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## IAG MEMBERSHIP 2009

Members of the Institute of Australian Geographers advance the objectives of the organisation, which are noted in the Constitution (<http://www.iag.org.au/iaqconst.htm>) as follows:

“2.1 The objectives of the Institute are:

- (a) to promote the study and practice of geography in Australia;
- (b) to advance the study of Australian geography internationally;
- (c) to hold and sponsor meetings, symposia, conferences or other gatherings to present, discuss and disseminate geographical studies and research;
- (d) to undertake or assist in the publication and dissemination of geographical studies and research by way of a Journal and other means;
- (e) to represent the interests of professional geographers in Australia;
- (f) to co-operate with other organisations having kindred purposes.”

**Membership comprises several categories:**

- a. *life membership* – for those people nominated by members of the Institute and approved by Council as meriting ongoing membership provided without charge by the Institute in recognition of services provided to it;
- b. *registered membership* – for those people seeking to advance the objectives of the organisation and wanting recognition of their professional activities in geography and/or allied fields, who have discipline-specific qualifications or recognised equivalent qualifications and 36 months full-time equivalent of experience in professional endeavours in geography and/or allied fields that can be documented, and who commit to 3 days of continuous professional development in any three-year period of membership and are able to provide testimonials to that effect; such members may use the title ‘Registered Member of the IAG’ (RMIAG);
- c. *ordinary membership* – for professional geographers and any other interested persons who have agreed to advance the objectives of the organisation but are not seeking professional membership; and
- d. *concession membership* – for former professional geographers and any other interested persons who have agreed to advance the objectives of the organisation but are not seeking professional membership AND who are students, are in receipt of Commonwealth Government benefits as their primary source of income, or are retired (MIAG).

**Membership entitles subscribers to a range of annual services:**

- four issues of *Geographical Research: Journal of the Institute of Australian Geographers*,
- two issues of the Institute Newsletter,
- annual conferences,
- regular study group meetings,
- opportunities to network via the IAG Listserv, and
- access via Council to the National Committee for Geography, Academy of the Sciences, and thus to the International Geographical Union.

**The fee structure for membership in 2009 is as follows:**

CATEGORY	2009 FEE SCHEDULE (see note 1)
Life	Institute provided
Ordinary	110.00
Concession	60.00

**The membership form (overleaf) may be sent to:**

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**PAYMENT OPTIONS**

**Membership No.**

CATEGORY (CIRCLE 1 ONLY)	FEE (AUD\$)	PAYMENT OPTION (CIRCLE 1 ONLY)
Life	No cost	Not applicable
Professional	120.00	Visa Mastercard Bankcard Cheque
Ordinary	110.00	Visa Mastercard Bankcard Cheque
Concession <sup>1</sup>	60.00	Visa Mastercard Bankcard Cheque
Student		
Retired		
Govt benefits		

Credit Card Number \_\_\_\_\_

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(AS SHOWN ON THE CARD)

Current arrears AUD\$

Total amount to be paid AUD\$

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>1</sup> The Institute gratefully receives evidence of your status as a concession member, including photocopies of relevant cards or other documentation.