

Rules and Elections Committee Report 2021 APSA All Member Meeting

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The election for APSA Council and officer positions was held through an electronic ballot open to the entire membership from August 17 to September 16, 2021. The ballot consisted of the Nominating Committee's slate of Council and officer nominees, and no additional nominees by petition were submitted.

Under APSA bylaws, voters have the opportunity to vote "for," "against," or abstain for each position. Candidates must receive more "for" votes than "against" to be elected to the APSA Council or officer role for which they have been nominated. A quorum of 10% of the APSA membership, or 1,053 completed ballots, was required.

In total, 2526 ballots were cast, for turnout of 24.0%. All nominees were resoundingly elected. The Rules and Elections Committee examined the vote tally and certified the election results.

The newly-elected Council members and officers are:

For the position of PRESIDENT ELECT (2021-2022):

Lisa Martin, University of Wisconsin-Madison

For the position of VICE PRESIDENT (2021-2022):

Amrita Basu, Amherst College

Juan Carlos Huerta, Texas A&M-Corpus Christi

Mark Warren, University of British Columbia

For the position of COUNCIL MEMBER (2021-2024):

Khalilah Brown-Dean, Quinnipiac University

Scott Desposato, University of California, San Diego

Raymond Foxworth, First Nations Development Institute

Terri Givens, McGill University

Eileen M. Hunt, University of Notre Dame

Mary McHugh, Merrimack College

Sara Mitchell, University of Iowa

Costas Panagopoulos, Northeastern University