Call for 2016 Treasurer-elect Candidates for the American Thyroid Association



American Thyroid Association (ATA) Treasurer Job Description:

- 1. Is a member of the Board of Directors (BOD) and a member of the Executive Committee (EC)*
- 2. Four-year term of office after one year as Treasurer-elect
- 3. Attends all ATA Board of Directors' and Executive Committee* meetings, Association meetings and events
- 4. *Comply with conflict of interest policy for executive committee (see page 2)
- 5. 2-3 conference calls each month (1 BOD and 1 EC) throughout the year. 2-3 face to face Board meetings. Finance and Audit conference calls bi-monthly.
- 6. Engages in understanding organizational priorities and governance
- 7. Volunteers for and willingly accepts assignments and completes them thoroughly and on time
- 8. Works with the Executive Director and CFO to manage finances of the organization
- 9. Prepares written reports to the Board of Directors at each meeting
- 10. Is an ex-officio member of the Finance and Audit committee
- 11. Reviews the annual budget for the Finance and Audit committee and Board of Directors review
- 12. Tracks and reviews the budget to actuals reports monthly
- 13. Ensures Board of Directors review and understanding of financial policies and procedures and fiduciary responsibility

ATA Treasurer-Elect Job Description

- 1. Is a member of the Board of Directors and the Executive Committee*
- 2. Is the elected successor to the Treasurer
- 3. Engages in understanding the role and duties of the Treasurer, as well as organizational priorities and governance

ATA Executive Committee

The Executive Committee is comprised of the Officers of the Board of Directors: President, Secretary/Chief Operating Officer, Treasurer, Past-President, the President-Elect (Treasurer-elect and/or Secretary-elect) and the Executive Director.

Conflict of Interest Policies that pertain to Officers of the ATA Board of Directors

The Officers of the ATA Board of Directors (Executive Committee) will take the following steps during their terms of office to avoid actual or perceived conflicts of commitment and ensure their unimpeded active involvement in issues of importance to the Association:

- 1. Resign from consultancies with all pharmaceutical, laboratory diagnostic, and any other firms in the field of endocrinology and metabolism, or that otherwise interface with the Association;
- 2. Divest themselves of equities in such firms;
- 3. Accept no direct honoraria for lectures or other services from such firms; and
- Simultaneously hold no other major leadership positions in other professional societies

ATA Executive Committee (ATA Officers) interaction with Industry permitted as follows:

- 1. the appreciation by officers of the existence of perceived and real conflict of interest,
- 2. full and timely disclosure by the affected officer to the Association of such conflicts of interest,
- 3. full recusal of the officer from Association activities relevant to the industrial relationship
- 4. avoidance of personal inurement.
- 5. Reimbursement, or payment, by industry for reasonable travel costs associated with an activity are acceptable.