

Policy, Criterion, and Procedures for the Award of Honorary Life Membership

Article II, Section 3 of the By-Laws for the North Carolina Association for Institutional Research (NCAIR) states that “Honorary Life Members of the Association, defined as persons accorded such status from time to time by the Executive Committee, shall be exempt from membership dues and such exemption shall not affect their status as active members nor the privileges of active membership except holding the offices of president, president-elect, secretary or treasurer.”

Nominations for Honorary Life Membership shall be made to the immediate past president of the Association. An affirmative vote of two-thirds of the Executive Committee shall be required for the awarding of Honorary Life Membership.

General Policy

1. Honorary Life Membership should be a meaningful recognition bestowed sparingly and only to those persons who have made significant contributions to the Association.
2. Honorary Life Membership status shall be awarded for the lifetime of the individual.

Criterion

A member or former member nominated for Honorary Life Membership shall have made substantial contributions to the Association over a long period of time.

Procedure for Selection

1. Members of NCAIR may submit nominations for Honorary Life Membership to the immediate past president. It will be the responsibility of the member submitting the nomination to provide all pertinent data to the immediate past president in support of the nomination.
2. The Executive Committee will screen all nominations obtained against the Policy and Criterion.
3. An affirmative vote of two-thirds of the Executive Committee shall be required for Honorary Life Membership.
4. The Executive Committee shall determine the occasion and manner of recognizing Honorary Life Membership.
5. The Policy, Criterion, and Procedures for selecting Honorary Life Membership shall be made available to all NCAIR members.

Membership Dues for Honorary Life Members

As specified in the By-Laws, no membership dues shall be assessed to Honorary Life Members.