



**ISRHML**  
 The International Society  
 for Research in Human  
 Milk and Lactation

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**International Society for Research in Human Milk and Lactation  
 Strategy Plan 2022-2026**

**Vision, Mission and Core Values**

**ISRHML Vision:**

- Driving and sharing the highest quality research in human milk and lactation to advance knowledge and improve human health and wellbeing.

**ISRHML Mission:**

- To enhance and leverage global excellence in human milk and lactation research through discovery, knowledge sharing, an inclusive and supportive international scholarly community, and sustained leadership.

**ISRHML Core Values:**

- **Discovery:** advancing the field through rigorous and innovative collaborative research and bidirectional exchange of knowledge.
- **Mentorship and Training:** developing the future leaders in the field through mentoring and leadership opportunities.
- **Diversity and Inclusiveness:** creating an environment to empower individuals and the Society by respecting and appreciating different backgrounds and experiences.
- **Respect and Collegiality:** supporting communication, empathy, courtesy, and mutual respect in all interactions among society members and external stakeholders.
- **Transparency and Integrity:** ensuring open communication about decision-making processes, and acknowledgement of potential conflicts of interest.

**Strategic Goals and Priorities**

<b>DISCOVERY</b>	<b>KNOWLEDGE SHARING</b>	<b>INCLUSIVE &amp; SUPPORTIVE SCHOLARLY INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY</b>	<b>ORGANIZATIONAL SUSTAINABILITY</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Highlight emerging research approaches and techniques</li> <li>• Build and support open team science and collaborations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create new or expand upon existing opportunities to share and disseminate knowledge</li> <li>• Share best practices</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create a culture that welcomes innovation and change</li> <li>• Establish guidelines for inclusion and diversity within the Society</li> <li>• Establish procedures for ongoing communication and idea exchange</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grow a diverse membership across all regions and membership categories Build leadership within the Society</li> <li>• Secure new sources of revenue for financial sustainability</li> </ul>