Pennsylvania Psychological Association Graduate Students
Board Chair Positions

**Chair:**
- Serves a one-year term as Chief Officer of PPAGS and Chair of the Executive Committee and PPAGS Committee
- is responsible for the coordination of efforts of the members of the PPAGS Committee
- in the event of a resignation by a PPAGS Committee member is responsible for appointing a replacement to serve for the duration of the current term
- is responsible for consulting with the members of the PPAGS Committee and the general membership to establish the direction of PPAGS activities
- is responsible for representing PPAGS to PPA by serving as Student Representative to the Board of Directors
- shall attend all meetings of the PPAGS Committee as well as all meetings of the PPA Board of Directors
- is responsible for consulting and maintaining working relationships with members of the PPA Board of Directors, PPA Staff, and other relevant PPA leaders
- shall attend and participate in other PPA governance, activities, and events (e.g., committees, project groups, Annual Convention, Lobby Days, Regional Leadership Conference) as appropriate and necessary

**Chair-Elect:**
- Serves a one-year term as member of the Executive Council and PPAGS Committee and serves as Chair in the subsequent year
- shall attend all meetings of the PPAGS Committee as well as all meetings of the PPA Board of Directors
- shall attend and participate in other PPA governance, activities, and events (e.g., committees, project groups, Annual Convention, Lobby Days, Regional Leadership Conference) as appropriate and necessary

**State Advocacy Coordinator:**
- Oversees all PPAGS advocacy related projects, including dissemination of advocacy and legislative information
- attends PPA Regional Leadership Conference and Lobby Day,
- with the approval of the PPAGS Committee, may appoint a subcommittee to assist her/him with advocacy and recruitment activities
- Serves a two-year term as member of the PPAGS Committee.

**Member at Large-Programming Focus:**
- serves as member of PPA
- with the approval of the PPAGS Committee, may appoint a subcommittee to assist her/him with programming activities
under the direction of PPA staff, coordinates student involvement in PPA activities including, but not limited to student volunteers, student poster sessions, student luncheon, and student-oriented programming.

Serves a two-year term as member of the PPAGS Committee.

**Member at Large—Communication Focus**

- Serves a two-year term as member of the PPAGS Committee
- Is responsible for coordinating the date and time for all PPAGS board meetings
- Is responsible for gathering a typed agenda for each board meeting and emailing the agenda to the PPAGS members before the meeting; also responsible for sending the minutes after the board meeting has been completed
- Is responsible for the communication efforts of the members of the PPAGS Committee
- Provide assistance to other PPAGS members when necessary.
- Shall attend and participate in other PPA governance, activities, and events (e.g., committees, project groups, Annual Convention, Lobby Days, Regional Leadership Conference) as appropriate and necessary
- Serves a two-year term as member of the PPAGS Committee.

**Member at Large—Diversity Focus**:

- Serve as a member of PPA Committee on Multiculturalism
- Under the direction of the PPAGS Chair and in collaboration with the chair of the Committee on Multiculturalism, assess student interest and concern within the multicultural realm and address these needs through appropriate programming
- Guide working groups and ad hoc committees that address specific issues of diversity
- Serves a two-year term as member of the PPAGS Committee.