



MEMBER MONTHLY BULLETIN

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Regional Council Election

International ACAC is excited to launch the [Regional Council](#). This group will be composed of eight members representing their respective regions, strengthening our global network and guiding the association's decisions to be inclusive and truly international.

Thank you to everyone who put their name forward to be considered as a Regional Representative on the Council! The candidate slate will be released September 15.

We ask all eligible members to participate in the upcoming vote from September 17 through October 1.

Member Dues Update & Renewal

Members should anticipate an important notification in early September regarding a proposed update to their annual dues. We are committed to an open and transparent process, and, as such, a dedicated two-week period will be allocated to engage in feedback and discussion. This discussion period will allow for a comprehensive understanding of the motion and provide an avenue for all questions and concerns to be addressed before the vote opens later in the month.

The membership dues update will coincide with the Regional Council election, September 17 through October 1. *Renewals for the 2026 membership year will launch on October 8.*

Welcome to the New Vice President for Global Affairs, Péter Árvai



Welcome to the newly appointed member of the Executive Board!
Péter Árvai, Vice President for Global Affairs.

Péter, who works as the Deputy Director for Internationalization at University of Pécs, has been appointed to serve as the Vice President for Global Affairs. Having volunteered on the Global Affairs Committee (formerly Advocacy and Outreach Committee) and as a Chair for the First-Timers' Committee at the 2025 Annual Conference, we are thrilled to welcome Péter as part of the team.

Regional Institute Update

This October, we are lucky enough to be holding Regional Institutes in TWO different locations. Registration is open for both but not for long. Don't miss your chance to attend!

The Middle East & North Africa Regional Institute will be held at ABA Oman International School in Muscat, Oman, from October 2-4.

[Register Here](#)
Middle East and North Africa Regional Institute

The Sub-Saharan Africa Regional Institute will be held at Galaxy International School in Accra, Ghana, from October 24-26. **Please register by September 12.**

[Register Here](#)
Sub-Saharan Africa Regional Institute

Mark your calendars for **April 9-11, 2026** for the **2026 East Asia, Southeast Asia, and Oceania** Regional Institute at Dwight School Hanoi, in Hanoi, Vietnam. Complete the Expression of Interest form now and be among the first to be notified when registration opens in September.

[Expression of Interest](#)
East Asia, Southeast Asia, and Oceania Regional Institute

If you have any questions about these or any of our upcoming Regional Institutes, please reach out to the [Regional Institutes team](#).

Annual General Meeting at the NACAC Conference

For those of you planning to attend the [NACAC Conference](#) in Columbus, Ohio next month (September 18-20), be sure to attend the **Annual General Meeting!** The meeting will be on Thursday, September 18 at 6:15 PM in Room C170/171/172 at the Convention Center. Light

refreshments will be served following the meeting.

Annual Award Winners

Congratulations to the winners of the [2025 Annual Awards](#)!

Johnny Yang - *Rising Star Award*
Adam Wu - *Distinguished Service Award*
Asuman Okman - *Peter Hauet Lifetime Achievement Award*
Tannaz Daver - *Panetha Nychis Ott Member of the Year Award*

Updated Social Media Policy

The Communications Committee is pleased that the Facebook Group and other social media channels have become a valuable resource for its members. The Facebook Group is designed as a forum to voice questions, concerns, and announcements of interest to all group members. As our membership and access grow, we would like to remind you of a few Facebook Group Policies. This group aims to serve as a space that reflects the mission of International ACAC: "To facilitate global interaction among counselors and institutions in support of secondary students transitioning to higher education, while promoting professional standards that foster ethical and social responsibility."

Read the full [social media use policy](#).

Dates & Deadlines

Find all upcoming International ACAC events on the [Events Calendar](#).

- Sept 3: Conference Survey Closes
 - Sept 10: Webinar Wednesday: College Talk & Coffee
 - Sept 15: Regional Council Slate Released
 - Sept 17: Regional Council/Member Dues Voting Opens
 - Sept 18: Membership Meeting at NACAC Annual Conference
 - Oct 1: Regional Council/Member Dues Voting Closes
 - Oct 2-4: 2025 Middle East & North Africa Regional Institute
 - Oct 6: Regional Council Election/Member Dues Voting Results Announced
 - Oct 8: 2026 Membership Renewals Open
 - Oct 24-26: 2025 Sub-Saharan Africa Regional Institute
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