



December 2012 BULLETIN

The monthly APPD Bulletin is one of many member benefits.

APPD CALENDAR

Calendar Item	Deadline / Dates	Additional info / website
APPD Call for Nominations	December 21, 2012	Specific 2013 Nominations' Details Don't miss this opportunity to become involved in the excitement of the APPD!
APPD Special Projects	January 11, 2013	Initial Proposals due January 11, 2013 APPD Special Project RFP
Call for 2013 Holm, Tunnessen & Berkowitz Award Nominations	Due February 12, 2013	http://www.appd.org/about_us/awards.cfm Robert S. Holm, MD Leadership Award Walter W. Tunnessen, Jr, MD Award for the Advancement of Pediatric Resident Education Carol Berkowitz Award for Lifetime of Advocacy and Leadership in Pediatric Medical Education
APPD Regional Meeting	Various Dates and Locations (see info at right)	Western Region February 22, 2013 UCLA, Los Angeles, CA
APPD/COMSEP 2013 Annual Spring Meeting Renaissance Nashville and Nashville Convention Center Nashville, TN	April 10-13, 2013	This will be a Combined Meeting with COMSEP and MPPDA. Meeting Theme: <i>"Meaningful Competency-Based Assessments"</i> Lead authors have been notified of acceptance. 2013 Preliminary Schedule
APPD Forum for Fellowship Directors at PAS Washington, DC	Friday, May 3, 2013	Abstract submission for this session has closed.

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1) **APPD 2012 Annual Report**

As part of our organizational communication effort, the APPD presents an [Annual Report](#) to the membership.

[Annual Report online](#)

The time period covered by the 2012 Annual Report is our past fiscal year: July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012. We have, however, also included updated information through early fall.

You may click on any heading on the Table of Contents below to go directly to that section of the report. Or, while on the [Annual Report pdf](#), you may go to the Table of Contents page and click on any header there.

In addition, all past APPD Annual Reports are archived on the APPD website www.appd.org, under the Communications tab.

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2) [APPD Call For Nominations – Deadline THIS FRIDAY December 21st](#)

The Association of Pediatric Program Directors' Nominations Committee is soliciting nominations for the following positions, with each term of office to begin April 2013:

- ❖ **APPD Secretary-Treasurer** (three year term, 2013-2016) – to replace Adam Pallant, MD
- ❖ One **APPD Nominations Committee Member** (two-year term, 2013-2015) – to replace Monica Sifuentes, MD
- ❖ Two **At-Large Coordinators' Section Executive Committee Members** (three-year term, 2013-2016) – to replace Pat Jacobi and Kathy Miller, C-TAGME on the already existing Coordinators' Section Executive Committee; joining Jean Ashley, C-TAGME (2011-2014), Staci Leitner (2011-2014), Ambrosya Amlong (2012-2015), and Kelley Pike (2012-2015)
- ❖ Six Members of the newly created **Fellowship Directors' Section Executive Committee**, as follows:
 - ❖ One Chair serving a two year term (2013-2015) - one year as Chair and one year as Immediate Past Chair
 - ❖ One Chair-Elect serving a three year term (2013-2016) - one year as Chair-Elect, one year as Chair, one year as Immediate Past Chair
 - ❖ One At-Large Member serving a three year term (2013-2016)
 - ❖ One At-Large Member serving a two year term (2013-2015)
 - ❖ Two At-Large Members serving a one year term (2013-2014)
- ❖ Six Members of the newly created **Associate Program Directors' Section Executive Committee**, as follows:
 - ❖ One Chair serving a two year term (2013-2015) - one year as Chair and one year as Immediate Past Chair
 - ❖ One Chair-Elect serving a three year term (2013-2016) - one year as Chair-Elect, one year as Chair, one year as Immediate Past Chair
 - ❖ One At-Large Member serving a three year term (2013-2016)
 - ❖ One At-Large Member serving a two year term (2013-2015)
 - ❖ Two At-Large Members serving a one year term (2013-2014)
- ❖ Two At-Large **Coordinators' Section Nominations Committee Members**, one serving a two year term (2013-2015) and one serving a one year term (2013-2014)
- ❖ Two At-Large **Fellowship Directors' Section Nominations Committee Members**, one serving a two year term (2013-2015) and one serving a one year term (2013-2014)
- ❖ Two At-Large **Associate Program Directors' Section Nominations Committee Members**, one serving a two year term (2013-2015) and one serving a one year term (2013-2014)

A list of the current leadership is on the APPD website at http://www.appd.org/about_us/leadership.cfm. Per the recent APPD Bylaws change, we are moving from a ten member Board of Directors to a seven

member Board. Three members of the current Board (Drs. Ferrell, Garfunkel and Gonzalez del Rey) will be going off the Board in April 2013 and will not be replaced, bringing the total number down to seven.

All nominations should be sent / emailed to the APPD office info@appd.org no later than December 21, 2012 and must include a letter of support, plus a biosketch and photo of the nominee. *Nominees must be current APPD members through their pediatric program membership.*

After the deadline, the Nominations Committee will convene to review nominations, make recommendations to the Board of Directors and finalize the ballot by mid to late January.

You may self-nominate (please send a letter of interest and a letter of support, along with your biosketch and photo). This is a great opportunity for you or a colleague to get more involved in the growth and development of the APPD.

[Additional Information/Outline of Duties and Responsibilities](#)

3) [APPD / COMSEP Combined Annual Meeting](#)

April 9-13, 2013 in Nashville, TN
Renaissance Nashville Hotel and Nashville Convention Center
Meaningful Competency - Based Assessments
[Preliminary Schedule](#)

Lead authors of submitted abstracts were notified of acceptance last week.

Meeting registration and hotel reservations will open in late January-early February.

4) [ABP Foundation Supports Study of Pediatric Milestones](#)

The American Board of Pediatrics (ABP) and the Association of Pediatric Program Directors (APPD) are pleased to announce that the ABP Foundation has agreed to support a national study of the Pediatrics Milestones.

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5) [Breaking News from Affiliated Organizations](#)

2013 FOPO Visioning Summit: The Future of the Workforce in Pediatrics (Visioning Summit)
https://www.appd.org/PDF/FOPO_BulletinVisioningSummitDec2012.pdf

[CoPS Update December 2012](#)

6) ["Positions Available" Postings on Website](#)

Since the last APPD Bulletin, **ELEVEN** new positions have been posted. To view all job descriptions, go to <http://www.appd.org/communications/positions.cfm>. Simply click on a job header to read more about the position.

If you have posted a position available in the past which has been filled, please remember to inform the APPD office (info@appd.org) so that the posting may be removed. It is our policy to remove positions from the page after three months unless a request to extend is received.



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