



# SAAAPM

SOCIETY OF ACADEMIC ASSOCIATIONS OF  
ANESTHESIOLOGY & PERIOPERATIVE MEDICINE

**Annual Business Meeting**  
Saturday, November 9, 2024  
Swissotel Chicago • Chicago, Illinois  
**MINUTES**

**0.0 Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order by President Dr. Michael Lewis at 7:37am (Central).

**1.0 Secretary Report**

**1.1 Approval of Minutes from November 4, 2023:** A draft of the minutes from the November 4, 2023 Annual Business Meeting was distributed in advance and reviewed.

**MOTION:** It was moved and seconded to approve the minutes from November 4, 2023 as presented.  
**Motion Passed.**

**1.2 2024 YTD Financial Report:** Dr. Cynthia Lien provided the 2024 financial report. The society is projected to have a positive year with an increase in the investments by nearly 25% and the increased attendance with the annual meeting for 2024.

**1.3 SAAAPM Membership Update (as of November 1, 2024):** The 2024 SAAAPM membership update was provided. There are currently 154 institution members that includes 142 AAAC members; 152 AACPD members; 179 AACPD associate members; 321 AASPD members; 133 AASPD associate members and 351 AAPAE members.

**2.0 Administrative**

**2.1 2024 Election Results:** Dr. Michael Lewis reported on the 2024 election results.

**AAAC/SAAAPM President-Elect**

- Dr. Cynthia A. Lien – Medical College of Wisconsin

**AAAC/SAAAPM President-Elect**

- Dr. Jeffrey S. Berger – The George Washington University School of Medicine

**AAAC/SAAAPM Council Members**

- Dr. Harendra Arora – University of Mississippi Medical
- Dr. P. Allan Klock, Jr. – The University of Chicago
- Dr. Luis Tollinche – MetroHealth System of Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine

**AACPD Councilors**

- Dr. Crystal M. Manohar – UT Health San Antonio
- Dr. Sara E. Neves – The University of Chicago
- Dr. Bryan Mahoney – Icahn School of Medicine of Mount Sinai
- Dr. Timothy W. Martin – University of Florida College of Medicine

**AASPD President-Elect**

- Dr. Aameeka Pannu – Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center

**AASPD Secretary**

- Dr. Christina L. Jeng – Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai/The Mount Sinai

**AASPD Councilor: Critical Care**

- Dr. Babar Fiza – Emory School of Medicine

**AASPD Councilor: CT Anesthesia**

- Dr. Albert Tsai – Stanford University School of Medicine

**AASPD Councilor: Obstetrics**

- Dr. Stephanie K. Woodward – Vanderbilt University School of Medicine

**AASPD Councilor: Pain Medicine**

- Dr. Kimberly M. Youngren – Dartmouth Health

**AASPD Councilor: Pediatrics**

- Dr. T.J. Lockhart – University of Nebraska Medical Center/ Children’s Nebraska

**AASPD Councilor: Regional Anesthesia**

- Dr. Jody Leng – Stanford Hospital and Clinics

**AASPD Councilor: Pediatric Cardiac**

- Dr. Stephanie Grant – Emory University School of Medicine

**AAPAE Councilor: Assessment**

- Rachel Moquin – University of Mississippi Medical Center

**AAPAE Councilor: Communications**

- Autumn King – The University of Chicago

**AAPAE Councilor: Mentorship**

- Rena Gresh – MetroHealth System of Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine

**2.2 SAAAPM Gavel and Past President Scroll Presentation:** Dr. Michael Lewis presented Dr. Cynthia Wong a gavel as incoming AAAC President. Dr. Cynthia Wong presented Dr. Michael Lewis with a Past President Scroll for serving as AAAC President.

**3.0 Annual Meeting**

**3.1 2024 Annual Meeting:** Dr. Michael Lewis reported on the Annual Meeting registration numbers – 722 attendees.

**3.2 2025-2027 Annual Meetings:** The dates for the Annual Meeting from 2025 through 2027 were announced. All years it will be held in Chicago at the Swissotel.

**4.0 Old Business:** No old business.

**5.0 New Business:** No new business.

**6.0 Adjourn:** The meeting was adjourned at 7:44am (Central).

Respectfully Submitted,  
Andrew Bronson, CAE  
Executive Director  
(Drafted November 9, 2024)