

HARC MEMBERSHIP CRITERIA

HARC aims to develop a membership that shares diverse interests in the ageing process and the ageing population. It welcomes as members people who have demonstrated interests in research into ageing, the provision of services relevant to the needs of the ageing population and/or the promotion of government and public interest in problems related to ageing in the community.

Research

Research into any aspect of the aging process, including:

1. The biology of ageing at all stages of life.
2. Ageing at all levels, including cells, systems and organisms.
3. Extension of the healthy ageing period.
4. Age-related disease and the impact on ageing and quality of life.
5. Nutrition.
6. Psycho-social aspects of ageing.
7. Provision of services to the ageing population.
8. Demographic and economic aspects of ageing.

Services

Provision of services relevant to the needs of the ageing population, including:

1. Medical.
2. Financial.
3. Legal.
4. Educational and recreational.
5. Housing.
6. Nutrition.

Promotion

Promotion of interest in ageing at any level, including:

1. Educational.
2. Coordination of research and research funding.
3. Special interests (disease based, demographic, ethnic, etc).
4. Commercial interests.
5. Philanthropic support of research of any sort into ageing.
6. Representation to government at all levels.