



MEMBERSHIP GUIDELINES & APPLICATION

Guidelines:

Application for membership into the Genetic Epidemiology Research Institute (GERI) is available to UCI Faculty who have a demonstrable interest in the genetic basis of health and disease. GERI membership will be for an initial three-year term with subsequent reappointments extended as appropriate. The Institute's overall goals and objectives are available on our [GERI website](#).

Eligibility for Active Membership:

Demonstrable interest in the genetic basis of health and disease can be illustrated by working on a peer-reviewed extramural grant(s) for a project(s) with demonstrable relevance to genetics and/or documented activity in the form of recent peer-reviewed research publications or meeting abstracts relevant to the genetic basis of health and disease. Each applicant should identify their primary discipline as well as any other research interest relevant to the field of genetic epidemiology or our institute. Members will be expected to collaborate with other GERI members in interactive, multi-disciplinary research studies and grant proposals initiated through GERI.

Privileges:

All members will receive updated listings of ongoing GERI-related research, training programs and other GERI events (e.g., symposia, visiting speakers, interdisciplinary GERI conferences, grand rounds, and relevant community activities). Members also will be eligible to apply for financial support grants; i.e., seed funds, for any collaborative pilot research projects within GERI. Extramural contract and grant services will be made available to GERI members. In the future, GERI members will be able to request training grant funds for graduate student and post-doctoral researchers.

