



Hop Research Council Application
Full Membership
Associate Membership
Sponsor

The Hop Research Council is a non-profit organization that funds and directs hop research to benefit the U.S. hop industry. Members include domestic and international brewers, hop merchants, hop grower organizations, and affiliates.

The Council was established in 1979 by a group of hop industry members that believed in the benefit of a united hop research effort. Today, the original goal remains true. Brewers, Merchants and Growers work together to fund and direct hop research, ensuring a bright future for the U.S. hop industry.

Membership Categories and Benefits:

Full Membership

(dues \$2,500/year + assessment based on total volume - call Michelle Palacios at (503) 982-7600 for details)

1. Voting rights
2. Participation on committees or as an elected officer
3. Leadership position and a voice in determining the direction of research funded by the hop community/brewing industry.
4. Attendance to business, technical meetings, and poster sessions
5. Access to Webinars with researchers, growers and processors.
6. Access to membership-only reports, research, and data. Information is posted on the HRC members-only section as it becomes available.
7. Participation in experimental brewing trials of advanced lines. Anticipate annual harvest of 40 advanced lines at 30-35 pounds per variety (advanced line samples are provided at no charge with feedback on hop quality expected)
8. Participation in beer tasting of experimental varieties at winter and summer meetings.
9. Monthly newsletters from HRC outlining current developments and industry challenges.



HOP RESEARCH COUNCIL

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Associate Membership

(dues \$1,500/year + assessment of \$1,500/million barrels or million pounds of hop production/year)

1. Non-voting
2. Access to membership-only reports, research, and data as posted on website
3. Participation in any beer tasting of experimental varieties (one ticket per member)
4. Access to Elite lines for regional grow-outs/brewing trials. (material for brewing trials will be available as leaf or pellets, at market pricing. Material for grow-outs to be propagated from plants at Clean Plant Network – one package with 2 shoots will be provided. Feedback on individual trials are expected)
5. Attendance to business, technical meetings and poster sessions.
6. Monthly newsletters from HRC outlining current developments and industry challenges

Sponsorship

(dues \$750/year)

1. Non-voting
2. Quarterly advertisements in newsletters and/or website
3. Annual advertisements in HRC Annual Reports
4. First priority for other sponsorship opportunities
5. Attendance (two people per sponsor) to HRC sponsored luncheons at the Winter Meeting and Summer Meeting.

Membership fees will be invoiced at the time of application.

Select the membership category you are applying for and complete the information below.
Return to the HRC Business Manager by email: michelle@oregonhops.org or fax: 503-982-7602

Company: _____

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Country: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____