PRMA Membership Survey Results

1. I renew the journal (JPART) and PMRA membership annually.

Strongly agree (55.6%)

Tend to agree (27.4%)

Neither agree nor disagree (7.3%)

Tend to disagree (7.3%)

Strongly disagree (2.4%)

2. I renew primarily for:

JPART subscription (34.2%)

PRMA subscription (16.7%)

to attend PRMC (25.8%)

I value all equally (41.7%)

3. My copies of JPART arrive on schedule

Strongly agree (32.8%)

Tend to agree (38.5%)

Neither agree nor disagree (19.7%)

Tend to disagree (5.7%)

Strongly disagree (3.3%)

4. PMRA is planning to move to a two-year membership cycle. Will you regularly renew your journal subscription and membership for two years?

Strongly agree (50.0%)

Tend to agree (33.9%)

Neither agree nor disagree (7.3%)

Tend to disagree (7.3%)

Strongly disagree (1.6%)

5. I have had problems with subscription/membership renewal or the journal's customer services.

Strongly agree (17.1%)

Tend to agree (20.3%)

Neither agree nor disagree (26.8%)

Tend to disagree (16.3%)

Strongly disagree (19.5%)

7. If I receive JPART by mail, I read the paper copy of the journal.

Strongly agree (33.1%)

Tend to agree (37.2%)

Neither agree nor disagree (9.9%)

Tend to disagree (10.7%)

Strongly disagree (5.0%)

Not Applicable (4.1%)

8. I prefer the option of an individual on-line subscription only (in lieu of receiving a paper copy).

Strongly agree (15.0%)

Tend to agree (20.8%)

Neither agree nor disagree (29.2%)

Tend to disagree (22.5%)

Strongly disagree (12.5%)

9. My institution subscribes to the journal, allowing me free access.

Strongly agree (73.6%)

Tend to agree (7.4%)

Neither agree nor disagree (5.0%)

Tend to disagree (3.3%)

Strongly disagree (10.7%)

10. I receive electronic notification of publications that become available on Advance Access.

Strongly agree (45.5%)

Tend to agree (14.0%)

Neither agree nor disagree (14.9%)

Tend to disagree (12.4%)

Strongly disagree (13.2%)

11. I have been asked to review manuscripts for JPART.

Yes (52.9%)

No (47.1%)

12. On average, how many times per year do you review for JPART?

1-3 (55.6%)

4-7 (40.7%)

8-10 (0.0%)

>10 (0.0%)

Not Applicable (3.7%)

13. The Advance Access notification prompts me to read the journal.

Strongly agree (24.5%)

Tend to agree (38.8%)

Neither agree nor disagree (20.4%)

Tend to disagree (11.2%)

Strongly disagree (5.1%)

14. Have you submitted a manuscript to JPART?

Yes (71.5%)

No (28.5%)

25. The PMRC should continue to be held every other year, not annually.

Strongly agree (27.0%)

Tend to agree (34.4%)

Neither agree nor disagree (16.4%)

Tend to disagree (13.1%)

Strongly disagree (9.0%)

27. If the quality of the papers remains the same, the PMRC should allow more conference papers/sessions.

Strongly agree (27.0%)

Tend to agree (40.2%)

Neither agree nor disagree (16.4%)

Tend to disagree (14.8%)

Strongly disagree (1.6%)

28. Conferences should continue to be held on campuses.

Strongly agree (32.2%)

Tend to agree (33.1%)

Neither agree nor disagree (27.3%)

Tend to disagree (4.1%)

Strongly disagree (3.3%)

29. I support a double-blind review process for conference paper/panel submissions.

Strongly agree (45.1%)

Tend to agree (27.0%)

Neither agree nor disagree (16.4%)

Tend to disagree (10.7%)

Strongly disagree (0.8%)

30. PMRA should actively solicit and financially support smaller off-year conferences in international locations.

Strongly agree (19.7%)

Tend to agree (26.2%)

Neither agree nor disagree (36.1%)

Tend to disagree (12.3%)

Strongly disagree (5.7%)

31. PMRA leadership should do more to advance relations among PMRA members.

Strongly agree (19.2%)

Tend to agree (35.0%)

Neither agree nor disagree (37.5%)

Tend to disagree (7.5%)

Strongly disagree (0.8%)

32. PMRA should do more to advance relations with others engaged in research or directly in public management.

Strongly Agree (23.5%)

Tend to Agree (27.7%)

Neither Agree nor Disagree (37.0%)

Tend to Disagree (10.1%)

Strongly Disagree (1.7%)

33. PMRA should take a greater role in the academic job market (for example, creating a clearinghouse of jobs, vitae, etc.).

Strongly agree (24.2%)

Tend to agree (27.5%)

Neither agree nor disagree (29.2%)

Tend to disagree (14.2%)

Strongly disagree (5.0%)

34. JPART/PMRA should create a forum on Facebook.

Strongly agree (9.2%)

Tend to agree (7.6%)

Neither agree nor disagree (42.9%)

Tend to disagree (21.8%)

Strongly disagree (18.5%)

35. I am satisfied with the process for appointing and electing PMRA officers and board members.

Strongly agree (10.9%)

Tend to agree (32.8%)

Neither agree nor disagree (46.2%)

Tend to disagree (5.9%)

Strongly disagree (4.2%)

36. Are you satisfied with the representation of PMRA officers and board member positions with respect to (Check box if satisfied):

International vs. U.S. representation (82.1%)

Gender (78.6%)

Discipline (72.6%)

Race/Ethnicity (56.0%)

37. I would personally like to have a greater role in the governance of the association.

Strongly agree (8.5%)

Tend to agree (25.4%)

Neither agree nor disagree (40.7%)

Tend to disagree (16.9%)

Strongly disagree (8.5%)

38. Please check any ways in which you would like to be (or continue to be) more involved in PMRA, PMRC, and/or JPART:

PMRA committee role (46.6%)

PMRA board member or officer (34.1%)

JPART reviewer (81.8%)

JPART editorial board (53.4%)

PMRC presenter (80.7%)

PMRC host for conference (19.3%)