunotherapy; radiobiology and radiation oncology; solid tumor oncology; hematological malignancies; surgical oncology; pediatric oncology; molecular oncology and cancer genes; pathology, markers, and prognostic indicators; growth factors, cytokines, and signal transduction; bone marrow transplantation; gene therapy; cancer endocrinology; cell adhesion, invasion, and metastasis; prevention of primary and recurrent cancer; differentiation and cell death; clinical genetics; and detection of minimal disease.

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.

Journal policy requires that authors, reviewers, Associate Editors, and Senior Editors reveal in a letter to the Editor-in-Chief any 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. Once an article is accepted for publication in Clinical Cancer Research, the information therein is embargoed from reporting by the media until the mail date of the issue in which the article appears.

The Editors endorse the principles embodied in the Declaration of Helsinki and expect that all investigations involving humans will have been performed in accordance with these principles. To obtain a copy of the Helsinki Declaration, please contact the World Medical Association, 28, Ave. des Alpes, F-01210, Ferney-Voltaire, France. For animal experimentation reported in the journal, it is expected that investigators will have observed the Interdisciplinary Principles and Guidelines for the Use of Animals in Research, Testing, and Education issued by the New York Academy of Sciences’ Ad Hoc Committee on Guidelines for the Use of Animals in Research, Testing, and Education issued by the New York Academy of Sciences, 2 East 63rd Street, New York, NY 10021-7289. All animal and human studies must have been approved by the investigator’s Institutional Review Board.

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.

Publication Fees
A page charge of $35 per printed page will be levied on all manuscripts accepted for publication. It is understood at the time of submission that the author(s) agree to pay this charge in the event of publication. Under exceptional circumstances, when no grant or other source of support exists, the author(s) may apply to Dr. Margaret Foti, Director of Publications, AACR Publications Depart-

ment (see page ii for address) at the time of submission for a waiver of the page charges. All such applications must be countersigned by an appropriate institutional official stating that no funds are available for the payment of page charges.

Procedures for Submission
Submit papers directly to one of the six Senior Editors, each of whom is responsible for a particular area of research. Senior Editors will conduct the review process with the expert assistance of the journal’s Associate Editors, who will correspond with authors about their manuscripts, and will make editorial decisions regarding publication. Papers within the subject areas covered by the Editor-in-Chief, as well as manuscripts that do not pertain to any of the research areas listed, should be submitted to Dr. Mendelsohn. Research areas, mailing addresses, and telephone and fax numbers for the Editor-in-Chief and Senior Editors can be found at the end of this Instructions.

Submit four original sets (not photocopies) of figures along with four copies of the manuscript. 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. For both original and revised submissions, we cannot guarantee that manuscripts and illustrations will be returned to the author.

The letter of submission can suggest the Associate Editors who might serve as reviewers of the manuscript. In addition, we invite authors to provide the names, addresses, and telephone/fax numbers of other potential reviewers who are not current or recent collaborators or advisors in the area under investigation.

Advances in Brief will be reserved for concise, definitive reports of novel observations and discoveries that have unusual importance. A request for consideration for Advances in Brief should be included in the letter of submission. A Minireview is a brief analysis (typically 3-4 printed pages) of a focused, timely research topic, aimed at a multidisciplinary audience. Minireviews and Controversies in Clinical Cancer Research 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.

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;
2. A running title of fewer than 50 characters;
3. Three to five key words that do not appear in the title;
4. Abstract, of not more than 250 words, stating briefly the objectives, methods, results, and conclusions of the study;
5. Text arranged in this order: Introduction, Methods, Results, Discussion, Acknowledgments, References;
6. Footnotes, on a page separate from the text. Designate footnotes consecutively with superscript Arabic numerals;
7. Tables, on pages separate from the text, with descriptive titles and legends that make the data understandable without reference to the text;
8. Figure legends, on pages separate from the text, with descriptive titles and explanations to make the data understandable without reference to the text. Define all symbols and include staining for halftones where applicable;

References
Include only those articles that have been published or are in press. Unpublished data or personal communications must be cited as foot-
Notes to the text. Personal communications should be substantiated by a letter of permission. Number references in the order of their first mention in the text. Cite only the number assigned to the reference. References must be double-spaced.

Sample References:

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Provide four original sets of figures (whether line-cut drawings or halftones). Each sorted set should be in a separate labeled envelope, for distribution to reviewers. A typed label placed on the reverse side of each figure should contain the first author’s name, figure number, and an arrow indicating top of figure. Letters and numbers on figures should not be smaller than 6-point or larger than 12-point type. All figures will be published at a width of approximately 3 inches (8 cm) unless the author requests a greater width. Use tissue overlays to indicate important areas of the photographs that must be reproduced with greater fidelity.

Authors are encouraged to submit color figures. The expense of reproducing color photographs must be offset partially by the author. The cost of color reproduction charged to authors is $975 per color figure. Submit color figures on flexible backing.

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Page proofs must be returned to the office of the American Association for Cancer Research within 24 hours of receipt. Return proofs by overnight mail. Proofs not received by the deadline will be published without the authors’ corrections. Accepted manuscripts are regarded as final copy and should not be altered substantially in proof. Extensive alterations could cause publication delays, and authors will be charged for excessive alterations in proof.

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PUBLICATIONS
BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

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Members of the AACR enjoy the following benefits:

1. the privilege of sponsoring a proffered paper (abstract) for consideration at the AACR annual meeting;
2. subscriptions to the Association’s high-quality journals Cancer Research, Clinical Cancer Research, Cell Growth & Differentiation, and Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention at reduced member rates;
3. an advance copy of the Program and Proceedings of the American Association for Cancer Research that contains over 4,000 abstracts of proffered papers presented at the annual meeting;
4. reduced registration rates at annual meetings;
5. priority notice of small, focused meetings in the AACR’s exciting series of Special Conferences in Cancer Research;
6. substantially reduced registration rates for Special Conferences;
7. opportunities for participation in AACR meetings in North America and abroad with other scientific societies around the world;
8. receipt of AACR Newsletters and other important announcements;
9. early notification of and reduced rates for participation in the AACR Employment Register;
10. an up-to-date Membership Directory of over 13,000 member researchers in the cancer field;
11. the professional benefits of the AACR’s public education activities concerning funding for cancer research and press coverage of the latest research findings;
12. the opportunity to participate in three Summer Workshops that foster knowledge in the cancer field for young investigators;
13. the facilitation of informal scientific exchange with leading researchers in the cancer field; and
14. many more ongoing benefits.

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 has conducted research in an area of biomedical science related to cancer, he or she will qualify for membership. Evidence of patents relevant to cancer research may be submitted as qualifications for membership in lieu of peer-reviewed publications.

Corresponding membership is open to persons who are not residents of the Americas. The qualifications for corresponding membership are the same as those indicated above 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 upon leaving the Americas.

Graduate and medical students, postdoctoral fellows, and physicians in training who do not yet meet the above qualifications for active or corresponding membership should apply for associate membership. Forms for associate membership are available from the AACR Office.

PROCEDURES FOR APPLICATION

There are three deadlines for the 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 secondor who is an active, corresponding, emeritus, or honorary member of the AACR (at least one copy must be a signed, original letter). –OR– The secondor 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. As noted above, evidence of patents developed by the candidate may be submitted in lieu of one or both of the publications. If submitting patents, supply patent number and year awarded.

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:

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American Association for Cancer Research
Public Ledger Building, Suite 826
150 S. Independence Mall West
Philadelphia, PA 19106-3483
Phone: 215/440-9300
FAX: 215/440-9412
E-mail: aacr@aacr.org

RESPONSIBILITIES OF MEMBERSHIP

Candidates should be aware of the following responsibilities of membership in the AACR. Active members must pay annual dues. In 1998 annual dues for active members are $175, $100 of which is designated for AACR journal subscriptions. Newly elected members of the AACR who have already purchased subscriptions to Cancer Research, Clinical Cancer Research, Cell Growth & Differentiation, or Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention at the higher, nonmember rates 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 ($90 in 1998) and may, if they wish, subscribe to Cancer Research, Clinical Cancer Research, Cell Growth & Differentiation, or Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention 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, Ph.D.
Executive Director
APPLICATION FOR ACTIVE OR CORRESPONDING MEMBERSHIP

NAME OF CANDIDATE: ____________________

DATE OF BIRTH: ____________________

LAST NAME \ FIRST NAME \ M.I.

PRESENT POSITION/TITLE: ____________________

INSTITUTIONAL AFFILIATION: ____________________

INSTITUTIONAL ADDRESS: ____________________

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

TELEPHONE NUMBER: ____________________

FAX NUMBER: ____________________

E-MAIL ADDRESS: ____________________

PRIMARY FIELD OF RESEARCH (Please check only one):

Biochemistry and Biophysics
Cellular Biology and Genetics
Epidemiology
Preclinical Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics
Biostatistics
Clinical Investigations
Immunology
Virology
Carcinogenesis
Endocrinology
Molecular Biology and Genetics

(Please specify)

ACADEMIC DEGREES (Including where and when granted)

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

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. If submitting patents, supply patent number and year awarded.)

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

CANDIDATE NOMINATED BY*: ____________________

CANDIDATE SECONDED BY*: ____________________

(Please print)

STATEMENT OF SUPPORT

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

I acknowledge by signing this statement of support that this candidate adheres to accepted ethical scientific standards and has or will make a long-term contribution to 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 in good standing.

(This form may be reproduced.)
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR CANCER RESEARCH

GUIDELINES FOR APPLICATION FOR ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

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.

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1. the privilege of sponsoring a proffered paper (abstract) for consideration 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. optional subscriptions to the Association’s high-quality journals: Cancer Research, Clinical Cancer Research, Cell Growth & Differentiation, and Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention at reduced member rates; beginning in 1998 associate members will be able to purchase AACR journals for half the price of a regular member subscription;
3. 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 that contains over 4,000 abstracts of proffered papers presented at the annual meeting;
4. the privilege of registering for the annual meeting at the low associate member rate;
5. the privilege of electing an Associate Member Council that organizes programs benefiting associate members and that presents their concerns to the AACR Board of Directors;
6. the opportunity to stand for election to the Associate Member Council;
7. preferred access to the AACR Employment Register;
8. priority notification of events in the AACR’s series of special conferences on timely subjects in the field;
9. substantially reduced registration rates at special conferences;
10. the receipt of AACR newsletters, meeting announcements, and an up-to-date Membership Directory;
11. the opportunity to participate in three Summer Workshops that foster knowledge in the cancer field for young investigators; and
12. 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. In addition, the candidate should submit one copy of his or her curriculum vitae. 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 1998 are $45 for associate members residing in the Americas and $55 for residents of other countries. 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:

Membership Services Department
American Association for Cancer Research
Public Ledger Building, Suite 826
150 S. Independence Mall West
Philadelphia, PA 19106-3483
Phone: 215/440-9300
Fax: 215/440-9412
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RESPONSIBILITIES OF MEMBERSHIP

Associate members must pay annual dues in an amount to be determined by the AACR Board of Directors. Dues for 1998 have been set at $45 per year for residents of the Americas and $55 for residents of other countries. 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 1997 for the forthcoming annual meeting must have paid dues for 1997. Any newly elected associate members of the AACR who have already purchased subscriptions to Cancer Research, Clinical Cancer Research, Cell Growth & Differentiation, or Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention 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 1998 may retain associate membership until December 31, 2002. The Board of Directors may terminate the membership of an associate member whose dues are in arrears for two years.

Margaret Foti, Ph.D.
Executive Director
## Application for Associate Membership

### NAME OF CANDIDATE: __________________
- Last: __________________
- First: __________________
- M.I.: __________________
- Date of Birth: ____________

### INSTITUTIONAL AFFILIATION: __________________

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