

International Association Relationship Research

General Information

The International Association for Relationship Research (IARR) is an interdisciplinary organization promoting advances in the scientific study of personal and social relationships. IARR members represent a wide range of disciplines, including but not limited to psychology, family studies, sociology, communication, anthropology, social work, and gerontology. IARR encourages collaboration among students, academics, and new or experienced researchers. The association has members from six of the seven continents and sponsors two peer-reviewed journals: Personal Relationships (PR) and the Journal of Social and Personal Relationships (JSPR). Additionally, IARR sponsors the newsletter Relationship Research News, the book series Advances in Personal Relationships, workshops, conferences, and biennial specialized "miniconferences." For more information about IARR, visit: http://www.iarr.org.

Membership

Membership benefits include digital access to both of IARR's peer-reviewed journals (PR and JSPR), access to Relationship Research News, IARR announcements, discounts on conference registration fees, publisher discounts, and opportunities to apply for special awards sponsored by the organization. Members have the option of purchasing 1-year or 2-year memberships, with a discount for 2 year memberships. Reduced membership rates are available for students and people from underrepresented countries. There is an additional cost associated with receiving print copies of the journals. Membership runs from January 1 to December 31. For details on membership costs and to become a member, go to: http://www.iarr.org/membership/

Publications

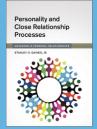


IARR sponsors two peer-reviewed journals: Personal Relationships, published by Wiley, and the Journal of Social and Personal Relationships, published by SAGE. Both journals promote high-quality interdisciplinary and international scholarship in the field of relationship science through a wide variety of methodologies. Published works usually focus on the attributes of individual partners in personal relationships at all stages of the life cycle, the interactive processes of relationships, the internal structure of peer networks, and relationships in social contexts.





IARR also sponsors Advances in Personal Relationships, a book series published by Cambridge University Press. Volumes include integrative reviews, conceptual pieces, summaries of research programs, and major theoretical works. Contributing authors and editors are internationally known scholars from a variety of disciplines.



Conferences

IARR has a biennial conference in the even years and this is the main conference, typically with attendance of 500-600 people from around the world. In addition, in the odd years, IARR co-sponsors one or more mini-conferences (with specific themes) and a New Scholar Workshop. IARR prides itself on holding excellent conferences that promote collaboration and the development of new professionals. For information on past and future conferences, visit: http://www.iarr.org/conferences/