JOB DESCRIPTION

Position Title: President

BASIC FUNCTION

The President serves as the presiding officer of all regular and special meetings of the general membership, Board of Directors, and Governance Committee; serves as an ex-officio member of all ADCES governing committees, except for the Nominating Committee; makes all required appointments of standing and special committees and task force chairs; and performs such other duties as are assigned by ADCES Bylaws or the Board of Directors. The President holds office for a term of one year, beginning on the first day of the calendar year immediately following the completion of his/her term as President-elect.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

1. Serves as the presiding officer for all meetings of the Board of Directors and Governance Committee, which includes scheduling the meetings and preparing the agendas in collaboration with the ADCES CEO

2. Appoints Chairs of the governing committees, and members to task forces, work groups, and liaisons as the need arises during the year

3. Meets weekly via telephone with the ADCES CEO and other designated members of the Governance Committee; communicates with the Board between formal meetings on an as needed basis when a quick turn-around is needed to determine a Board consensus or to make an announcement

4. Attends in collaboration with the CEO and others, periodic meetings with alliance leaders (usually industry, government, or other non-profit association); articulates ADCES’s mission and vision and current initiatives through various media channels; frequency of meetings are determined by need

5. Writes an article for each issue of In Practice for the “From the President” section

6. Provides interviews for print, electronic, radio, television and social media as needed

7. Prepares written correspondence on an as-needed basis

8. Performs other duties as assigned by the Board of Directors

*The duties and responsibilities, conduct, and knowledge, skills & abilities for Board director positions also apply to officer positions.
MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

▪ Has completed his/her term as President-elect and is an active member.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES

▪ Ability to meet all expectations of the position and time commitment
▪ Strategic and critical thinker
▪ Visionary
▪ Commitment to ADCES by willingness to represent and promote the association, and to put the association’s interests first without regard to professional discipline, practice, or personal interest
▪ Skilled communicator and facilitator
▪ Ability to manage multiple projects
▪ Sense of humor
▪ Enthusiasm
▪ Objectivity
▪ Prioritizes issues consistent with ADCES’s strategic plan
▪ Outcomes/results oriented
▪ Empowers others
▪ Diplomatic when dealing with opposing viewpoints
▪ Appreciates change and the ability to manage change
▪ Organizational and management skills
▪ High energy level
▪ Interest in the general principles of fiscal oversight for not-for-profit organizations
▪ A team player, consensus builder
▪ Media savvy
▪ Presents a positive professional image
▪ Computer and technology literate with reliable access to a computer and mobile phone
▪ Operates at all times in an environment of trust, confidentiality, and candor
▪ Demonstrates leadership and personnel management abilities.
▪ Politically astute

CONFLICT OF INTEREST UNDERSTANDING

No member of the Board of Directors shall seek, nor shall he/she derive any compensation, personal profit or personal gain, directly or indirectly, to her/himself or her/his employer by reason of his or her participation with the ADCES. Prohibited compensation includes, but is not limited to, remuneration for services rendered as part of ADCES’s conferences, workshops, courses and publications.