

GEA Activity Report: Regional Templates August 2018

Steering Committee Membership

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Please share items of importance for the full GEA Membership to read in the GEA Activity Report. AAMC staff may edit you text to fit the report format.

Accomplishments of the region in the last 3 (or more) months:

Summer Meeting in Chicago in July—

1. Reviewed evaluation of 2018 meeting and began planning for the 2019 Regional Meeting
2. Began review of CGEA Bylaws. Plan to create an updated document that can be distributed to the membership for review and approval
3. Sent out an e-mail to the CGEA listserv sharing information about the Summer Steering Committee meeting and providing links to the GEA updates and website

Plans for the next 3 months:

1. Bylaws review
2. Planning for the 2019 CGEA meeting in Grand Rapids, MI
3. Exploration of venues for the 2020 CGEA meeting in South Dakota
4. CGEA mini-grants review in October-November

Upcoming opportunities to participate in regional activities (Grants, elections, etc.):

The Call for Central Group on Educational Affairs (CGEA) Mini-Grant Proposals is now open. The CGEA seeks to promote scholarship in medical education and advance the community of scholarship within the Central region. A maximum award of \$7,000 is available for multiple-institution projects and \$5,000 for single-institution projects.

Consistent with the requirements of scholarship, all funded projects must be collaborative and investigatory in nature, and their results must be made public, available for peer review, and freely available for others to build upon.

Deadline for submission is September 30, 2018.

Recognition (Awards, New members, Member Accomplishments):

34 new members to the listserv since March 2018