

Committee on Sessions

2022-23 Annual Report

Members

Ryan Kaminsky, Vice President and Chair, Pennsylvania '23; Gil Barahman, District 3 Trustee, Stony Brook '24; Emma Wilkinson, District 3 Trustee, Pennsylvania '24; and Kerri Roesch, Education and Program Manager, staff liaison.

Mission

Committee on Sessions is responsible for the planning of the upcoming Annual Session. The committee maintains the importance of governance and policy associated with the Annual Session.

Committee business

- The committee selected the 2023 Annual Session theme, “Reaching New Heights” to commemorate the meeting location, Seattle, and celebrate our drive for success and growth for the organization and its members.
- The committee vetted keynote speakers for the Annual Session and selected Kaplan Mobrey, due to his expertise in personal branding and leadership development.
- The Committee identified topics and speakers for educational breakout sessions focused on chapter leader training.
- In collaboration with Justina Anigbo, ASDA President, the committee selected the theme for the 2023 President’s Gala.
- The committee approved the addition of a community service project at Annual Session, during which attendees will pack hygiene kits for a Seattle community site that assists individuals who are experiencing homelessness.
- The committee approved the 2023 wellness activity at Annual Session, an ASDA scavenger hunt, promoting intellectual wellness.