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### Membership Categories and Dues

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Any individual who is professionally engaged in or associated with the geophysical sciences may become an **AGU Member**.

**Dues:** \$50 per year

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**Dues:** \$50 per year

**Student Member**

Students enrolled in at least a half-time degree-granting program for the current year may become a **Student Member** at a discounted rate. Student status must be confirmed each year by a faculty member.

**Dues:** \$20 per year

**Life Member**

**Life membership** is available to any individual who qualifies as an AGU Member, and chooses to make a one-time membership dues payment.

**Dues:** Life Members submit a one-time payment based on age. See chart below for details:

Age	Dues
Under 36	\$1500
36–50	\$1250
51–65	\$1000
Over 65	\$750

Individuals who are interested in converting their regular membership status to Life Member should contact the AGU [Member Service Center](#) ([service@agu.org](mailto:service@agu.org)).

**Supporting Memberships**

[Supporting membership](#) is available to anyone making a contribution to the Voluntary Contribution Campaign of \$120 or more. As a Supporting Member you pay regular dues plus the Supporting Member contribution for the category you select. You may choose to direct up to half of your Supporting Member contribution to one or more of the special funds. Become a Supporting Member by [making a gift](#).

**Grant Programs**

AGU has established and administers two membership grant programs, as follows:

- The Berkner Membership Program provides free, three-year memberships to individual scientists in countries striving to develop their geophysical sciences, often under the burden of low gross national product. See [qualifying country list](#).
- The Lend-A-Hand Program allows Members to help their colleagues in countries with currency restrictions or low exchange rates. Through a gift of \$100, Members provide a scientist with the full benefits of AGU for two years. Members may also donate AGU journal subscriptions. Donations may be made for a specific recipient or to fund individuals who lack sponsors. See [qualifying country list](#).

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