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WSO News

The Annual Business Conference (ABC) will be held May 6-7

Have your group & intergroup voice heard at the 2022 ABC, which this year will be held entirely on Zoom.

Elected Delegates can register now and before April 30th at <https://www.acaworldconvention.org/2022-abc-delegate-registration/>

A Delegate is an elected representative of a registered Group, Meeting, Intergroup or Region who serves to communicate the voice of the group to the World Service Organization (WSO) at the ABC. More information can be found on page 42 of the OPPM here: <https://acawso.org/wp-content/uploads/wso-oppm-current.pdf>

Delegate Education Sessions for the 2022 ABC

Dear Delegates and potential Delegates to the 2022 ACA Annual Business Conference (ABC),

or maybe you're thinking about signing up to be a Delegate for your group. Or perhaps you're just curious about how the ABC debate and voting process may be different this year. Well, here's your chance to learn more!

The Delegate Engagement Subcommittee invites you to attend one (or both!) of our Delegate Education Sessions!

[Option 1](#) (timed for our friends in US and Europe): Sunday April 10th 1pm ET

[Option 2](#) (timed for our friends in Asia and Oceania): Saturday April 23rd 11pm ET

Please note the content will be the same for both sessions, and we will record both sessions for those unable to make either session. Please find Zoom information, local time zone conversions, and more [here](#)

International Literature Scholarship Fund Update

The International Literature Scholarship Fund welcomes contributions! ACA members from South Africa and nearby countries in Africa are now able to have access to affordable literature, thanks to your contributions. A special thank you to the South Africa ACA Intergroup for making this opportunity possible. We are truly a global village.

To find out how to help intergroups around the world to obtain affordable literature, [click here](#).

Sharing “What Works” in the Fellowship!

Does your group or Intergroup/Region know that ACA has a webpage where “Best Practices” that have grown up from within the fellowship as a whole can be posted and shared for download with each other?

<https://acawso.org/category/member-shared-resources/> is the link where you will find solutions to common problems that groups experience. You can receive help with formats, tools for recovery, and outreach materials to download, free.

2021 Hacking Incident Report

<https://acawso.org/2022/03/12/it-hacking-incident-2021/>

WSO is Seeking Volunteers

The IT committee is looking for people with experience in WordPress or experience researching business software/web solutions. For example, software for inventory, finance, etc. Please either reach out to Brad L on WSO slack or email him at itchair@acawso.org

The Archives Committee is looking for members interested in locating and preserving documents for aid in historical research and the work of the WSO Board/Committee Members. Rudimentary knowledge of cataloging /protocols of archival work is helpful but not necessary. Please send an email to archives@adultchildren.org if you want to be involved in collecting the history of ACA.

Literature Evaluation subcommittee seeks readers for its evaluation of "Ready, Set, Go." We seek all levels of recovery and global members! If interested, please complete the attached form AND email interest to literature@acawso.org.

<https://acawso.org/literature-committee-volunteer-interest/>

Please Help Review Outdated Meetings

We are working hard to make sure the meeting directory is as accurate as possible. To find the 60+ meetings that are questionable, click on Announcements on the Home Page. If you have questions, email us at meetings@acawso.org.

<https://adultchildren.org/announcement/it-committee-needs-your-help/>

New Content Posted To The ComLine Blog!

The ComLine Blog has posted new content submitted by ACA members. Please visit the blog and hear the voice of the Fellowship. New content posted on the 1st and 15th each month.

<https://adultchildren.org/literature/comline/>

Literature Committee Quarterly Meeting

On April 2, 2022, 11:30am ET the Literature Committee Quarterly Meeting invites all working groups that are writing content for ACA members to attend a collaboration session. zoom: 856 5245 7314. All are welcome.

Treasurer's Corner

Should ACA groups support ACA's service entities?

ACA groups perform service—and they also benefit from service provided by service entities, such as intergroups, regions, and the ACA World Service Organization . Our Seventh Tradition states that “Every ACA group ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions.”

We ACA's want our Fellowship to prosper, and to be able to help any Adult Child who is seeking relief. An ACA group can make this happen by taking care of its basic group expenses: rent, literature, and any other expenses deemed necessary by the group.

After meeting these basic group expenses and providing a meeting place, many groups send surplus funds to intergroups, region, and the World Service Office so they can carry the message around the world.

[Click Here](#) to see the entire pamphlet “Suggested ACA Banking and Accounting Procedure”.

[Click Here](#) to read the Monthly Treasurer Report.

Featured Meetings & Events

Emotional Sobriety/ Sobriedad Emocional

Anniversary of Grupo ACA MEXICO WEB 0113.

Meeting in Spanish. ACA members share on the topic: Emotional Sobriety
Saturday April 02- 12:00 pm (Mexico City time)

Through the ZOOM platform :

ID 735 277 3615, password: 000000

contact: acaenzoom@gmail.com Intergroup IG 635 “ACA MEXICO”

Aniversario del Grupo ACA MÉXICO WEB 0113.

Día : sábado 02 de abril- 12:00pm (horario de la cd de México)

Por la plataforma ZOOM:

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contacto: acaenzoom@gmail.com Intergrupo IG 635 “ ACA MÉXICO”

Monthly Tradition Workshops

Join us Saturday, April 23, at 12pm ET as we continue with Tradition Four in the monthly series

A Guide to the Twelve Traditions.

Skits, Q & A, and sharing, build on personal, group, service, and business meeting procedures grounded in the spirituality of autonomy. <https://acawso.org/calendar/tradition-four-workshop/>

We have free downloads for Previous Tradition Workshops, [here](#)

[See More Events](#)

[Submit Your Event](#)

Meetings - ACA WSO maintains a World Meeting List of registered ACA meetings that take place in person, over the phone or online, which is updated monthly. Visit the [Find a Meeting](#) page on adultchildren.org to search for a meeting, or for more detail on specific meeting types, visit the [Meeting](#), [Phone](#), and [Online](#) meeting information pages.

WSO Board of Trustees Teleconference

The ACA WSO Board holds its monthly teleconference meeting on the second Saturday of each month, using Zoom, at 2pm Eastern Time.

Zoom Meeting ID: 228 809 511 **Passcode:** 90755

For more information, including agendas, previous minutes, the Zoom meeting ID, and telephone access numbers, please visit the [ACAWSO.ORG website](https://acawso.org).

7th Tradition

making a monetary contribution to help the next ACA receive the gift of recovery. Contributions can be made using any of the following options:

- [Online by using this link](#)
- By Venmo using @acawso
- By calling 562-595-7831
- By mail, payable to ACA WSO, PO Box 811 Lakewood, CA 90714

WSO appreciates all contributions no matter the size.

Twelve Concepts of Service - Concept IV

Throughout our structure, we maintain at all responsible levels a traditional Right of Participation.

You can find the [12 Concepts of Service here](#).

Daily Meditation Emails

ACA WSO also publishes a daily email with the Meditation of the Day from the book "Strengthening My Recovery". You can sign up to receive the [meditation email here](#). You will need to sign up for this separately from The Traveler Newsletter email.

About Adult Children of Alcoholics (ACA)

ACA is a worldwide 12 Step / 12 Tradition program of recovery dedicated to people who were raised in dysfunctional families. ACA does not seek to assign blame to parents or caretakers, but we seek to understand the reality of how family dysfunctions affected us as children and still affects our adult behavior today.

Family dysfunction can include alcoholism, abandonment, neglect,



with ACoA & Adult Children of
Alcoholics and Dysfunctional
Families.

For more information visit:

www.adultchildren.org

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