Institution of Page Charges

Effective January 1, 1998, a page charge of $50 per printed page will be levied on all manuscripts published in Clinical Cancer Research. 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 other source of grant or other support exists, the author(s) may apply to Dr. Margaret Foti, Director of Publications, AACR Publications Department (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.

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 has invited outstanding scientists in the field to organize plenary sessions, symposia, controversy sessions, and meet-the-expert sunrise sessions. The deadline for receipt of abstracts in the AACR office was October 28, 1997.

Late-Breaking Research Session at the AACR Annual Meeting

Time has been set aside at the AACR Annual Meeting for the presentation of a few definitive reports of highly significant and timely findings in the field. Criteria for the selection of these presentations and instructions for submission of abstracts are as follows:

1. The work to be presented must be of major novelty and significance, e.g., the characterization of a new gene in familial cancer or the discovery of a new diagnostic marker, and should not have been previously published in a peer-reviewed scientific journal or presented at a national meeting or symposium.

2. The abstract must be sponsored by an AACR member in good standing (dues paid for 1998).

3. Each member in good standing may sponsor only one abstract for this session whether or not he or she sponsored an abstract last October for the regular annual meeting program. If an associate member is the sponsor, the abstract must also be endorsed by an active or corresponding member in good standing. In this case, the endorser does not forfeit the opportunity to sponsor a late-breaking abstract.

4. Abstracts must be typed on one side of one sheet of white paper.

5. All text on the page must fit within an area 6 1/2" wide and 9" high (16.5 cm x 22.9 cm) with margins of at least 1" (2.5 cm) on the top, bottom, and sides of the page.

6. Each abstract must be accompanied by a covering letter from the sponsor explaining why the work is novel and significant enough to be considered for this late-breaking research session. It must be the case that the findings became available after the annual meeting abstract deadline of October 28, 1997. This letter must contain the sponsor's complete mailing address, FAX number, and e-mail address (if available) so that we can communicate the scheduling decision of the Program Committee.

7. Abstracts and covering letters must be received in the AACR Office by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on February 7, 1998. FAX transmissions are not acceptable. Carrying envelopes should be clearly marked "Late-Breaking Abstract," and should be addressed to American Association for Cancer Research, Public Ledger Building, Suite 826, 150 South Independence Mall West, Philadelphia, PA 19106-3483. If you wish to receive acknowledgment of receipt of your abstract, enclose a self-addressed post card with appropriate postage affixed. Accepted abstracts will not be published since they will be received after the Proceedings of the American Association for Cancer Research has been printed; however, they will be distributed at the session in New Orleans.

8. A special subcommittee of the Program Committee appointed by President Donald S. Coffey will select the papers to be presented. Presenters of accepted papers will be notified via FAX no later than March 16, 1998.

AACR Research Fellowships

In 1998, the AACR will offer an enhanced program of sponsored fellowships for clinical and postdoctoral fellows. The basic, clinical, translational, and prevention fellowships will offer salary support at the level of $30,000 per year, with some fellowships extending for a term of two years. Eligibility has been expanded to include all citizens and permanent residents of any country in the Americas, who have completed the M.D., Ph.D., or other doctoral degree. Candidates must currently be a postdoctoral or clinical research fellow and must have been a fellow for at least two years but not more than five years prior to the year of the award. Medical residents, employees of industry, fellows with sponsorship for a similar program for the award year, and permanent employees of the federal government are not eligible. All Active, Corresponding, and Associate AACR members in the Americas will receive information and application forms by mail in the early Fall. Nonmembers may request information and application forms from the AACR Office. The deadline for applications will be early 1998, with the commencement of the award year on July 1, 1998.

AACR Special Conferences in Cancer Research

A number of meetings are now being organized in the AACR's series of smaller scientific meetings. Following are the topics, dates, locations, and program committees for these meetings. When full details of each meeting are available, AACR members will be the first to receive complete brochures and application forms for participation in these important conferences. Nonmembers may receive this information by sending their names and addresses to: Meetings Mailing List, AACR, Public Ledger Building, Suite 826, 150 South Independence Mall West, Philadelphia, PA 19106-3483. Up-to-date program information is also available via the Internet at the AACR's website (http://www.aacr.org/confncmtl).

January 24–28, 1998
Angiogenesis and Cancer

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JUDAH FOLKMAN, Boston, MA
MICHAEL KLAGSBRUN, Boston, MA
Hyatt Orlando, Orlando, FL

June 14–18, 1998
Proteases and Protease Inhibitors in Cancer
Co-Sponsored by Acta Pathologica Microbiologica Immunologica Scandinavica

Chairpersons:
KILD DANO, Copenhagen, Denmark
LYNN M. MATRISIAN, Nashville, TN
Nyborg Strand Conference Center, Nyborg, Denmark

October 14–18, 1998
Gene Regulation and Cancer
(10th Anniversary of AACR Special Conferences in Cancer Research)

Chairpersons:
PHILLIP A. SHARP, Cambridge, MA
STEVEN L. MCKNIGHT, Dallas, TX
The Homestead, Hot Springs, VA

December 2–6, 1998
New Approaches to Controlling Prostate Cancer

Moderator:
DONALD S. COFFEY, Baltimore, MD
Co-Chairpersons:
JONATHAN W. SIMONS, Baltimore, MD
KENNETH J. PIEN'TA, Ann Arbor, MI
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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; hematologic 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.

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Review Process
The review process 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.

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Submit papers directly to the Deputy Editor or to one of the seven Senior Editors, each of whom is responsible for a particular area of research. The Deputy Editor and the Senior Editors will conduct the review process with the expert assistance of the journal's Associate Editors, 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, Deputy Editor, and Senior Editors can be found at the end of these 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.

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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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5. Text arranged in this order: Introduction, Methods, Results, Discussion, Acknowledgments, References;
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Include only those articles that have been published or are in press. Unpublished data or personal communications must be cited as footnotes 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.
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Confirmations:
- Your hotel confirmation will be sent from the Housing Bureau. This is the only confirmation which you will receive. You will not receive a confirmation from the hotel. Each hotel will honor the Housing Bureau confirmation.

Room Tax/Rates:
- Rates do not include an 11% state and local tax as well as a $1 to $3 per night occupancy tax. Some hotels may charge additional fees for rooms with more than two occupants.

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  Telephone Number 1-800-424-5250
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  Telephone Number 1-847-940-2153

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3. Number of rooms required
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   - Single
   - Double (1 bed, 2 people)
   - Twin (2 beds, 2 people)
5. Number of people in party
6. Credit card name, account number, name as it appears on card, and expiration date
7. Names of all occupants of room(s)
8. Mailing Address
9. Daytime telephone number with area code
10. FAX number with area code
11. Special requests (disability, smoking / nonsmoking, king-size bed, etc.)

Refund of Deposit:
- Cancellations made prior to February 23, 1998, will receive a full refund. Cancellations made after February 23, 1998, will be assessed a $14.00 processing fee. Your deposit will be forfeited entirely if you do not cancel prior to 72 hours before your arrival date.

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Townhouse Suite $189

5. CHATEAU SONESTA HOTEL
The Chateau Sonesta Hotel is located at the site of the former D.H. Holmes Canal Street Department Store which was constructed in 1849 and occupied until its closing in 1989. Situated on Iberville Street in the French Quarter and with direct access to Canal Street, the hotel is steps away from the Central Business District and one block away from the Royal Sonesta Hotel. Many rooms with balconies overlooking Bourbon Street, Dauphine Street, and interior pool and courtyard areas. Outdoor pool and exercise room on property. La Chatelaine Restaurant and The Clock Bar open daily. Room service available.

800 Iberville Street • ✆ (504) 586-0800
Rates: Single $145
Double $165

6. CROWNE PLAZA
The Crowne Plaza New Orleans features 439 beautifully furnished guest rooms and suites, and Creole flavored restaurants and lounges - all within the sights, the sounds, and tastes that make the city so distinctive in the fabric of America. Ideally located alongside the French Quarter, within a short walk are the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center, Mississippi Riverwalk, Canal Place, the Superdome and a host of places to see and things to do.

333 Poydras Street • ✆ (504) 525-9444
Rates: Single $147
Double $162

7. DOUBLETREE HOTEL NEW ORLEANS
Located on Canal Street overlooking the Mississippi River and the city’s major business and entertainment districts. Across the street from the world famous French Quarter and within walking distance to hundreds of shops and restaurants. The Ernest N. Morial Convention Center is within walking distance. All rooms provide a spacious, comfortable setting to spread out and work or just relax. Each room is equipped with color TV, in-room movies, phones with dataports, coffee makers, iron and ironing boards. The Chicory Rotisserie and Grill adds a new turn to fine dining while the Chicory Lounge provides an intimate meeting place for New Orleans style refreshments. The Sweet Dreams Café is a great alternative for those on the run. All guests receive complimentary chocolate chip cookies upon check-in.

300 Canal Street • ✆ (504) 581-1300
Rates: Single $149
Double $159

8. EMBASSY SUITES HOTEL NEW ORLEANS
Embassy Suites has a distinctive flair for making conventioners feel welcome in more than 90 cities in over 34 states, but especially in one of America’s favorite cities...New Orleans! Located in the heart of the Arts and Warehouse District, only two short blocks away from the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center and a short distance from the French Quarter, the Embassy Suites blends the old with the new. In addition to having all suite accommodations, Embassy Suites offers complimentary cooked-to-order breakfast and a two-hour Manager’s reception daily to all guests. It’s the Embassy Way.

315 Julia Street • ✆ (504) 525-1993
Rates: Single $155
Double $170

9. HAMPTON INN
Just steps from world-famous Bourbon Street and the French Quarter you will find the outstanding quality and service you have come to expect from Hampton Inn. Located within an historic, turn-of-the-century building, the Hampton Inn - Downtown/French Quarter Area features 186 newly constructed, oversized guest rooms. Included at no extra charge is a daily continental breakfast buffet, all local phone calls, incoming faxes, and use of the state-of-the-art fitness facility. Secured valet parking, laundry services, and a variety of tours leaving from the hotel daily are also available at an additional charge.

226 Carondelet • ✆ (504) 529-9990
Rates: Single $125
Double $135
10. HOLIDAY INN CHATEAU LeMOYNE
Unique 150-year-old townhouses and suites. Four lush tropical courtyards, iron lacework balconies and heated pool with sun deck. Located in the Historic French Quarter within strolling distance of legendary Bourbon Street and just minutes from New Orleans’ world famous shopping, restaurants, and nightspots.
301 Rue Dauphine • (504) 581-1303
Rates: Single $145
Double $155

11. HOLIDAY INN FRENCH QUARTER
With guest rooms overlooking the Mississippi River, the Holiday Inn French Quarter is situated in the center of the historic French Quarter. Just strolling distance from legendary Bourbon Street and minutes away from any of New Orleans’ world famous restaurants. Indoor heated pool with exercise facility.
124 Royal Street • (504) 529-7211
Rates: Single $140
Double $150

12. HOLIDAY INN SELECT
This deluxe property recently opened directly across the street from the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center. The hotel features Ray T’s Lounge, Atrium Restaurant with room service, fitness center, valet parking, laundry, and business services. The plush, spacious rooms are richly appointed with a large executive desk, coffee makers, hair dryer, iron and ironing board, and three phones (desk, bed, bathroom) with data ports.
881 Convention Center Boulevard • (504) 524-1881
Rates: Standard Executive
$149 $169
$169 $189 Double

13. HOTEL INTER-CONTINENTAL
In the heart of the financial district, only three blocks from the French Quarter, Aquarium, and other major areas of shopping and entertainment. Each elegantly appointed room features a mini-bar and refrigerator, television, hair dryer, and 24-hour room service. Parking, fitness center and pool are available.
444 St. Charles Avenue • (504) 525-5566
Rates: Single $145
Double $160

14. HOTEL MONTELEONE
Owned and operated by the Monteleone family since 1886, this property located in the heart of the French Quarter, has just completed a $20 million dollar renovation returning to its position as one of the premier hotels in New Orleans. Three restaurants, two cocktail lounges, full service business center, data posts in every guest room, iron and ironing board in every room, complimentary coffee each morning, heated pool and rooftop fitness center are available. The Monteleone is the closest French Quarter hotel to the Convention Center. New Orleans begins in the lobby of the Monteleone.
214 Royal Street • (504) 523-3341
Rates: Single $143
Double $168

15. NEW ORLEANS MARRIOTT
Our back door leads to the famous French Quarter. Out the front door, you may catch a streetcar ride or walk to many nearby attractions, Aquarium of the Americas, Riverboat Cruises, or the Riverwalk Shopping Mall.
555 Canal Street • (504) 581-1000
Rates: Single $164
Double $184

16. OMNI ROYAL ORLEANS
Located in the heart of the French Quarter on the corner of St. Louis and Royal Streets is the Omni Royal Orleans, an AAA 4-Diamond hotel. The Royal Orleans features four restaurants, beauty salon, barber and florist shops, covered valet parking, fitness center, rooftop pool, full bath amenities, direct dial telephone with voice mail, fax and computer hookup as well as specialty rooms with balconies or jacuzzis.
Royal and St. Louis Streets • (504) 529-5333
Rates: Single/Double $170

17. RADISSON HOTEL NEW ORLEANS
The Radisson Hotel New Orleans is conveniently located downtown in the Central Business District and has recently completed a $10 million renovation to all guest rooms, meeting facilities, and public areas. This New Orleans landmark is listed on the National Register of Historic Places and features a tour desk and gift shop at the lobby level, voice mail message service and computer dataport in all guest rooms, scenic rooftop pool, hot tub deck, fitness center, valet parking, guest business center, and free shuttle to the French Quarter. Dining is available at Praline’s Restaurant, LaSalle’s Food and Spirits, and Pizza Hut.
1500 Canal Street • (504) 522-4500
Rates: Single/Double $132

18. SHERATON NEW ORLEANS
The beautifully renovated Sheraton New Orleans Hotel features exquisite mahogany furniture, rich jewel-tone colored fabrics and wall coverings, fine marble, and wrought iron detailing reminiscent of an historic New Orleans home. The hotel also features a fine dining restaurant, quality coffee shop, high-end gift shop, convenient business center, full-service fitness center with pool (complete with professional trainers), therapists, spa amenities, valet, and an award-winning concierge service. The Hotel is conveniently located in the heart of the Central Business District, bordering the historic French Quarter, and just blocks from the Mississippi River.
500 Canal Street • (504) 525-2500
Rates: Single $162
Double $185

19. WINDSOR COURT HOTEL
The Windsor Court Hotel is recognized as one of the world’s premier hotels. Abundant suites, a multi-million dollar art collection, and legendary cuisine complement the hotel’s incomparable convenience to the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center, the French Quarter, and the Mississippi Riverfront. Selected by both the Zagat Survey and the readers of Condé Nast Traveler Magazine as one of the “Top Three” domestic hotels and the only AAA "Five Diamond" rating in the Deep South.
300 Gravier Street • (504) 523-6000
Rates: Single/Double $205
Junior Suite $250
Full Suite $275

20. WYNDHAM RIVERFRONT HOTEL
New Orleans’ newest luxury hotel, the Wyndham Riverfront, is located just across the street from the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center and only steps away from the French Quarter. The deluxe guest rooms feature the finest attention to detail and amenities including in-room coffee makers with complimentary coffee, hair dryer, and iron and ironing board. The hotel also offers computer modem telephones, valet parking and complimentary usage of the fully equipped exercise room. E’s Café and lounge offers traditional continental cuisine and Creole specialties.
701 Convention Center Boulevard • (504) 524-8200
Rates: Single $165
Double $185
ADVANCE REGISTRATION FORM

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR CANCER RESEARCH
89TH ANNUAL MEETING - NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA - March 28-April 1, 1998

Return to
American Association for Cancer Research • Public Ledger Building, Suite 826
150 S. Independence Mall West • Philadelphia, PA 19106-3483 • FAX: 215-440-7228

DEADLINES:
• February 2, 1998 for reduced rates and to ensure receipt of meeting materials by mail in March
• February 23, 1998 for all registration by mail (Registration forms received after this date will not be accepted. Registration will be conducted at the Morial Convention Center in New Orleans from March 28-April 1, 1998.)
• March 20, 1998 to cancel registration and receive refund less cancellation fee of $35

(Please print)

NAME: ___________________________ Last First/Middle Initial AACR Member Number ___________________________

TITLE: ___________________________ ADDRESS: ___________________________

Institution: ___________________________

City ___________________________ State or Province __________________ Zip/Postal Code __________________ Country (if not U.S.) __________________

TELEPHONE NO.: ___________________________ FAX NO.: ___________________________ E-Mail: ___________________________

☐ 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):
☐ 1 Biochemistry/Biophysics ☐ 3 Carcinogenesis ☐ Cellular Biology and Genetics ☐ 5 Clinical Investigations
☐ 2 Endocrinology/Signal Transduction ☐ 4 Epidemiology ☐ Experimental Therapeutics ☐ 6 Immunology ☐ 7 Molecular Biology and Genetics
☐ 8 Prevention ☐ 9 Radiobiology/Radiation Oncology ☐ 10 Virology ☐ Other (please specify): ___________________________

ARE YOU THE PRESENTER OF AN ABSTRACT SUBMITTED FOR THE 1998 AACR MEETING? ☐ Yes ☐ No

ON WHICH DAYS WILL YOU ATTEND THE 1998 AACR ANNUAL MEETING (Check all that apply)?
☐ Saturday, March 28 ☐ Sunday, March 29 ☐ Monday, March 30 ☐ Tuesday, March 31 ☐ Wednesday, April 1

☐ Check this box if you are a high school or undergraduate student. This information will be used for the organization of a special educational event during the annual meeting for students interested in pursuing careers in science. The program, to be organized by the AACR Science Education Committee, will include presentations as well as a panel discussion by cancer experts. Further information will be sent to you under separate cover.

PAYMENT OF REGISTRATION

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

On or Before February 2 After February 2
☐ Active/Corresponding Member Rate $160 $200
☐ Nonmember Rate $310 $370
☐ Emeritus Member Rate $55 $55
☐ Associate Member/Predoctoral Student Rate* $85 $95
☐ Honorary Member Rate $0 $0
☐ AACR Proceedings* $35 Members $35 Members
☐ Optional Overseas Surcharges* $45 Nonmembers $45 Nonmembers
☐ $25 N.A.

TOTAL ENCLODED OR CHARGED $________ $________

METHOD OF PAYMENT
☐ Check payable to AACR, Inc. in U.S. currency, drawn on a U.S. bank

☐ Person/Institution Issuing Check ______________ Check No. ______________

☐ VISA ☐ MasterCard ☐ American Express

Card Number ______________ Expiration Date ______________

Signature ___________________________

*An application for Associate Membership may accompany this form, but these should be submitted by February 16, 1998, as review of the Associate Membership application may delay registration. 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. Persons wishing to register at the associate member rate in New Orleans must submit applications no later than March 6, 1998, to ensure time for review of their applications.

*Active, corresponding, and associate members of the AACR who have paid dues for 1998 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 before the annual meeting. This service will not be available after February 2, 1998.

AACR members in good standing, i.e., dues paid for 1998, will receive copies of the Program and Proceedings prior to the meeting. Nonmember and student registrants who meet the February 2 deadline will also receive the Program and (if they have purchased it) the Proceedings prior to the meeting. Nonmembers and students who do not meet the deadline must pick up publications at the meeting site.

REFUND POLICY

Refunds on registration fees will be granted on written request received in the AACR Office by March 20, 1998. 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 $35 will be deducted from all refunds to cover administrative costs.
Time has been set aside for the presentation of a few definitive reports of highly significant
and timely findings in the field. Criteria for the selection of these presentations and
instructions for submission of abstracts are as follows:

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMISSION OF LATE-BREAKING ABSTRACTS

1. The work to be presented must be of major novelty and significance, e.g., the
characterization of a new gene in familial cancer or the discovery of a new diagnostic
marker, and should not have been previously published in a peer-reviewed scientific journal
or presented at a national meeting.

2. The abstract must be sponsored by an AACR member in good standing (dues paid for
1998).

3. Each member in good standing may sponsor only one abstract for this session whether
or not he or she sponsored an abstract last October for the regular annual meeting program.
If an associate member is the sponsor, the abstract must also be endorsed by an active or
corresponding member in good standing. In this case, the endorser does not forfeit the
opportunity to sponsor a late-breaking abstract.

4. Abstracts must be typed on one side of one sheet of white paper.

5. All text on the page must fit within an area 6 1/2" wide and 9" high (16.5 cm X 22.9 cm)
with margins of at least 1" (2.5 cm) on the top, bottom, and sides of the page.

6. Each abstract must be accompanied by a covering letter from the sponsor explaining
why the work is novel and significant enough to be considered for this late-breaking
research session and certifying that the findings became available after the annual
meeting abstract deadline of October 28, 1997. This letter must contain the sponsor's
complete mailing address, FAX number, and E-mail address (if available) so that we can
communicate the scheduling decision of the Program Committee.

7. Abstracts and covering letters must be received in the AACR Office by 5:00 p.m. Eastern
Time on February 27, 1998. FAX transmissions are not acceptable. Carrying envelopes
should be clearly marked "Late-Breaking Abstract," and should be addressed to American
Association for Cancer Research, Public Ledger Building, Suite 826, 150 South
Independence Mall West, Philadelphia, PA 19106-3483. If you wish to receive
acknowledgment of receipt of your abstract, enclose a self-addressed post card with
appropriate postage affixed. Accepted abstracts will not be published since they will be
received after the Proceedings of the American Association for Cancer Research has been
printed; however, they will be distributed at the session in New Orleans.

8. A special subcommittee of the Program Committee appointed by President Donald S.
Coffey will select the papers to be presented. Presenters of accepted papers will be notified
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR CANCER RESEARCH

GUIDELINES FOR APPLICATION FOR ACTIVE AND CORRESPONDING MEMBERSHIP

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

The American Association for Cancer Research (AACR), a scientific society of over 13,000 laboratory and clinical cancer researchers, was founded in 1907 to facilitate communication and dissemination of knowledge among scientists and others dedicated to the cancer problem; to foster research in cancer and related biomedical sciences; to encourage the presentation and discussion of new and important observations in the field; to foster public education, science education, and training; and to advance the understanding of cancer etiology, prevention, diagnosis, and treatment throughout the world.

Members of the AACR enjoy the following benefits:

1. the privilege of sponsoring a proffered paper (abstract) for consideration at presentation 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 concerned 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 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. 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:

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
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.

All members are entitled to membership in the Special Membership Committee which receives applications for corresponding membership. Candidates will be notified according to the following schedule:

Margaret Foti, Ph.D.
Executive Director
APPLICATION FOR ACTIVE OR CORRESPONDING MEMBERSHIP

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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
- Biostatistics
- Carcinogenesis
- Cellular Biology and Genetics
- Clinical Investigations
- Endocrinology
- Epidemiology
- Immunology
- Molecular Biology and Genetics
- Preclinical Pharmacology and Virology
- Experimental Therapeutics
- Other: (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*: (Please print)

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.
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
E-mail: aacr@aacr.org

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 forthcom yea r. 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:__________________________________________

INSTITUTIONAL ADDRESS:______________________________________________

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

TELEPHONE NUMBER:______________________ FAX NUMBER:______________________

E-MAIL ADDRESS:_______________________________________________________

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

- Graduate Student
- Medical Student
- Physician in Training
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