

WGEA Activity Report Sept. 18, 2017

Steering Committee Membership

Name: WGEA

Steering Committee Position: Chair

Academic Affiliation: Keck School of Medicine of USC

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

WGEA Regional Meeting: University of Colorado was able to secure the 2018 WGEA conference location in Denver, Colorado. It will be hosted at the Westin Denver Colorado from 3/24/2018 – 3/27/2018.

CRIME: Installed the inaugural META (MedEdTech Alliance) meeting on 7/21/2017 in Stanford. The MedEdTech community recognizes a need to collaborate on determining priorities and developing standards for the systems supporting medical education. Coming together to create a set of unified needs will facilitate increasing interoperability between systems and strengthen any grassroots effort to effect change.

Plans for the next 3 months:

The plan for the next 3 months is to finalize the call for proposal for WGEA 2018 and complete the reviews before the December holidays.

Upcoming opportunities to participate in regional activities:

1. Serve as an abstract reviewer for the Call for Abstracts for WGEA 2018
2. Nominate someone or nominate self to serve on the WGEA Steering Committee for the following positions: GME Section Chair Elect and Member-at-large

Recognition (Awards, New members, Member Accomplishments):

We welcome new members to the Steering Committee:

Chair Elect: Paul Gordon, MD, University of Arizona College of Medicine – Tucson

CPD Chair Elect: Randa Kutob, MD, University of Arizona College of Medicine – Tucson

MESRE Chair Elect: Jorie Colbert-Getz, PhD, University of Utah School of Medicine

UGME Chair Elect: Lars Osterberg, MD, Stanford School of Medicine

Member-at-Large: Michael Ryan, MD, University of Washington School of Medicine