

**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.

Committee:	Committee on Science (COMSCI)
Type:	Society Committee (Appointed by the President and Board Chair)
Mission & Structure:	<p>The mission of the Committee on Science (ComSci) is to identify new frontiers of chemistry, examine the scientific basis of and formulate public policies related to chemical sciences, and recognize outstanding chemical scientists.</p> <p>ComSci subcommittees include Science & Technology, Awards, Public Policy, and Communications. Taskforces are established as needed to address specific challenges and opportunities.</p> <div style="text-align: center;"> <pre> graph TD A[Committee on Science] --> B[Awards] A --> C[Science & Tech.] A --> D[Public Policy] A --> E[Communication] </pre> </div>
Normal Meeting Schedule:	ComSci meets during the spring and fall meetings. Meetings typically run from 8 am to 4 pm on Saturday.
Reimbursement Policy:	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 Councilor Travel Reimbursement Program. For Councilors, reimbursement is provided through the Councilor Reimbursement 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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