

THE ACA WSO ANNUAL COMMITTEE REPORT ABC Committee on May 2026

Committee	
<i>Annual Business Conference (ABC) Committee</i>	

Inception Date	Sunset Date
1987	

Chair / Vice Chair (<i>First name, Last Initial; State or Country</i>)		
Co-Chairs		
Carmen B, U.S.,	U.S.	
Marcus H., U.S.	U.S.	
Members (<i>First name, Last Initial; State or Country</i>)		
Marcus H, William G-B, Carmen B, Mary Jo L, Kaz S, Dove , Jim R, Buddy S, Marion M, Staci W, Amica, Laura L, Pam M		

Statement of Purpose
<p><i>The purpose</i> of the combined ABC Committee is to oversee the planning and implementation of both the Annual Business Conference (ABC) and Conference Business Meetings (CBMs)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Oversee the planning and implementation of the Annual Business Conference/Conference Business Meetings. ● Strive to facilitate an effective assembly establishing the collective conscience of our fellowship regarding the maintenance of ACA World Services. ● Support those who serve the ABC/CBM ● Use feedback from Delegate Business Meeting Surveys to prepare Business Meeting

agendas.

Bullet list of committee activities since the last ABC

1. Organized and conducted an ABC and two CBMs
2. ABC Committee oversaw the Floor Motion Task Force's work on developing Emergency and Time Sensitive Delegate Motions.
3. Conducted Delegate Information/Training sessions before the ABC and CBMs.
4. With a Conference Motion the ABC Study Subcommittee became the separate Charter Ad Hoc Committee focusing only on developing a Conference Charter. The Sustainability Subcommittee took on all remaining ABC Study tasks.
5. Developed a ABC/CBM Agenda prioritization process via a survey to all groups and Delegates.
6. Developed a Delegate Portal to replace the Delegate Binder.
7. An increased number of members on the Committee.

Tasks Completed

1. Floor Motion Task Force introduced 2 motions for 2026 ABC for changes in OPPM Floor Motion/Time Sensitive Motions process.
2. Introduced and got passed by the Conference a process in the OPPM for Appeal of Chair or Parliamentarian Ruling.
3. Transition Plan for Conference Facilitator/Chair and ABC Committee Chair was completed with a Special Worker as administrative assistance for ABC Committee, a volunteer for the ABC Committee Chair and a volunteer for the ABC Co-chair/Co-facilitator.
4. Organized and conducted the ABC and 2 CBMs.
5. Developed a new process for Point of Order with a standardized form posted to a Slack channel.

Detailed descriptions, as needed

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| Goals for the year ahead |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Reactivate Delegate Engagement Subcommittee2. Recruit and train more Conference facilitators3. Update Delegate Handbook4. Develop a master timeline for ABC Committee and Ballot Prep Committee processes. |

WSO Website - Repository URL of meeting minutes / reports

Committee Contact information
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Meetings schedule: 1st and 3 rd Saturdays at 10:30 AM Eastern Time
Zoom Meeting ID: 875 8291 3615
Passcode: ABC2022