

AUAR 2018-2019 Membership Form

Name: _____

Spouse: _____

Address: _____

City State Zip

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Department or Office Before Retirement:

Please one: New Renewal

Membership Dues for 7/1 to 6/30: (Check payable to "AUAR")	12.00
Scholarship Donation (optional): (Check payable to "UA Foundation")	
TOTAL enclosed:	

We invite you to serve on one or more of our committees. Please check any that interest you:

- Political Action/Affiliates: _____
- Programs: _____
- University & Community Service: _____
- Scholarship Committee: _____

Return this form with check(s) to:

AUAR/Membership
Human Resources
The University of Akron
Akron, OH 44325-4730

Purpose

The Association of The University of Akron Retirees (AUAR), a recognized campus organization, brings together retirees of the university for advocacy, service and educational, cultural and social activities:

- Advocacy activities have included networking with other retirees groups concerned with protecting pension benefits, alerting AUAR members about proposed threats to our pensions and acting to protect these benefits. Advocacy activities have also included working with appropriate organizations of the University community concerning retirees' University benefits.
- Service activities are designed to provide opportunities for members to assist The University of Akron and the larger Akron community. Such activities have included serving as guides for the University's part of Akron's First Night and other University events and volunteering for the community's National Public Radio membership drives.
- Educational, cultural and social activities have included monthly luncheons featuring campus and Akron area speakers, theater events, annual Lobster and Suds social, chili/soup suppers, sports events and bus trips to places of interest.

History

In May 1998, The Faculty Senate of The University of Akron approved a proposal calling for the creation of the Emeriti College. The following month the University's Board of Trustees gave its approval, and the Association of The University of Akron Retirees (AUAR) was established. The AUAR was originally housed in the Institute for Life-Span Development and Gerontology and in 2003 was moved to Human Resources. AUAR is affiliated with the Ohio Association of College and Higher Education Retirees (OCHER).

Membership

Membership is open to all retirees from The University of Akron, both Akron and Wayne campuses. Associate membership is available to spouses of deceased retirees and persons who retired from any state retirement system or approved alternative retirement system, who had at least 5 years of full-time service with the University of Akron. Membership year runs from July 1st through June 30th.

Activities

- Monthly luncheons with campus and community speakers
 - Annual lobster & suds party
 - Pot luck suppers at one of the metro park lodges
 - Pre-game sports events parties
 - Day and overnight bus trips
 - Theater and concert events
 - And much more...
- Suggestions are welcome

Other Benefits

- Networking with other Retiree Groups to protect pension benefits
- Alerting AUAR members about proposed threats to our pensions and acting to protect these benefits
- Working with appropriate members of the University community concerning retirees' University benefits
- Service opportunities for the University and the community

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Contact
HR Administrator
Telephone: (330) 972-2590

AUAR Website
<http://www.uakron.edu/auar>



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