Final Committee Objectives 2020-21

International Emergency Medicine Committee

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Board Liaison: Vidor E. Friedman, MD, FACEP
Staff Liaison: Faeza Faruq, MPH

1. Identify ways to increase international membership and attendance at Scientific Assembly and track their analytics for reporting.

2. Identify and address the international interest, needs, and involvement of the general ACEP membership.

3. Identify ways to make all ACEP products and resources including educational, clinical, programming, and organizational, more readily available to international members and track their utilization for reporting.

4. Identify and address the needs of international emergency physicians through a needs assessment that includes educational needs.

5. Identify and address the leadership development needs of current international members to create a sustainable pipeline for the International Emergency Medicine Section, International Emergency Medicine Committee, and for our global partners.

6. Identify and cultivate relationships and reciprocal committee liaisons with other national and international emergency medicine organizations, societies, hospitals, institutions, NGOs, and governmental entities.

7. Oversee and direct the ACEP International Ambassador Program and Ambassador Conference to better understand emergency care, models, and activities in each country.

8. Collaborate with the International Emergency Medicine Section leadership to align and implement tactics and programming to help meet the committee objectives.


10. Provide input to ACEP committees conducting outreach with international emergency medicine organizations and ACEP International Section members.

11. Review ACEP’s policies on health equity, including anti-racism, determine if a new or revised statement is needed to address health equity internationally, and provide a recommendation to the Board of Directors.