

# Expression of Interest

## Human Research Ethics Committee membership

The University has a Human Research Ethics Committee (HREC) who help ensure that university research involving human participants meets requirements, including the [National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research](#).

The HREC membership includes experienced researchers and community members in specific categories.

If you are interested in serving on the HREC, please email this form and a brief CV to the Ethics Office ([human.ethics@sydney.edu.au](mailto:human.ethics@sydney.edu.au)).

### HREC Membership Categories

- a) **Chairperson.**
- b) **Community members** - people with an interest in research who bring a broader community or consumer perspective and who have no affiliation with the university;
- c) **Professional carers** - people with knowledge of, and current experience in, the professional care or treatment of people e.g., a nurse, counsellor, or allied health professional
- d) **Pastoral carers** - people who perform a pastoral care role in a community e.g., Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander elders or community leaders, chaplains, ministers of religion, or other religious leaders
- e) **Qualified lawyers** who may or may not be currently practicing and, where possible, are not engaged to advise the university on research-related or any other matters.
- f) **Researchers** - people with current research experience that is relevant to research proposals to be considered at the meetings they attend.

<b>Full Name</b> (incl. Title)	
<b>Organisation</b>	
<b>Email</b>	
<b>Phone</b>	
<b>Address</b>	
<b>Membership category</b> (see above)	
<b>Gender and/or pronouns</b> (optional)	<i>Why do we ask this? The National Statement encourages gender diversity in HREC membership.</i>
<b>Please briefly outline your experience or background which may contribute to committee membership.</b>	