

**American Chemical Society  
2023 Committee Information Sheet**

**PLEASE NOTE:** In the event of governance meetings taking place virtually or hybrid, guidance on the meeting schedule and reimbursement of expenses will be determined by the Committees who have purview over these areas.

<b>Committee</b>	Committee on Minority Affairs (CMA)
<b>Type</b>	Society Committee (Appointed by the President and Board Chair)
<b>Mission Statement</b>	Advancing a broader, inclusive and equitable chemistry enterprise by empowering underrepresented groups, stakeholders, and marginalized peoples for the benefit of the world.
<b>Normal Meeting Schedule</b>	The full Committee meets semiannually, at each national meeting. Normally meets all day Sunday 8 am-2 pm, including breakfast and lunch. Most of the subcommittees meet in person at these meetings, with the exception of the Subcommittee on ACS Scholars which meets at other times.
<b>Reimbursement Policy</b>	ACS will reimburse non-Councilor committee members, associates, and consultants for reasonable, ordinary and necessary transportation, lodging, and meal expenses incurred by attending meetings of Council-related committees at national meetings, up to an amount equal to 50% of the amount Councilors can be reimbursed under the Non-Councilor Travel Expense Program. For Councilors, reimbursement is provided through the Councilors Travel Expense Program. If necessary, ACS will reimburse certain travel expenses incurred due to authorized committee meetings and work performed outside of national meetings.
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