



# Midland Section ACS Board Meeting

September 9, 2019

# Agenda



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# Chair Updates

- Email scams – working with Michael Malczewski, webmaster to improve email security
  - GoDaddy email forwards ([secretary@midlandacs.org](mailto:secretary@midlandacs.org))
  - Other options
- Fall Innovative Project Grant – \$2,000 approved
  - H2OQ – 2019 CERM STEM Citizen Science Experiment
  - Project expansion to CERM 2020

# Chair Updates Continued

## 21<sup>st</sup> ChemLuminary Award Winners

- Outstanding Ongoing CCEW Event
- Outstanding Performance by a Local Section - Medium Size Category - **7<sup>th</sup> time in a row!**

**Governor's Senior Volunteer of the Year Award - Regina Malczewski**

## 2019 ACS Fellows

- Regina Malczewski
- Jerzy Klosin



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# CONGRATULATIONS!!!

## 2019 ACS/District II Anniversaries and Milestones



Section	Year Founded	Anniversary
Cleveland	1909	110
Huron Valley	1899	120
Eastern North Carolina	1954	65
Hampton Roads	1944	75
Indiana-Kentucky Border	1954	65

Section	Year Founded	Anniversary
Midland	1919	100
North Carolina	1895	125
Northeastern Ohio	1944	75
Upper Ohio Valley	1949	70

# 2020 CERM

American Chemical Society > Meetings & Events > Regional Meetings > Central Regional Meeting (CERM)

May 27 - 29, 2020

## Central Regional Meeting (CERM)

Columbus, OH

Registration opens in 2020

Save the date for CERM 2020

May 27 - 29 | Columbus, OH

Abstract submission open in 2020

## Committee Preference Forms

- Online preference form opened March 18 through June 7, 2019  
<https://www.yellowbook.acs.org>
- Anyone interested in service on a national committee should complete the form
- Don't need to be a Councilor\* or current committee member to complete
  - Must be a Councilor for Standing Committees appointments [C&B, DAC, CEPA, LSAC, M&E & MAC]



# Election Results: Elected Committees of Council



## CPC

- By electronic ballot, the Council elected **Anne M. Gaffney, Lydia E. M. Hines, Will E. Lynch, and Sally B. Peters** for three-year terms (2020-2022), and **Dee Ann Casteel** for a one-year term (2020) on the Council Policy Committee (CPC).

## N&E

- By electronic ballot, the Council elected **Michelle V. Buchannan, Charles E. Cannon, Alan A. Hazari, Amber S. Hinkle, and Thomas H. Lane** for three-year terms (2020-2022) on the Committee on Nominations and Elections (N&E).

## ConC

- By electronic ballot, the Council elected **Lisa M. Balbes, D. Richard Cobb, Emilio X. Esposito, Jason E. Ritchie, and Stephanie J. Watson** for three-year terms (2020-2022) on the Committee on Committees (ConC).

# Other Council Actions

## Continuation of Committees

- On the recommendation of the Committee on Committees, and with the concurrence of the Council Policy Committee, Council approved the continuation of the Committees on International Activities and Professional Training, contingent on approval by the Board of Directors.

## Establishment of an International Chemical Sciences Chapter

- On the recommendation of the Committee on International Activities, and with the concurrence of the Council Policy Committee, Council approved the creation of an ACS International Chemical Sciences Chapter in the Republic of Georgia, contingent on approval by the Board of Directors.

## Redistricting of a Local Section

- On the recommendation of Nominations & Elections, the Council voted that the Pittsburgh Local Section be transferred from District II to District III in order to bring District III's member population into compliance with bylaw requirements.

## Budget and Finance

The Society's 2019 financial performance through July 31<sup>st</sup> yielded a Net from Operations of \$30.1 million. This is \$10 million favorable to the Approved Budget, and \$1.7 million less than the same period in 2018. Total revenues are right on budget at \$338 million. Total expenses are \$308 million, which is \$10 million favorable to budget.

The Society is expected to end the year in compliance with each of the five Board-established financial guidelines. Additional information can be found at [www.acs.org](http://www.acs.org), at the bottom of the page, click 'About ACS', then 'Financial'.

# San Diego Meeting

The theme of the 258<sup>th</sup> ACS National Meeting was “Chemistry and Water.” As of Tuesday evening, August 27, attendance was:

Attendees	7,488
Students	3,095
Exhibitors	995
Expo only	430
Guest	401
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,409</b>

## 2019 Career Navigator live data

Participating Employers	31
Number of Open Positions	81
Job Seeker Profiles	239
Lightning Talk Attendees	270
Career Pathway Registrations	1,180
Career Consultant Interactions	555

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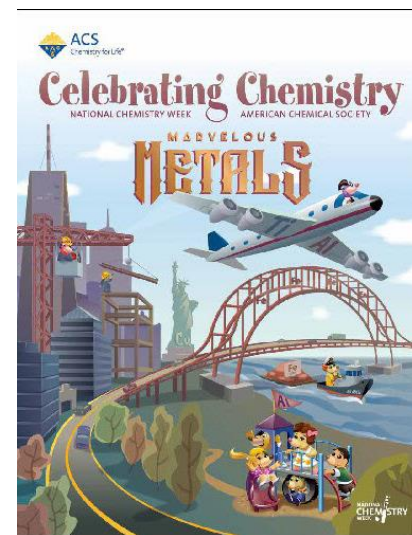


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# Report from San Diego Meeting: National Committees (RMM) *Committee on Community Activities*



- **National Chemistry Week 2019** Theme “Marvelous Metals”—all materials available
- **CCEW 2020** Theme (50<sup>th</sup> anniversary)
  - Protecting our Planet Through Chemistry.
  - Materials available Feb 1.
  - Local planning meetings begin this week
- **NCW 2020:** Sticking with Chemistry (Adhesives)
- **CCEW 2021:** Reducing Our Footprints with Chemistry
- **Salutes to Excellence:** Designed for external partnership recognitions, not for internal section recognition



## Local Section Activities Committee



- ACS will no longer host websites
- No more updates to FORMS, no firm timeline for new version, but hoping it is available for 2020 reports
- Leadership Workshop in January: Atlanta, GA again (1/24-1/26/20); first 27 sections to sign people up get \$250 off
- Working on Local Section Resource Calendar
- General info on CL Awards:
  - Big vs little: normalization of attendee numbers
  - “Spread the love”—CCA vs LSAC
  - Publishing rubrics

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# 2019 Fall Scientific Meeting



- Saturday, October 26<sup>th</sup> at SVSU
  - Theme: Marvelous Metals
  - Sponsored by the ACS Midland Section and the SVSU Chemistry Club
  - Deadlines:
    - Abstract Submission: September 30<sup>th</sup>
    - Registration: October 7<sup>th</sup>
- Desire to spread/communicate to businesses outside of Dow
  - DuPont, Trinseo, Corteva, and others
  - Do we have a list of contacts at those companies?
  - **High Priority:** *Need excellent communication for strong abstract submission.*
- Speakers
  - Keynote Lecturer: Dr. Jerzy Klosin, Dow
  - Invited Lecturers: Prof. Ronald Tackett, Kettering University  
Prof. Martin Crimp, Michigan State University  
Prof. J. Wayne Johns, University of Michigan  
Prof. Gabriel Caruntu, Central Michigan University

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# MMTG Summary

- 80 Members
- Diversified amongst several companies in the Mid-Michigan area
  - Dow
  - Corteva
  - Dupont
  - Kelly Services
  - Delta University
  - Saginaw Valley State University
  - Mid Michigan Community College
  - Kettering University
  - ThermoFisher
  - QuadSil
  - Eastman
  - Retirees
- Monthly board meetings at Quadsil
- MMTG members volunteer at several ACS events



## Past Events

- 26-FEB-2019 - Program in a box with Delta students – The Evolving Periodic Table
  - 3-APR-2019 - GrowU Lunch and Learn with Steve Guilladeu – Time Management
  - 5-APR-2019 - Tour of Dow (Auburn Campus) with Delta Students
  - 14-MAY-2019 - GrowU Lunch and Learn with Stacie Santhany – Project Management
  - 7-JUN-2019 - CERM – Technologist in Industry session
  - 20-JUN-2019 - MMTG at Dow Diamond – Networking event
  - 15 to 17-JUL-2019 - Science Works Camp at Delta
  - 15-AUG-2019 - ACS day at the Fair
  - 7-SEP-2019 - MMTG member/family BBQ and Ice Cream Social
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## Future Events

- 3-OCT-2019 - Dr. Mark Thomson – The Role of Chemistry in the Development of Regional Styles of Beer and Ale – Tri City Brewing
  - 22-OCT-2019 – Program in a Box at Delta -
  - 24-OCT-2019 – Leamans Green Applebarn – Family pumpkin carving
  - 12-NOV-2019 – Lunch and Learn – Katie Erikson – Understanding Personality Styles
  - 19-DEC-2019 – Meet the new MMTG board/holiday celebration
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Where do inventors get their ideas?

How do you get from an idea to a patent?

# Join us for an **INVENTORS FORUM**

at the  
**Herbert D. Doan History Center**

**3417 W. Main St. Midland  
1-2 pm September 14, 2019**

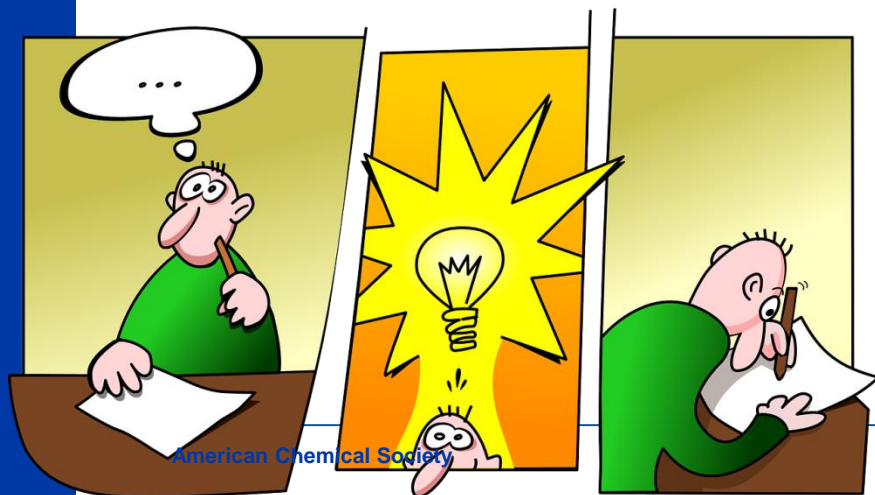
- meet some local inventors**
- learn about their inventions**
- ask them questions!**

**FREE! Open to the public**



What IS a patent anyway?

How do you know if an idea is any good?



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### Vision Statement:

Advancing chemical exploration, inquiry, and practice in the GLBR and beyond.

### Mission Statement:

Promote chemistry and improve public perception of science through innovation in research, education and career development for the benefit of our members and partners.