Global Partner Society (GPS) Program

The ARRS established its GPS Program to build long-standing relationships with key leaders and societies in the global imaging community to enhance understanding, raise awareness, and increase participation in programs and services. Elements of the program are itemized below, however, to meet the unique needs of each partner society, these benefits and responsibilities may be customized by mutual agreement. Once the GPS agreement is signed, the partnership and related benefits and responsibilities, except for the Annual Meeting Global Exchange, will begin immediately. Determination of the exact year of Annual Meeting participation will be made approximately two years before the next available ARRS meeting. An annual review of current GPS participants is conducted to ensure partnership benefits are being offered and responsibilities are being met.

GPS Benefits

- Complimentary online membership to GPS in-training members.
- Special ARRS membership discounts for active GPS members as outlined by ARRS policies.
- Recognition of partnership on ARRS website, including GPS logo and links.
- Access for GPS members to current AJR articles monthly.
- Access to ARRS online global education courses
- Complimentary reciprocal advertising with the content and timing of the ads determined and mutually agreed upon by each Society.
- Consideration of GPS applications for the ARRS Clinician Educator Development Program.
- Invitation to and recognition of GPS president/dignitaries at ARRS Annual Meeting VIP events.
- Recognition of the GPS on Annual Meeting signage and program book.
- Opportunity to provide up to 20 best or award-winning electronic exhibits to be featured at the ARRS Annual Meeting.
- Opportunity to be the featured society (one per year) and participate in an Annual Meeting Global Exchange in a future year, to be determined. The president of the featured society is recognized with honorary ARRS membership. Up to four faculty from the GPS are provided lodging and complimentary general meeting registration. Two ARRS faculty are offered reciprocal arrangements at the next GPS Annual Meeting/Congress. Other features of the Global Exchange may include special registration discounts, focus group participation, and panel discussion participation. A separate agreement detailing the Global Exchange activities and commitments will be signed by each society.

GPS Responsibilities
- Identify an administrative staff contact.
- Promote ARRS complimentary in-training membership at a minimum of twice a year to GPS members.
- Promote ARRS member discounts at a minimum of twice a year to GPS members.
- Promote ARRS on the GPS website including the ARRS logo and links.
- Provide complimentary reciprocal advertising space in society publications and websites as approved by each society.

**GPS Activities, Benefits, and Responsibilities**

- Sign GPS agreement and exchange administrative contact information and society logos.
- Recognize partnership on ARRS website including GPS logo and links and recognize partnerships including ARRS logo and links on GPS website.
- Promote complimentary ARRS online membership for GPS in-training members and promote special ARRS reduced dues fees for qualified GPS members.
- Promote to GPS members new AJR article selected each month.
- Provide complimentary and reciprocal advertising in publications and websites as approved by each society.
GPS and CSR leaders collaborate on their global partnership.

ARRS and CSR leaders meet to discuss the global partnership.

ARRS meets with global partner, RANZCR, during 2019 Annual Meeting.

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The ARRS International Outreach Committee annually reviews the GPS Program and considers new partnerships.

**GPS Activities, Benefits, and Responsibilities**

- Recognition of GPS VIPs at ARRS Annual Meeting
- Consideration of GPS applications for ARRS Rogers Fellowship and ARRS Clinician Educator Development Program
- Provision to ARRS of complimentary exhibit booth space at the GPS Annual Meeting/Congress
- Continued promotion of complimentary ARRS online membership for GPS in-training members and special pricing for qualified GPS members
ARRS and CTSR meet to discuss the global partnership.

ARRS and SMRI established a global partnership in 2015.

ARRS GLOBAL PARTNER SOCIETIES

Argentina Society of Radiology (SAR)
Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists (RANZCR)
Brazilian College of Radiology and Diagnostic Imaging (CBR)
British Institute of Radiology (BIR)
Chinese Society of Radiology (CSR)
Colombian Association of Radiology (ACR)
Japan Radiological Society (JRS)
Korean Society of Radiology (KSR)
Mexican Society of Radiology and Imaging (SMRI)
Singapore Radiological Society (SRS)
Radiological Society of South Africa (RSSA)
Spanish Society of Medical Radiology (SERAM)
Chinese Taipei Society of Radiology (CTSR)

ARRS–GPS Annual Meeting Global Exchange
Benefits and Responsibilities

- Participation in planning meetings for the global exchange
- Participation in ARRS courses and sessions
- Receipt by GPS President of ARRS Honorary Membership
- Invitation to Annual Meeting VIP events
- Participation of ARRS in Global Exchange at the next GPS Annual Meeting/Congress

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