

Committee Information for ACN Members

More Ways to Engage Committee work groups



Finance



Communications



Development



Governance



Membership



Nonprofit Relations



Programming

WHAT WILL YOU GET?

Committee work is a get-give relationship. We want you to gain new experience, new knowledge and meet/work with other ACN members.

Ask yourself which committee may provide you with a new professional development opportunity? What would you enjoy spending your time doing? What will nourish you?

WHAT ARE YOU ASKED TO GIVE?

We are asking you to commit to showing up to give your time and talents, but we want it to be manageable! For the most part, committees meet monthly for about an hour. Members are asked to attend the meetings to stay up to date on information and contribute their ideas, working toward common committee goals. Each committee divides work into manageable bites. The average time commitment is 2-3 hours/month (including meeting time).

Following are some very basic descriptions of the committees.

- Finance Committee – reviews ACN's budget and makes recommendations to the board under the leadership of the treasurer

- Communications Committee – ensures information is shared with the membership and with other nonprofit professionals within the sector. The committee organizes monthly blog posts, email blasts, website updates and social media content
- Development Committee – offers sponsorship packages and communicates opportunities to potential sponsors and exhibitors for ACN programming
- Governance Committee – predominantly made up of board members, oversees board governance, policies and compliance
- Membership Committee – welcomes new members and reaches out to potential new members
- Nonprofit Relations Committee – reaches out to larger nonprofit organizations/foundations whose primary audience is the nonprofit leader with the goal of promoting ACN members' thought leadership
- Programming Committee – organizes educational programs and networking events for consultants and guests. The primary audience is the member consultant.

If you have any questions, you can refer to the ACN website's [committee page](#) and reach out to the committee chairpersons for more information. Please contact the ACN office at 312-940-4008 or email Tricia at execdirector@acnconsult.org and we will assist you if you need further assistance.