Membership Committee
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Criteria for UCAR Membership

Only nonprofit corporations organized and operated for educational, professional, or scientific purposes shall be eligible for membership. Such an institution may be considered eligible for membership in the corporation if it:

1) Has made a definitive, substantial, and continuing commitment to a full, coherent, and integrated program of course studies and dissertation research leading to the doctorate in one or more of the atmospheric sciences or related fields;

2) Has made a definitive, substantial, and continuing commitment to progress in the atmospheric sciences or related fields as evidenced by scholarly works of significance by its faculty in the atmospheric sciences or related fields; and

3) Is willing to make a clear and continuing commitment to active participation in the activities of the Corporation, including governance, and its programs and facilities.
New UCAR Member Applicant

University of Stony Brook – SUNY

- On June 8, 2006, Jack Fellows, Jim Miller and Rong Fu visited Stony Brook
- Most of the atmospheric and related activities take place within the Institute for Terrestrial and Planetary Atmosphere (ITPA) which is part of the Stony Brook Marine Sciences Research Center (MSRC). The ITPA draws faculty from the Departments of Mechanical Engineering, Physics, and Earth and Space Sciences.
- Research in the ITPA includes Climate Change and Climate Modeling, Atmospheric Dynamics, Atmospheric Chemistry and Physics, Mesoscale Modeling and Weather, Atmospheric Radiation, and Physical Oceanography. These research programs are well recognized in the community and are funded by DOE, NSF, NASA, NOAA, UCAR, Homeland Security and also private funds. ITPA facilities include:
- The Membership Committee concludes that SUNY Stony Brook meets the membership criteria, and accordingly recommends that the Member’s Representatives elect SUNY Stony Brook to be a UCAR member.
2006 Membership renewals

- University at Albany, State U of New York
- Harvard University
- University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- Scripps Institution of Oceanography-
- University of California, San Diego
- University of Toronto

The Membership Committee concludes that the above institutions meet the membership criteria, and accordingly recommends that the Member’s Representatives approve reelection of these institutions to UCAR Membership.
2006 Academic Affiliate renewals

• The Committee recommended renewal of the College of Charleston’s Academic Affiliation

• Clark Atlanta University will take another year to reestablish it’s UCAR connections and submit a renewal application in spring 07.
2007 Membership Renewals

- California Institute of Technology
- U of California at Davis
- Georgia Institute of Technology
- McGill University
- Naval Postgraduate School
- University of Nevada
- University of New Hampshire
- Oregon State University
- Purdue University
- Utah State University