

Annual Conference Planning Committee

Charge

The Annual Conference Planning Committee (ACPC) is an *ad hoc* committee constituted each year in April and discharged at the conclusion of the following Annual Conference. The ACPC is responsible for selecting the Annual Conference theme, developing the call for proposals, reviewing proposals, and selecting sessions. The committee supports AAVMC Strategic Goals 3 and 4: build a robust pipeline of future scholars and academic leaders for academic veterinary medicine and support them throughout their careers; advance teaching and learning to prepare students, faculty, and academic staff for professional success in a wide variety of careers. .

Composition

The chair of the ACPC is the AAVMC president. The AAVMC president-elect also holds an *ex-officio* seat. Five other representatives from AAVMC committees will be designated by the committee chairs. Representatives are encouraged to serve for 2-3 consecutive years to provide continuity to the planning process. The represented committees are Academic Affairs; Research; Admissions and Recruitment; Professional Development; Wellbeing; and Diversity, Equity and Inclusion. There will also be one representative for international colleges who will be the Board of Directors' at-large director representing Region III or IV or that person's designee.