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Councilor News and Committee Alerts

Nominations and Elections

ELECTIONS EDITION

September 15, 2021

Message From N&E Chair, Amber Hinkle



Amber S. Hinkle, Chair
Committee on Nominations
and Elections

The 2021 ACS National Election is Right Around the Corner

On behalf of the Committee on Nominations and Elections, I am pleased to announce that ballot distribution will begin on Monday, September 27 for the 2021 ACS National Election to select the ACS President-Elect 2022, two Directors-at-Large, and Directors for Districts I and V. Internet voting is available 24 hours a day and online ballots must be submitted by October 22, at 12:00 PM CT. Mail-in ballots must be received by October 22.

Watch your e-mail for your ballot from the "ACS Election Coordinator" (at noreply@directvote.net). You can find information on how to vote online or by paper ballot, how to order a replacement ballot, request technical support, and view the bios and statements for all candidates in the 2021 election at www.acs.org/elections. Your vote speaks for you! Please take a moment to participate in the process that selects Society leadership.

[How to Vote](#)

2022 President-Elect Candidates



Judith C. Giordan



John C. Warner

Meet the 2022 President-Elect Candidates

These virtual events will be hosted by the candidates and after an initial opening statement, there will be a question and answer session. This is your chance to hear each candidate's views and visions for the future of ACS. You may send questions ahead of time to nomelect@acs.org.

Judy Giordan

Monday, September 20

4pm EDT/1pm PDT

Join Zoom Meeting

ID 832 6500 5211

or Call (833) 548-0282

[Register Now](#)

John Warner

Wednesday, September 22

1pm EDT/10am PDT

Join Zoom Meeting

ID 827 3957 1385

or Call (888) 788-0099

[Register Now](#)

Friday, September 24

2pm EDT/11am PDT

Join Zoom Meeting

ID 858 9686 6564

or Call (833) 548-0282

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Thursday, September 23

4pm EDT/1pm PDT

Join Zoom Meeting

ID 853 9632 4989

or Call (888) 788-0099

[Register Now](#)

2022-2024 Directors-at-Large Candidates



Rodney M. Bennett



Arlene A. Garrison



Natalie A. LaFranzo



Lee H. Latimer

Director-at-Large Town Hall

September 21 @ 1pm ET.

To attend, please [REGISTER](#) for this event.

District Director Candidates

2022-2024 District I Director Candidates



D. Richard Cobb



Katherine L. Lee

2022-2024 District V Director Candidates



Lisa M. Balbes



Joseph A. Heppert

ACS has partnered with Survey & Ballot Systems (SBS) to administer the 2021 election. To assure your election specific broadcast email arrives safely in your inbox on or around September 27, 2021, simply add the following email address as an approved sender: noreply@directvote.net.

If you have any questions, contact: nomelect@acs.org

Councilor Survey

Please be on the lookout for an upcoming Councilor Survey coming from secretary@acs.org. The Council Policy Committee continues to review the format, structure and composition of Council, we are soliciting your direct feedback to help inform our decisions and future policy recommendations. The brief survey should take no more than approximately 5-10 minutes of your time. Please note that your answers are anonymous, but will greatly assist the direction of the future of Council and how ACS can better communicate with Councilors. An overall assessment of the results will be shared with all Councilors in a future issue of Councilor News & Committee Alerts.

ACS Updates its Diversity Statement

The ACS Board of Directors approved a substantially revised ACS Statement on Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Respect (DEIR) in August. The statement was recently updated by the DEIR Advisory Board and the Office of Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Respect to ensure consistency with the ACS' Strategic Goal 5, "Embrace and Advance Inclusion in Chemistry," and to be more proactive in language. You are invited to read the [revised statement](#). If you have any [feedback](#) on the revised ACS Diversity Statement, please send your comments to <https://fs7.formsite.com/acsdiversity/ACSMemberFeedback/index.html>.

[Feedback](#)



Invitation to Submit Symposium Proposals for ABCChem

The Organizing Societies of the Atlantic Basin Conference on Chemistry are pleased to announce that the [Atlantic Basin Conference on Chemistry](#) (ABCChem) will be held 13 – 16 December 2022 in Marrakech, Morocco. The ABCChem Technical Programming Committee invites symposium proposals related to the conference theme of "Linking the World Through Chemistry." The program includes three, two-hour blocks of programming per day, allowing the flexibility of proposing single- or multi-session symposia.

[Submit your proposals](#) to the following topic areas by 28 October 2021:

- Chemistry, Biology & Health
- Green Chemistry
- Materials & Nanochemistry
- Education & Science Communication

The ABCChem Technical Programming committee will review submissions and send acceptance notices by 14 January 2022.

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