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Executive Board and Committee Applications Opening Soon

Let 2025 be your year to serve on the [Executive Board](#) or a [Committee](#). It is a great opportunity to deepen your engagement with the field of college admission counseling.

- Volunteering for a **Committee** is an excellent way to support the association and make new professional connections.
- The **2025 Executive Board** openings include President-Elect, Vice President for Admissions Practices, Vice President for Communications, Vice President for Finance, and Vice President for Professional Development.

Applications for the Executive Board positions will open on December 12. Read more about the elections process and open positions on the [2025 Elections webpage](#).

Interested in applying for the Board but unsure where to start? Submit the [2025 Executive Board Interest Form](#) to speak to a member of the GNC and gather more information.

Town Hall: Board Restructuring Proposal and Bylaw Vote

Join a Town Hall on Thursday, November 21 to discuss the [Board Restructuring Bylaw Proposal](#) that is being brought to a membership vote in the first half of 2025.

7:00 AM Eastern Time: [Register Here](#)

7:00 PM Eastern Time: [Register Here](#)

If you would like to submit questions in advance of the Town Halls, please complete the [Board Restructure Proposal Feedback Form](#).

2025 Membership Renewal Reminder

The 2025 renewal notice was sent to members via email on October 23. To renew your membership, verify the information in your [Member Profile](#) and pay the renewal dues invoice.

If you are changing your organization or member type, please submit the [Profile Update Form](#).

Thank you to the 1,312 members who have already renewed their membership for 2025! As a reminder, members who renew by December 1 will receive early notification of 2025 Conference registration.

Membership Dues Waivers

International ACAC is pleased to offer [Membership Dues Waivers](#) to those seeking assistance in paying their annual member dues for the 2025 year. Dues waivers are available to both new and existing members, and will be approved by the Membership Committee on a rolling basis. [Apply for a Dues Waiver here!](#)

Regional Institute Update

2025 will be here before you know it, and the [2025 Americas Regional Institute](#) in São Paulo, Brazil, April 4-5 will be our first in-person event of the year. The [2025 Europe Regional Institute](#) in Prague, Czech Republic, will follow quickly on its heels, May 22-24, and we know you won't want to miss out on that either. **Registration for both is open now.**

You must be a member to attend, so check out the section above and renew your membership today!

LAST CALL for host applications for the 2025 Sub-Saharan Africa and 2025 Middle East and North Africa Regional Institutes. Members from secondary schools or post-secondary institutions are invited to submit the [Regional Institute Host Interest Form](#) if interested in hosting a future regional institute. **The deadline for these two regions is December 2nd, 2024.**

If you have any questions about hosting, or about our Regional Institutes in general, please don't hesitate to reach out to the Regional Institutes team: Regionallnstitutes@InternationalACAC.org

Fall GEM Award Winner

**Congratulations to our Fall 2024
GEM Recipient:**

Mabrookah Heneidi



Based in Jordan, Mabrookah Heneida is a Cofounder and Advisor at Crossroads Advising and the Founder/Executive Director of the Gazan Student Support Network. In December 2023, Mabrookah reached out to members of the international community to create a task force aimed at supporting Gazan students through the university process amidst the collapse of their education system. Mabrookah grew this network, working with other organizations that have helped connect students in war-torn areas with educational opportunities. Since February, the organization has worked tirelessly with over 100 students to place them in universities and boarding schools abroad with 23 of these students having received

place them in universities and boarding schools abroad with 23 of these students having received university and boarding school acceptances with full or nearly full scholarships. Her nominator says, "She is one of the most dedicated people I have worked with and I am fortunate to be part of this impactful group under her leadership." We commend Mabrookah for her valuable work supporting international students.

2025 Summer Enrichment Programs

Each year, International ACAC maintains a [list of summer enrichment programs](#) for members to share with students or peers. If your institution hosts a summer enrichment program for students, we would love to hear about it!

You may submit a program [HERE](#) or by navigating to your [Info Hub](#) and clicking on the *2025 Summer Enrichment Programs* tab.

Dates & Deadlines

- Nov 18-22: Happy International Education Week!
 - Nov 20: Webinar Wednesday: Building Your List Without Breaking Your Wallet
 - Nov 21: Board Restructuring Proposal Town Hall; 7 AM and 7 PM Eastern Time
 - Dec 4: Webinar Wednesday: Admissions WTF (What's The Feeling)?
 - Dec 11: Getting Involved: Member Engagement Webinar
 - Dec 12: Executive Board Application Opens
 - Feb 8: Executive Board Application Deadline
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Quick Links

- [Board Restructuring Bylaw Proposal](#)
- [2025 Membership Dues Waiver Application](#)
- [2025 Executive Board Elections](#)
- [2025 Summer Enrichment Programs](#)
- [2024 Conference Session Presentations](#)
- [2024 Conference Chats](#)
- [Upcoming Regional Institutes](#)
- [2025-2026 International ACAC International Student Financial Aid Forms](#)