

## Call for Trainee Membership Committee Members (all career stages eligible)

Application deadline: June 14, 2021

ASTMH is seeking applications from Society members who are interested in serving on the Trainee Membership Committee for two two-year terms (four years total). Members from all career stages are encouraged to apply. The Trainee Committee was established in 2018 to improve the Society's engagement and opportunities available for trainee members, students, pre-doctoral, post-doctoral trainees, and early career professionals, with an interest in and passion for tropical medicine. Strengthening trainee member engagement is the key charge of this committee. The committee will work together to identify, develop, implement, and oversee new and existing Society efforts specific to growing our trainee membership.

## Who can apply?

- All ASTMH members are eligible to apply
- Strongly encouraged to apply:
  - The committee is seeking representation from non-US members, especially those from LMICs
  - Students, postdocs and trainees



"Trainees have the best ideas, the most energy, and a driving will to ask and answer big questions. The Society gives them opportunities for learning and doing—by networking, presenting their work, and offering some travel and research support. Plus, our pool of mentor-colleagues is unexcelled." – Past President Joel G. Breman, MD, DTPH, FIDSA, FASTMH

## **Responsibilities of the Trainee Membership Committee:**

- Timely attention to committee emails, participate in conference calls (most of the work will be done via email) and attend in-person or virtual committee meeting during the ASTMH Annual Meeting (tbd)
- Commitment to identifying and developing solutions
- Willingness and ability to work collaboratively with colleagues and staff; ability to meet deadlines
- Current member (dues paid)
- Submit the following by June 14 to Buffy Finn, Manager, Membership:

- A one-page statement of interest that describes why you would like to serve on this committee, including a description of your professional background that aligns with the charge to this task or prior experience on a committee or activity in a related area
- o Current CV

Please contact <u>Buffy Finn</u>, Manager, Membership with questions about the application process.