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**Yale Cancer Center
Full Membership Application**

NAME: _____ DEGREE: _____

ACADEMIC TITLE: _____

DEPARTMENT: _____ SECTION: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____ FAX: _____

UPI#: _____ eRA Commons ID: _____

YALE EMPLOYMENT START DATE: _____

ADMIN ASST or SECONDARY CONTACT (in case of urgent YCC need):

NAME: _____

EMAIL: _____ TEL: _____

YCC RESEARCH PROGRAM: _____ (Select program from pg. 4)

Program Leader

Applicant

Name: _____ **Signature:** _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Complete this and the attached forms using additional pages as needed. Please provide on page 6:

1. An overall description of your cancer-related activities in the last four years, including cancer-related research and publications;
2. A listing of cancer-related teaching activities;
3. A listing of cancer-related national/community service (study sections, consultation to NCI, voluntary assistance to cancer organizations, etc.);
4. A listing of all grant support for the last five years and a listing of pending applications. Include grant number and, if appropriate, funding source, project title, role in project, percent effort, period of award, and annual direct costs;

Checklist:

A complete application with your signature on page 1

Curriculum Vitae & Bibliography

NIH-formatted biosketch

Eligibility

Full Members must have:

An independent Yale faculty appointment at the level of Assistant Professor, Associate Professor or Professor. Faculty members in other ranks (e.g. Research Scientist or Instructor) will be considered on a case-by-case basis. Full members must have contributed to the peer-reviewed cancer literature within the past 3 years and must have at least one of the following:

1. Held extramural cancer-relevant peer-reviewed grant support as a PI, or as a Co-PI, within the past 2 years
or
2. Served as PI or Co-PI on one or more YCC intervention (therapeutic or non-therapeutic) cancer clinical trials within the preceding 24-month period. For this purpose, a PI or Co-PI should contribute to protocol development, implementation, patient accrual and participate at a level justifying publication co-authorship
or
3. Provided exceptional medical or scientific expertise to the overall research mission of the YCC.

Junior Faculty

If they wish, junior faculty are welcome to apply for full membership even if they do not meet all the criteria for that category. The leaders of the applicant's desired research program will make the final determination of membership category. The assigned category can be changed in the future by the program leaders based on success in meeting the membership criteria.

Member Privileges

1. Priority use of YCC-managed shared resources;
2. Access to YCC administrative core resources and personnel;/;
3. Enhanced opportunities to develop collaborative research efforts;
4. Eligibility for allocation of YCC space;
5. Eligibility to compete for CCSG Developmental and Supplemental Funds;
6. Eligibility to compete for YCC Pilot Award Funds;
7. Eligibility to compete for YCC Philanthropic Funds;
8. Facilitated access to clinical populations;
9. YCC publications, announcements of availability of grants, awards, and notices of lectures;
10. Public Relations Support.

Obligations

Members are expected to:

1. Participate in clinical, population science and/or laboratory cancer research aligned with research program theme(s);
2. Participate in Center, program or disease unit meetings, retreats, and symposia;
3. Participate in Center internal review panels and other committees;
4. Submit all cancer-related therapeutic and/or interventional protocols to YCC Protocol Review Committee, prior to that of HIC;
5. Submit in a timely and accurate manner, annual and special requests for updates on Research Progress, Other Support, Publications, Curriculum Vitae and Biosketches;
6. Participate in the preparation and implementation of the P30 CCSG application and renewals for submission to the NCI, as requested;
7. List YCC affiliations on curricula vitae and biosketches;
8. Acknowledge membership and YCC support, especially from core facilities and pilot projects, in publications, abstracts, posters, and presentations;
9. Create and maintain of a research profile on the YCC website (as applicable);
10. Participate in efforts to raise visibility and/or financial support for YCC.

Application Process

1. Interested applicants should discuss their intentions with appropriate YCC Research Program Leaders. For questions regarding the application process please contact, Membership Coordinator, Tania Galindo, at Tania.Galindo@yale.edu.
2. Each applicant must submit:
 - A fully completed application form, including their signature and the signature(s) of the appropriate Program Leader(s);
 - A curriculum vitae including bibliography;
 - An NIH-formatted Biosketch;
 - A description of the applicant's cancer related research and activities. The cancer focus of the applicant's research should be made clear in the description.
3. Send completed application to YCCMembership@yale.edu.
4. Program leadership will review application materials and determine eligibility.
5. Completed signed application and supporting statement provided by the respective program leader will be sent to the Chair of the YCC Membership Committee for further review and approval.
6. The Chair of the YCC Membership Committee will notify applicants of the decision by letter.
7. Membership can be maintained as long as the individual fulfills the criteria necessary for the initial appointment. All YCC members will have their membership status reviewed at least every 2 years.

Research Programs and Leaders:

Program:

[Cancer Immunology](#)

Leaders:

Marcus Bosenberg, M.D., Ph.D.

Mario Sznol, M.D.

Carla Rothlin, Ph.D.

[Cancer Prevention and Control](#)

Xiaomei Ma, Ph.D.

Michaela Dinan, Ph.D.

[Cancer Signaling Networks](#)

Katerina Politi, Ph.D.

Don Nguyen, Ph.D.

Isaac Kim, M.D., Ph.D., MBA

[Developmental Therapeutics](#)

Karen Anderson, Ph.D.

Barbara Burtness, M.D.

[Genomics, Genetics and Epigenetics](#)

Lajos Pusztai, M.D., D.Phil.

Jeffrey Townsend, Ph.D.

Qin Yan, Ph.D.

[Radiobiology and Genome Integrity](#)

Joseph Contessa, M.D., Ph.D.

Megan King, Ph.D.

PROGRAM LEADER LETTER OF SUPPORT

To be completed by Research Program Leader

Provide a paragraph to substantiate why Program membership is appropriate.

Name of Applicant: _____

Research Program _____

APPLICANT STATEMENT- CANCER-RELATED RESEARCH FORM

Provide a general description of your cancer-related research and activities. (Please note: This section may be used for YCC announcements)

IMPORTANT: Please highlight three key phrases that can be used for indexing. (Examples: Hepatocellular carcinoma; molecular imaging; cancers in AIDS patients)

Name of Applicant: _____

Research Program: _____

Key Phrases

- 1)
- 2)
- 3)

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