

Neuroscience Research Center Membership



knowledge changing life

Primary Membership

Expectations

Primary members are expected to make meaningful contributions to the research activities of the NRC in one or more of the following ways:

- Demonstrate a commitment to the NRC's mission to enhance basic and translational neuroscience at MCW through the development of an MCW-wide programmatic plan for neuroscience research
- Regularly attend NRC meetings, seminars, retreats, and other special events
- Participate in ad hoc review committees for funding proposals of fellow NRC members upon request
- Acknowledge any NRC support on all publications, oral/poster presentations, grant submissions (including selecting the NRC as an affiliate center in eBridge as appropriate), and internal/external media announcements
- Maintain your credentials, appointments, publications list and CV through the Faculty Collaboration Database (FCD)
- Share areas of expertise as mentors to junior faculty (for senior members)
- As requested, submit regular progress reports for any projects funded by NRC seed/pilot grants

Benefits

- Eligibility to apply as PI for NRC pilot awards (1- or 2-year grants awarded on a competitive basis for the support of novel multidisciplinary research;
- Priority access and negotiated rates to use current and future NRC core resources (Behavior Core, Mass Spectrometry, etc.)
- Higher priority for access to NRC research offices/lab space
- Access to philanthropic funds directed to NRC-specific programs (as appropriate and as approved by the Director);
- Invitations to NRC-related meetings, seminars, retreats, and special events throughout the year
- Opportunities to receive mentorship from senior researchers and/or serve as a mentor in various NRC programs with junior researchers and students
- Membership listing on the NRC website and materials;
- Receive support from NRC Administrative staff for:
 - Development and submission of various grants
 - FCD maintenance
 - Manuscript review/submission
 - Other administrative tasks as needed

Eligibility Criteria

- Full-time or Full Professional Effort (PFE) faculty appointment at the Medical College of Wisconsin
- Active neuroscience research/clinical program

Neuroscience Research Center Membership



knowledge changing life

Affiliate Membership

Eligibility

Affiliate membership is designated for individuals who make meaningful contributions to the research, education, patient care, and community outreach activities of neuroscience, but do not meet the criteria for primary membership. Affiliate membership may also be appropriate for faculty whose primary membership is with another institutional Center, but who wish to be involved with the NRC community, and may include:

- Non-MCW faculty or neuroscience researchers
- Neuroscience researchers at other institutions (BloodCenter of Wisconsin, Children's Hospital of Wisconsin, Froedtert Hospital, etc.)
- MCW Staff, Post-Docs, students with an interest in neuroscience
- Others, by invitation from NRC Director or Administration

Expectations

Make meaningful contributions to the research activities and mission of the NRC to enhance basic and translational neuroscience at MCW.

Benefits

- Receive invitations to NRC-related meetings, seminars, retreats, and special events throughout the year
- Receive NRC communications and announcements;
- Opportunities to receive mentorship from senior researchers (for junior researchers, students, and other trainees)