

Honorary Life Membership Criteria

- Definition - HLM is a means of extending the privileges of membership in IRMSA upon risk practitioner of “sterling character and staunch uprightness” who are members of IRMSA and active in the risk management field. This membership is awarded without payment of membership fees on individuals for outstanding service or contribution to the field of risk management from the nominations received from any source, but is subject to the approval of Executive Committee. This type of membership is awarded at the event of IRMSA annually but it is not automatic. The membership committee will consider the nominations and make recommendations to the Executive Committee to either award the HLM or decline it.
- Eligibility – Must be a member in good standing at all at all times whilst holding the HLM status.
- Duration – Honorary Life Membership is a Permanent membership unless in breach of Code of Ethics.
- Withdrawal of the status from the member - If in breach of Code of Ethics then membership revoked.
- If HLM member is an existing Associate or Fellow, that stream of membership must continue to be upheld and paid for unless members wish to resign from that level of membership. HLM status will be a separate honour.
- Individual Members who are honoured will not have to continue paying their individual membership unless they wish to do so for the professionalization route.
- HLM members must pay for all other events and member rates will apply (e.g. breakfast, conference etc)
- IRMSA will award HLM status at annual awards dinner
- HLM Members to be invited to all prestigious events at the discretion of EXCO.
- Citizenship – there are no boundaries in this regard.
- The excellence service awarded having been done in at least the past two years (current contribution to the Risk Management Profession)
- Past presidents may be honoured, but it is not automatic.
- HLM may not be awarded to current EXCO members
- Awarded to member which have developed new strategies for IRMSA/ Risk Management profession,
- Enhancing services to members of IRMSA
- Enhancing the image of IRMSA with industry and/ or risk management professionals
- The nominator must be an IRMSA member in good standing i.e. no criminal records, etc.
- Only 1 nomination is required, EXCO quorum to ratify HLM status of nominee.

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