



The Association of
Accountants and
Financial Professionals
in Business

IMA Research Foundation

Committee Purpose

The IMA Research Foundation (IRF) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit, educational organization formed in 1994 as an entity affiliated with IMA. IRF's mission is to assist with the funding, development, and dissemination of practical, relevant, and timely research in the area of management accounting. The IRF Committee consists of academics and professionals with a passion for management accounting research.

Committee Responsibilities

- Provide timely, thoughtful, and high-quality reviews of research grant proposals from academics, practitioners, and/or doctoral students
- Assist in reviewing research proposals submitted in response to any special calls
- Participate in discussions and/or deliberations within IRF
- Contribute to strengthening the links and transmission of management accounting knowledge between academic and practitioner communities
- Assist in enhancing the research mission and profile of IRF and IMA

Committee Member Requirements

- Member in good standing
- Academic members should have experience conducting applied research in the field of management accounting; a Ph.D. degree from an accredited university preferred
- Professional members should have considerable work experience in the field of management accounting; graduate degree from an accredited university preferred

The Nominating Committee will select the most suitable individuals for the open positions. Consideration will be given to the nominee's abilities, professional qualifications, and diverse backgrounds, including gender.

Terms of Service, Time, and Travel Commitment

Members serving on the committee must be able to commit to have time to complete committee work required within timeline deadlines. The time commitment is approximately 40 hours per year. The committee meets monthly via teleconference and at least two times per year face-to-face. In person attendance preferred.

- Committee members will be reimbursed for travel per Board Policy A-152.
- Committee members may serve a maximum of six consecutive one-year terms as per Board Policy D-115.

For more information, please contact

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