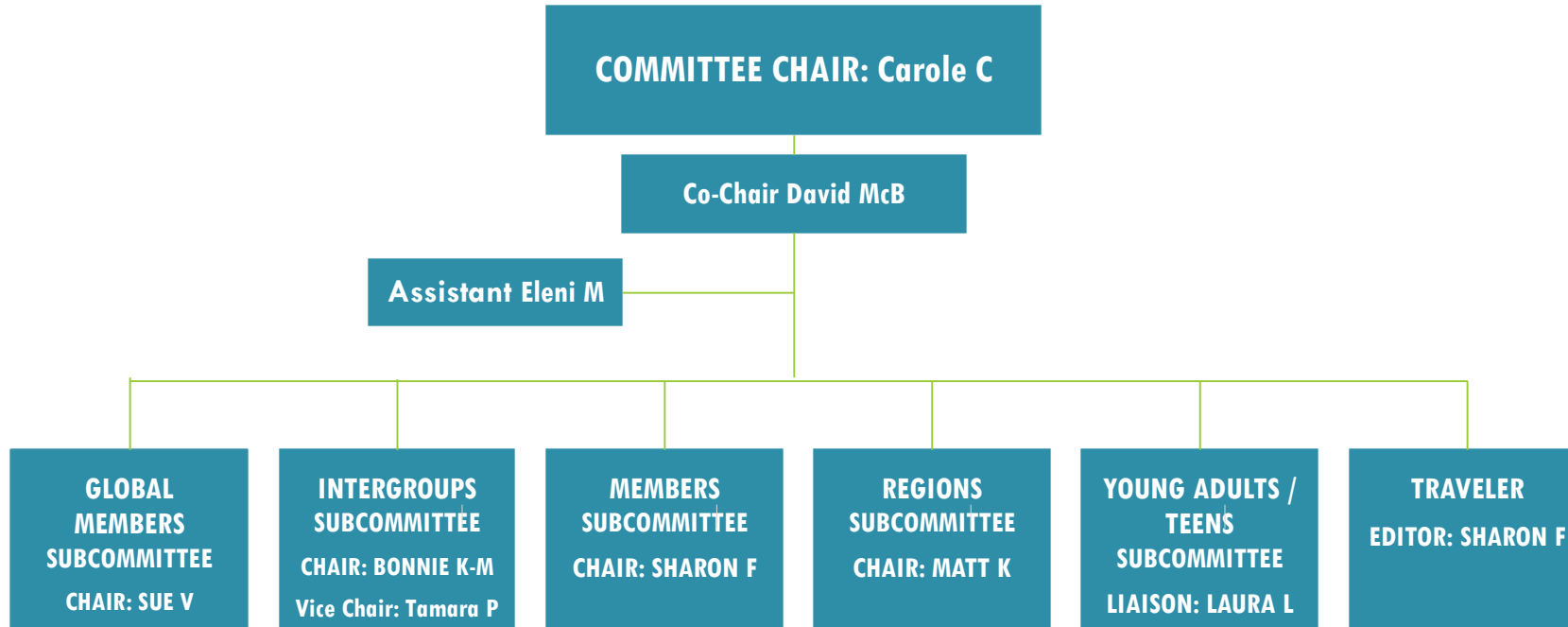


# MEMBER SERVICES COMMITTEE



# GLOBAL MEMBERS SUBCOMMITTEE

Chair Sue V.

This is a brand new subcommittee. Contact: Sue V. at [globalmembers@adultchildren.org](mailto:globalmembers@adultchildren.org)

Looking outside of North America for members to develop a network of information, communication and support between ACA members and emerging groups.

Example: an email from a Bangladesh Human Rights organization, Bangladesh Human, requested ACA assistance in creating ACA meetings. There are no ACA members in this country. India, the nearest country agreed to join Global Members Subcommittee and the committee is working to get information and help for starting meetings in Bangladesh by connecting them to ACA members in India. The global group found someone who speaks the language used in Bangladesh. India, Bangladesh, and members of ACA WSO's Global Members Subcommittee of Member Services are currently holding Skype meetings to make this a reality. In addition, India is receiving additional support for their meeting groups. Win/Win/Win



# INTERGROUPS SUBCOMMITTEE

Chair: Bonnie K-M Vice Chair: Tamara

Contact: Bonnie K-M at [intergroups@adultchildren.org](mailto:intergroups@adultchildren.org)

The Member Service Committee's subcommittee was formed to give assistance, support, and guidance to new, forming, and existing Intergroups with planning, organization, and questions about protocol. It communicates news and concerns of the ACA Intergroups to the Region and World Service boards. A priority for the Intergroups Subcommittee is to connect forming, new and existing Intergroups with each other to share their Experience, Strength, and Hope. We are helping them share best practices among themselves. The subcommittee meets once a month by teleconference and issues a communication program called Slack between meetings to conduct business.

# MEMBERS SUBCOMMITTEE

Members Subcommittee

Chair: Sharon F.

Contact: Sharon F. at [mpseditor@adultchildren.org](mailto:mpseditor@adultchildren.org)

<https://adultchildren.org/category/member-outreach/>

The Members Subcommittee focuses on connecting and supporting meetings and members, thereby helping WSO meet the needs of the fellowship in North America. We can be contacted through email at [mpseditor@adultchildren.org](mailto:mpseditor@adultchildren.org) or on our Slack channel #msc\_members\_subcm.

Some of the current projects:

- Updating current and creating new pages on the Adultchildren.org website to assist members and groups in carrying the ACA message.
- Developing a Membership Survey with the goal of launching the survey in 2019 and presenting the data to the fellowship at the 2020 ABC.

If you are interested donating your time, in any capacity, for a project, or would like more information, please send an email to [mpseditor@adultchildren.org](mailto:mpseditor@adultchildren.org).



# REGIONS SUBCOMMITTEE

Chair Matt

Contact: Matt at [regions@acawso.org](mailto:regions@acawso.org)

This Member Service Committee's subcommittee was formed to give assistance and guidance to Regions. It gives support and assistance to new and forming Regions and existing ones with planning, organization, and questions about protocol. It communicates news and concerns of the Regions and World Service boards. Once the more than one Region has developed in the world, the subcommittee will meet once a month by virtual means. Meanwhile interested parties use a communication program called Slack to discuss ACA business pertinent to the formation and existence of Regions.



# THE TRAVELER

Sharon F. Editor

Contact: Sharon at [thetraveler@adultchildren.org](mailto:thetraveler@adultchildren.org)

The Traveler is the monthly newsletter for the business of ACA WSO. It contains WSO News, a Resource Spotlight, and Featured Meetings & Events. It also links to the current ComLine issue.

# YOUNG ADULTS / TEENS SUBCOMMITTEE

ACAWSO Members Services Committee – Young Adults / Teens Subcommittee

Liaison : Laura L (California)

Contact Laura L. at [youngadults.teens@adultchildren.org](mailto:youngadults.teens@adultchildren.org)

Young Adults and Teens Subcommittee is a part of ACA WSO's Member Services Committee. We are a subcommittee designed to have people help each other. We welcome young adults, ACA teens, and their facilitators. It is a new subcommittee and is now working totally on our Slack channel. Once we have a Chair, we will begin having monthly subcommittee meetings to conduct the business of the Young Adults / Teens Subcommittee/

We work with members starting ACA Teens and Young Adults meetings all over the world. On our Teleconferences and using a program called Slack, Members share information and their experiences with each other.

We help to bridge the gap for teens as they move from school to adults/college/ work life by:

- contacting schools, orphanages, junior colleges for outreach opportunities
- speaking at Mental Health Fairs at School Districts and with Boards of Supervisors of School Districts to provide information about ACA for young adults/teens
- writing articles for ComLine/service and announcements for The Traveler geared towards young ACAs.