

Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI)

The Alvernia Institutional Review Board (IRB) requires all researchers and faculty advisors for student research to complete training related to research ethics. To meet that requirement, Alvernia University subscribes to the online Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI Program).

As stated on the organization's website:

The Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI Program) is dedicated to promoting the public's trust in the research enterprise by providing high quality, peer-reviewed, web-based educational courses in research, ethics, regulatory oversight, responsible conduct of research, research administration, and other topics pertinent to the interests of member organizations. Researchers and student researchers are required complete the relevant CITI modules in the following areas:

- Human Subjects Research (module areas specific to your own expertise/field of study)
- Responsible Conduct of Research (module areas specific to your own expertise/ field of study)
- Information Privacy & Security (module areas specific to your roles in research activities)
- Conflicts of Interest

Depending on the subject matter of the research activity and each researcher's

CITI Login Instructions for New Learners

1. Please visit the CITI login page at <https://www.citiprogram.org/index.cfm?pageID=14>, and click on “Register” to create an account as a new learner.
2. When setting up a new account, please use your Alvernia email address when prompted to provide a primary email. This will be the same in Step 2 where it may ask for either institutional email or institutional webpage. The online login directions will prompt you to create a user ID and login, at which time you will be assigned a CITI ID number.
3. Complete the CITI modules as outlined above; save a copy of completed certificates; and attach completed certificates to Alvernia IRB applications.

Note: The use of Alvernia email address is required for CITI registration. (4) (5) (3) (N) (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (7) (8) (9) (10) (11) (12) (13) (14) (15) (16) (17) (18) (19) (20) (21) (22) (23) (24) (25) (26) (27) (28) (29) (30) (31) (32) (33) (34) (35) (36) (37) (38) (39) (40) (41) (42) (43) (44) (45) (46) (47) (48) (49) (50) (51) (52) (53) (54) (55) (56) (57) (58) (59) (60) (61) (62) (63) (64) (65) (66) (67) (68) (69) (70) (71) (72) (73) (74) (75) (76) (77) (78) (79) (80) (81) (82) (83) (84) (85) (86) (87) (88) (89) (90) (91) (92) (93) (94) (95) (96) (97) (98) (99) (100)