

CIH^{LMU} Membership Agreement

The CIH^{LMU} Center for International Health brings together multi-disciplinary researchers of the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität (LMU) in Munich, Germany and partner universities, research centers and experts worldwide to focus on improving the health conditions in low and middle income countries through quality research, training, teaching and consultancy.

An affiliate membership in the CIH^{LMU} is only possible for committed applicants who are actively engaged in activities, projects or other assignments of the CIH^{LMU} and contribute to the achievements of the above mentioned aims.

Members of CIH^{LMU} can be individuals, which are active in the fields of education and global health focusing on low and middle income countries and other fragile settings.

1. Membership Responsibilities

Scientists selected as affiliate members are expected to:

- (1) demonstrate interest, willingness and availability to participate fully in the improvement of health conditions in low and middle income countries;
- (2) contribute to scientific and technical exchange where appropriate;
- (3) act according to ethical scientific standards;
- (4) observe the current version of the CIH^{LMU} statutes that are attached to this Membership Agreement;
- (5) care about visibility of CIH^{LMU} by mentioning the respective affiliation as well as by appropriate use of the logos of CIH^{LMU} where applicable;
- (6) inform the CIH^{LMU} Office proactively about any changes in the particulars given in their application form;
- (7) commit themselves to seek financial resources for joint projects that may be developed within the network, as membership is not related with any allocation of funds or resources.

2. Membership Benefits

- (1) Opportunities to collaborate with other active members in the field from various scientific backgrounds.

- (2) Initiate and/or participate in CIH^{LMU} activities with reduced fees or even for free.
- (3) Receive the monthly CIH^{LMU} Newsletter and annual director's report.
- (4) Access to the annual CIH^{LMU} general assembly (Cooperation Meeting) for a confidential, closed door event open to members and invited guests only.
- (5) Obtain a LMU user id and access to the LMU virtual library.
- (6) Access to the CIH^{LMU} network portal.

3. Term

- (1) The term of this agreement shall end after two years, unless an application for an extension has been submitted and agreed on by the board of directors of CIH^{LMU} for a further two years. Reiteration of the extension of membership is not limited.
- (2) Either Party may terminate this agreement at any time and for any reason on three months prior written notice to the board of directors.

The membership between you and the CIH^{LMU} Center for International Health comes into effect once the application for membership form has been completed and signed by you and accepted by a duly authorized officer of the CIH^{LMU}.

Place/ Date

CIH^{LMU} Associate Member

CIH^{LMU} Board Member