How to Join an Interest Group

GSA has more than 45 interest groups covering a range of topics related to older adults and aging. Interest groups are a wonderful way to connect and network with other GSA members from a variety of professions and backgrounds who share related interests. Activity varies by interest group and could include organizing symposia at the GSA Annual Scientific Meeting, collaborating on journal articles, and tapping into the expertise of other interest group members throughout the year.

You can join as many interest groups as you wish. Below are the steps for how to join an interest group.

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- Log in at www.geron.org
- Click on “My Account” (upper right-hand corner); a black box will appear
- Select “My GSA Dashboard” from the list (this takes you to your Member Dashboard)
- Under the “My Account” section, click on “Update My Profile”
- Scroll down to near the bottom of the page and click on the plus sign next to “Interest Group Preferences”; this will open the list of interest groups you can join
- Check the box for the interest groups you want to join; you can join as many as you like
- After joining the interest group(s), scroll to the bottom of the page and select “Update Profile”

NOTE: All interest groups have a GSA Connect Community. You will automatically be added to the community and begin receiving community posts in your email. The default setting for emails is the Daily Digest. You can adjust your settings so that you receive these emails weekly or not at all. Refer to the “How to manage your email subscriptions” tutorial for instructions.