



ACS Columbus Local Section Executive Committee Meeting Minutes

November 14, 2022

Attending:

Officers:

Jeff Trent	Chair
Alicia Friedman	Chair-elect
Clay Harris	Past Chair
Bob Kroshefsky	Treasurer-elect
Barbara Ambrose	Secretary
Krishna Bobba	Alternate Councilor

Committee Chairs:

Christopher Hadad	Award Committee
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Visitors:

Mike Clingerman

Absent:

Virginia Songstad	Councilor
Satish Garre	Alternate Councilor
Robert Woodman	Alternate Councilor
Dami Daramola	Treasurer
Joan Esson	Councilor
Kayla Kasper	Councilor

Meeting started at 7:03 p.m. with a quorum of Executive Committee members.

- 1.) Motion to increase the award for Outstanding High School Chemistry Award. Jeff made an amended motion, seconded by Chris, to increase the teacher and school awards to \$1500 and \$500, respectively. This was approved unanimously.
- 2.) No one has volunteered to become Chair-elect. Krishna suggested Ron Mitchum might be interested. Jeff suggested Mike Clingerman and he might consider it. He likes the Zoom format for the Executive Committee. Barb also was nominated and she agreed to run.
- 3.) Meeting minutes from October 4th, motion Bob, seconded by Jeff and Krishna, approved.
- 4.) Tom Weeks send out a notification of the ACS Silver Circle Meeting at 11:30 a.m. on November 17th on an OSU study on balance. Krishna recommended that the ExComm attend this meeting.

- 5.) ISA event at Otterbein went well, as did the meeting at CAS to celebrate the 50-, 60-, and 70-year members. We missed one, so Jeff will get something out to him.
- 6.) December get-together – should we hold an in-person ExComm meeting? Krishna suggested we try to get a central location. Kayla was going to get a quote from Hoffbrau Haus, according to Alicia. Jeff will connect with Kayla.
- 7.) Annual Report – this is due February 15th. Jeff will start working on this. Kaarina Lokko might add some notes about the poster contest and the Statehouse visit for National Chemistry Week. Alicia will need to write up three goals for next year to include in this report. One of the councilors need to approve it and Dami/Bob need to upload the financial report. The report does not need to be long.
- 8.) Alicia asked about the meetings set aside for awards. The October meeting is set aside for the award meeting at CAS. April is good for the college student award. Joan suggested that a June meeting would be better for the teacher awards. In the past we have tried to get an interesting speaker for the college student award. Dr. Bertley at COSI was suggested as speaker.
- 9.) Patterson-Crane award – the next award is the Dayton section's responsibility. We are going to skip giving out in 2023, and give it in 2024. The Columbus Section award has not been given out for four years. Alicia would like to give it out this year.
- 10.) Motion to adjourn the meeting by Krishna, seconded by Jeff, passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.