

August '25 MSC Monthly Report

Chair - William G-B

MSC Eastern Global Fellowship Meeting

August 7th, 2025 at 9pm ET Zoom (2) ID: 972 67656815 Passcode: 346336

Attendees- **Myself - William**

I sat in the room alone for 40 minutes preparing agendas and reports. Future meeting will be held jointly with the Western Global Fellowship Meetings

The next meeting of the “**MSC Global Fellowship Meeting**” will be held September 25th, on the fourth Thursday of each month at **11am ET**.

Member Services Committee

Regions & Intergroups Subcommittee

Business Meeting

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August 25th, 2025 at 11 am ET on Zoom (2) ID: 964 1415 5183 Passcode: 308405

Attendees: Marilyn Ig AZ #9; Gretchen CT 044; Caren NE TEX 737; Courbet Region 6 CA IG 64; Kaz WA IG Region 2 WA IG #; Dove Board/ Lawrence C CT 044; Tina IG NCA; Laura L IG Support; Channen CO IG605; Gretchen CT 044; Rick CO 605; William (Chair)

The meeting began with personal updates and introductions, including discussion of service commitments and committee roles. The group reviewed various intergroup activities and updates from different regions, including website improvements, retreats, and cross-fellowship collaboration efforts. The conversation ended with discussions about streamlining region certification processes and addressing challenges with group participation and business meetings in recovery

Focus on the agenda:

Member Services Committee

- **Global Reports:**
 - **Eastern Global Fellowship Meeting**
 - I sat alone preparing agendas and reports
 - In the future the two (Eastern and Western) global fellowship meetings will be combined into one large **MSC Global Fellowship Meeting to be held on the last Thursday of the month at 11 am ET**
 - **Western Global Fellowship Meeting**
 - Attendees; Marilyn Ig AZ #9; Gretchen CT 044; Caren NE TEX 737; Courbet Reg 6, CA IG 64/ Kaz, Region 2, WA IG# / Dove Board/ Lawrence C CT 044/ Tina IG NCA/ Laura L IG Support/ Channen CO IG605/ Gretchen CT 044; Rick CO 605
 - In the future this **MSC Global Fellowship Meeting will be held on the last Thursday of the month at 11 am ET**
- **YAT has been placed in inactive status**
 - This is what I, along with the Board Chair, Tamara, and our WSO Support person, Laura, and with a little help from chat GBT have produced for posting in The Traveler, the General Slack Channel as well as at the top of the YAT Sbcmte Website Page
 - As the Member Services Committee Chair, I want to share an update regarding the Young Adults & Teens (YAT) Subcommittee.

At this time, we've placed the subcommittee in inactive status. While we haven't had the resources to continue its efforts recently, this decision allows us to focus more fully on supporting the active and equally important work of the Regions & Intergroups Subcommittee.

That said, we believe the YAT Sbcmte has tremendous potential - and we are hopeful someone with a passion for supporting young people in ACA will step forward to serve as Chair. If you are interested or know someone who might be a good fit, please reach out. We'd love to see this important work continue with new leadership.

For more information on what this role entails, email Teens@acawso.org or attend a Member Services Committee business meeting, which are held

on the fourth Monday of each month by teleconference on Zoom (2) Zoom
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Meeting link: <https://zoom.us/j/96414155183>

Until then, the subcommittee will remain on pause.

Thank you for your continued service and support.

Best in service,
William G-B
Member Services Chair
mscchair@acawso.or

- **Teen booklet**

- Member Services has agreed to continue supporting the publishing of Chapter 18 of the BRB
- We have met only twice as the **author/design team** and should begin the editing and proof-reading process soon. We have discussed design. Issues as well as the purpose of the booklet and we maybe revising the chapter somewhat to include only the information pertaining to teens and deleting the information directed at adult members

→ **Regions and Intergroups Subcommittee**

◆ **Intergroups that William attended this month:**
08/10 National Capitol Area ACA IG
08/17 ACA San Francisco Bay Area IG #610
08/23 Monterey Bay ACA Intergroup

◆ **Reports from Intergroups - What is happening in your IG? Marilyn IG#9, Gretchen IG#044, Kaz #595, Caren #737, Courbet IG #640, Rick 605, Channen 605 Co IG, Tina , Laurance #044, Harmony (My love) N.Y.**

- **Tina brought up her group does not want to be part of an IG, Discussion ensued**

◆ **Reports from Regions - Courbet #6, Kaz #2,**

◆ **Intergroup Handbook**

- The handbook has been posted to the Intergroup Roundtable and MSC slack channels for several months now for review, comments, and edits
- In collaboration with the Intergroup Roundtable, we have set up a Study/Working group for the first and the fourth Wednesday at 4:30 ,pm PT / 7:30 pm ET, to edit/convert this work
- **Intergroup Handbook Meeting** on Zoom
 - ID: 88222747561 Passcode: service
 - If interested in being a part of this project, please submit your email addresses to Laura either in slack or by email at intergroupsroundtable@gmail.com

◆ Please remember to support the **Intergroups Roundtable**

- They meet on the second Wednesday of the month at 4:30 pm PT / 7:30 pm ET
ID: 882 2274 7561 Passcode: service

◆ **Other Business**

- **Laura - merntuioned Fellowship Day of Caring with other 12 step Fellowships**
- **Regions Report / Russian Regions (suggested to Talk to the Board regarding the revised registration process) it was suggested that the Board level may be too cumbersome...maybe should be approved by Member Services Committee? Kaz said it is under discussion at the Board level?**

◆ **Closing/Adjourn** close with the ACA Serenity prayer

MSC Western Global Fellowship Meeting

July 24th, 2025, at 9am ET on Zoom (2) ID:

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D: 936 0349 8782 Passcode: 1632480 Attendees: **Brian, (Thailand); Marion, Translations (South Africa); Monica, Translations (Portugal); Laura, MSC Support (So Cal, USA); Marilyn Ig #9 Chair (AR, USA) William MSC Chair, (FL, USA); David P, (Israel)**

The meeting focused on updates and challenges in ACAWSO translation efforts, including a comprehensive report by Marion on the translation environment, highlighting significant growth, with 72 publications in 36 languages and new languages added recently. and discussions about translation management systems and licensing requirements. The Member Services Committee reported on various initiatives including new publications and anniversary celebrations, while highlighting the importance of understanding the need for the translation of the 12 Traditions and Commitment to service into languages around the world. William encouraged attendees to support these projects by attending business meetings and getting involved in various capacities.

The group explored solutions for improving global communication and engagement within the organization, discussing the potential use of AI translation tools for meetings in other languages and the need for more inclusive communication channels, with plans to create a Google Doc to gather ideas for better member interaction.

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