

CATE Board Reports ANNUAL REPORT for 2020

Greg Johnson, Past President	
Robb Polski, Incoming President	<p>2020 Annual Board Report: MAL Secondary/President</p> <p>In March, KCTE board met to discuss our calendar of events. In April, we planned and hosted our first Zoom book club where we virtually discussed <i>The Glass Hotel</i> by Emily St. John Mandel. In May, our book club discussed <i>Deaf Republic</i> by Ilya Kaminsky (there was even an appearance by Tim Dewar). In July, we held a short KCTE meeting to welcome our a new member Daryl Bellis to the Kern family, but pushed our book club for <i>This Tender Land</i> By William Kent Krueger for the August meeting.</p> <p>For two weeks in July, I had the pleasure to serve as a Returning Fellow to aid Tim in the running the South Coast Writing Project's Advanced Summer Institute. Our primary objectives were meeting the call of remote teaching, addressing the need for social justice and anti-racist teaching, and building and deepening partnerships among various organizations such as CATE (local councils),CWP (Young Writers Camp), CRLP, etc.</p> <p>As of July 1st, I began my responsibilities as president. I have been working with Greg, Denise, and Jill to get up to speed on institutional memory and expectations, duties and traditions. We held two advisory board meetings to discuss the upcoming year, and I was honored with penning my first "President's Perspective" for the esteemed California English. I have been working with Greg on our September board meeting agenda and cannot thank him enough for his kindness, patience, and grace in this time of transitions.</p> <p>As President of CATE, I prepared for and participated in an advisory committee meeting in October to meet with the subcommittee charged with exploring options for a virtual event in lieu of our annual convention. I met virtually with CATE treasures to discuss 2019 and 2020 convention reimbursement to CWP and prepared for and participated in advisory committee meeting in November to set the December board meeting's agenda. I also wrote and submitted "President's Perspective" to <i>California English</i>.</p> <p>As South Coast Writing Project fellow this year, I supported and attended Advanced Summer Institute follow up events/reunion in September and November and met with Tim Dewar to discuss CWP presence at CATE's virtual event. I have also attended a number of renewal events throughout the year both as facilitator and attendee.</p> <p>As a local KCTE board member. I have attended all KCTE meetings and events, September and October planning and business meetings, book club, and One Book One Bakersfield pre-meeting the author book talk for <i>Broad Band</i> and accepted new role as KCTE's CWP liaison.</p> <p>Respectfully submitted, Robb Polski, President of the California Association of Teachers of English</p>
Denise Mikkonen, Co-Treasurer	<p>December 2, 2020</p> <p>In the past year as past president and co-treasurer I have; I have forwarded the necessary information about our award winners to Greg and to Carole for the convention flyer for our 2019 convention. Greg and I have met both on the phone and via text and email to discuss procedures and timelines for the convention and all things CATE. At the convention I worked at the registration booth to help insure a smooth transition to our new registration system. The URL for electronic voting was created and sent to Carol for California English for our first run at on-line voting. The voting ballot was created and was made live after the business meeting. I participated in all Advisory calls and board meetings. My position as past president ended in July.</p> <p>As co-treasurer, I have support Patrick as co-treasurer. Patrick and I have spent several hours working on the year end fiscal duties, I have taken on the responsibility for issuing checks to councils at our, along with paying all invoices and reimbursements. Patrick and I have to streamline some of the processes and to get a better understanding the different line items for Precision Assembly. We have collaborated on a budget for the new fiscal year. I worked with Patrick and our CPA collecting items for our year end taxes. All taxes and our CPA have been paid. Patrick and I are communicating regularly to code expenses and we are keep track of registrations through eventPower. I facilitated a new debit card for Bob, as our account was compromised, and continue to pay outstanding invoices.</p>
Sommer Iamele, Vice President	<p>Annual Board Report: Vice President</p> <p>As Vice President my role has primarily been to coordinate board meetings and advisory calls with board members. I have set up the Zoom account for the association and worked with Zoom to ensure our Date with CATE will accommodate the number of attendees. I continue to meet with the board president to help as needed.</p> <p>Vice President Sommer Iamele</p>
Carole LeCren, Secretary	
Patrick Keough, Co-Treasurer	<p>To: CATE Board From: Patrick Keough, CATE Co-Treasurer RE: Annual Board Report</p> <p>Over the last year, in my role as CATE co-treasurer, I have done the following:</p> <p>*Entered and coded CATE financial transactions in Quiken</p>

	<p>*Created quarterly budget sheets to report out at CATE quarterly meetings *Attended several Zoom meetings with Co-Treasurer Mikkonen to review CATE financial transactions *Attended several Board Advisory Meetings *Completed and submitted postal forms for California English *Prepared documents for annual IRS/Franchise Tax Board filings *Worked at Feb. 2020 CATE Convention to run College Credit payments, as well as to provide stipend checks to presenters</p> <p>Respectfully Submitted, Patrick Keough CATE, Co-Treasurer</p>
Angus Dunstan, Capitol Rep	<p>In the past year as Capitol Council President:</p> <p>I encouraged a strong showing of Capitol Council members at the 2020 Convention. With the support of the Capitol Board I nominated Rebecca Detrick to fill the vacant Member-at-Large position. With the support of the Capitol Board, I oversaw our Fall Free Book event. Since we could not hold in-person meetings, we invited Capitol members to choose a book from a curated list which we mailed to them. This was our most successful member event for some time!</p> <p>In the past year as Resolutions Committee Chair:</p> <p>At the 2020 Convention I coordinated the full day meeting of the Committee (which consists of one representative from each council). We drafted, rewrote and edited several resolutions which were voted on at the Annual Meeting. I then made sure the final copies went to Carol Jago for inclusion in California English.</p>
Susan Dillon, Central Rep	<p>CCCTE Annual Report Several members of the Central board serve on the executive board and have faithfully fulfilled their obligations to the organization as well as the local council Although our annual young writers' reception was canceled due to quarantine, the winners were recognized. The Central Board has been undergoing a reorganization. The board asked Susan Dillon to step in as temporary president in December 2020. The board will meet in early 2021 to build back membership and plan events, especially in Monterey County as the CSC Asilomar conference has been canceled.</p> <p>Respectfully submitted, Susan Dillon</p>
Janina Schulz, FACET Rep	<p>CATE - Annual Report</p> <p>During the past year (since December 2020) for CATE I have taken on a social media role. Currently, I am the person who posts for CATE's Facebook page.</p> <p>Here is a link to the posts I have done on Facebook along with periodic reports of "people reached" and "post engagements".</p> <p>https://docs.google.com/document/d/13aGIBNlpN86c1GzNDte_OZ_9IzLbNPHY0Q_9FYAx4c4/edit?usp=sharing</p> <p>I am part of the Leadership/Membership Committee and the Publications Committee.</p> <p>Janina Schulz, MA, NBCT AP Language / English III Teacher Yearbook Adviser Edison High School</p>
Gina Vattuone, GSDCTE Rep	<p>GSDCTE Annual Board Report - 2020 COVID caused our local council to put all plans and meetings on hold. I am looking forward to re-starting our @SD_Reads Book Club and plan some virtual (and maybe real?) events for 2021.</p>
Kim Flachmann, Kern Rep	<p>KERN COUNCIL ANNUAL REPORT: 2020</p> <p>Meetings Mar 3, 2020: Planning activities for the year Sept 14, 2020: Business/Planning Meeting Oct 28, 2020: Business/Planning Meeting Dec 14, 2020: Christmas Feast, Gift Exchange, Business Meeting</p> <p>New Board Members We expanded our board by two members: one from Wasco and one from Greenfield; both are communities outside of Bakersfield that will enrich our conversations and our activities. We have a new temporary Membership Chair: Jill Hamilton-Bunch.</p> <p>Membership Drives</p>

	<p>Jan 25, 2020: Dave Stuart on Academic Writing</p> <p>Kern Teaching Awards Nomination for Excellence in Teaching (College level) postponed until 2022</p> <p>One Book/One Bakersfield: <i>The Big Thirst</i> May 2020: ERWC Module on <i>Broad Band</i> distributed to high school and college faculty Oct 2020: Claire Evans (One Book/One Bakersfield) Oct 2020: We gave six cash awards for essays related to the ERWC One Book module to grades 11/12 and college)</p> <p>Book Club Meetings Jan 2020: <i>The Grammarians</i> by Cathleen Schine May 2020: <i>The Glass Hotel</i> by Emily St. John Mandel July 2020: <i>This Tender Land</i> by William Kent Krueger October 2020: <i>Broad Band</i> by Claire Evans (One Book, One Bakersfield)</p> <p>Essay Contests On-going in the schools</p> <p>Other Kern Events After our Board Meeting on March 3, 2020, we cancelled the rest of our events for the year because of the pandemic.</p> <p>Recruitment April 2020: Postcard Blitz for previous members June 2020: Summer recruitment postcards sent</p> <p>Kern Online Presence KERN CATE: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LKDtH2kbjQ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KBtZl39Zmy4</p> <p>Submitted by Kim Flachmann President of Kern Council December 2020</p>
Vicki Kurtz, Redwood Rep	<p>Vicki Kurtz 2020 Redwood Council Annual Report</p> <p>Last year, I stepped in as a kind of interim liaison which evolved into being the president of our council. Joan Williams has been an exceptional leader for our Council and it has been a rocky time to try and step into her shoes.</p> <p>We had a good representation at the CATE convention in Feb 2020, where we had two award winners; after returning home, we held a reception at the Morris Graves Museum, in Eureka, on March 5, 2020 to honor our local winners; the first to Cutten Elementary teacher Harriet Watson, who received the Excellence in Teaching Award and the second to The Humboldt County Children’s Author Festival. It was great PR for our Council and we hoped to add to our membership because of it.</p> <p>Although the pandemic hit and many plans were changed, our local writing contest continued and culminated in a Zoom award ceremony in October.</p> <p>I have not attempted to reach our members to organize a Zoom meeting. I have only reached out to my immediate colleagues to promote joining CATE at the reduced rate and to consider attending the virtual convention.</p> <p>We are in a holding pattern and have not moved forward.</p>
Jennifer Silver, Southland Rep	<p>CATE BOD Annual Report: Jennifer Silver, Southland (SCTE) Representative and Convention Co-Coordinator (Incoming)</p> <p>In my roles on the CATE Board, I was in the throes of CATE’s 2020 Convention in Los Angeles as the year began. As 2020 Convention Chair, I tied up loose ends with major speakers, helped to facilitate rehearsals for the Friday night mystery event, participated in meetings with hotel personnel, managed a Southland subcommittee, and served as a point person for onsite convention concerns and requests. One of my auxiliary aims was to create a sense of visual continuity within the convention space, which included increased use of the convention logo, a themed “selfie station,” and special attention to investigation-type decor. Since convention, I have helped coordinate contracts for CATE 2023 in Monterey, participated in advisory calls, and served on the planning subcommittee for “A Date with CATE,” our upcoming virtual event.</p> <p>As Southland’s president, I encouraged our two new board members from the local council to run for CATE office and look forward to our continued collaboration now that they have joined the CATE Board. SCTE</p>

	<p>enjoyed another huge turnout at our convention meet-up, which I coordinated with the hotel. I work with the Convention Planning and Executive Finance committees on any given Saturday (and Sunday) of CATE Board's meetings.</p> <p>For more information on Southland's events, please see our February 2021 report.</p>
<p>Carol Surabian, TUCATE Rep</p>	<p>End of Year Report: TUCATE</p> <p>This past year has been a challenging one for TUCATE for a number of reasons. One of our dynamic board members transferred to the San Diego area, which left us hoping for new interest in board members. We had limited interest in the mini-grants we set up, but were able to award two. We hope to continue this project once we get back to "normal."</p> <p>It has been difficult to maintain contact with our council during the pandemic, although we continue to try. As stressful as it is to meet face to face, it is even more so online. We hope by the next school year we will be able to again enjoy meeting face to face.</p> <p>TUCATE continues to strive to be a viable council and look to local and state leaders to help us as we continue in our efforts to be of value to English teachers of Tulare and Kings Counties.</p> <p>Respectfully submitted, Carol Surabian TUCATE President</p>
<p>Jori Krulder, Upper Rep</p>	<p>2020 Annual Report</p> <p>I attended CATE 2020, the first CATE conference I'd attended in several years and brought along a younger colleague who had never attended before. Not only did we present a session together, but I also learned that our council - Upper Council - did not have an active membership. With varying success, I have attempted to get our council going again, but Covid has made that a bit more challenging than I thought it would.</p> <p>My school is meeting person to person in a hybrid model and my colleagues and I have been working to find ways to keep students engaged and succeeding in school, even though they're spending more than half of it at home. A much larger portion of students are failing than ever before, and we are working to learn more about trauma informed teaching, given the fallout from the 2018 Campfire burning most of our town down and the fact that even before that, we had quite high ACES scores.</p> <p>In the meantime, I've continued to benefit from collaborating with my online Twitter #aplitchat community. Teachers from all across the country who teach AP Lit have found some of the best professional development ever from weekly Twitter chats and conversations in between. In the past, we've presented at conferences and joined forces to write professional literature and I look forward to expanding our community, as well as use social media to connect other teachers - perhaps through CATE.</p>
<p>Julie Paulsen Burnett, MAL Elementary</p>	<p>Julie Burnett Annual Board Report 2021 MAL Elementary</p> <p>This year, as MAL Elementary, I have taken a variety of commitments for CATE. I am the 2022 Convention Co-Chair with Mark Olsen. We have been meeting with colleagues as we begin planning. Our theme is "California Dreaming; reimagining the future of education together." We are actively working on booking Amanda Gorman, United States Youth Poet Laureate as a main speaker. We are working with Bill Younglove to secure Long Beach Mayor Garcia to greet attendees and possibly kick off convention. We are looking into the possibility of hosting our Saturday evening event at the Long Beach Aquarium of the Pacific. Mark and I are also beginning to organize colleagues to help, including Teresa Twisselman who will be in charge of donations.</p> <p>I have agreed to take over Rebecca Detrick's role on the CYRM committee and will begin this three year soon.</p> <p>I have been active with the CATE 2021 online event: A Date with CATE. I created the Eventbrite registration site; we currently have 402 registered attendees.</p> <p>In my professional life, I have been actively involved in trying to ascertain a teaching credential from the State Credentialing Board. I am applying via the route for private school teachers with six or more years of experience. Having been twice denied for the Single Subject in English credential, I have been advised to first pursue the Multiple Subject credential (being that my experience is elementary). I am currently taking the RICA exam and the Multiple Subject CSET exams as well as taking a foundational reading course and next a methods of teaching high school course from Point Loma Nazarene University. I will reapply in March 2021.</p> <p>I am currently a full time English Teacher for Kern Learn, the online school for KHSD. I teach 9 grade, 12 grade, and ERWC courses. Additionally, I teach freshman composition at CSUB.</p> <p>Respectfully submitted, Julie Burnett February 5, 2021</p>
<p>Carol Battle, MAL Middle</p>	<p>2020 Annual Report Winter 2020</p> <p>I participated in the New Booth, New Member booth and completed other duties to help the Feb conference run smoothly. The Equity and Diversity Committee was formed and the inaugural column submitted.</p>

	<p>Spring 2020 COVID19 and the impending school closures and virtual teaching became of primary concern. I continued to gather resources for best practices in teaching mid level students virtually.</p> <p>Fall 2020 Since our last meeting/conference in February I have been gathering digital resources to best support our CATE Members in terms of diversifying their classroom materials and practices. I consulted in writing CATE's anti-hate message about the murder of George Floyd and other victims of police brutality. I also wrote the latest column in the From Woke to Deed, Equity column in California English.</p> <p>Winter 2020 Since our last meeting I helped to secure an equity entry for California English. As a committee, we worked to build a network of resources for our local councils and to publish for all members.</p>
Rebecca Detrick, MAL Secondary	[recently appointed to this vacant position]
Kylowna Moton, MAL College	[elected recently to this position]
Matt Olsen, MAL Secondary	<p>MAL Secondary Education Mark Olsen</p> <p>This past year has included me becoming the chair to the Policy Committee. I've worked on the assigned topics we were to review in our committee and updated some of the language of our rules and regulations. Of particular note was a discussion on the need for guidance in discussing sensitive issues in class. Due to the Black Lives Matter protests, Trump protest, pandemic loss, and other critical areas of interest, we need to learn how to listen, share, and learn from one another. I've experience a couple of incidents this year where parents immediately called the principal to discuss a video, writing prompt, or discussion relating these topics. Both times the principal and assistant principal supported my efforts in discussing these topics. The class focuses on current events in many instances throughout the semester, and the expectation stated from the beginning of the year is that we do so respectfully, honestly, and positively. For the most part, these discussions and assignments have gone well for me, but it's clear English instructors would appreciate guidance and support in this.</p> <p>Angus Dunstan has taken the lead on two of the committee sessions as Julie Burnett and I work on planning the CATE 2022 convention. We are meeting regularly and reaching to numerous individuals. We haven't heard anything back yet and hope to include more members of the board to help secure speakers for the convention. Amanda Gorman is our primary focus, but we're inviting various authors and prominent individuals to present. It's exciting but very challenging!</p> <p>In addition, I'm working with my local board to help promote involvement in our organization. We meet at least once a quarter and have expanded our numbers to include more diversity in perspective and experience.</p>
April Parker, MAL Unspecified	[elected recently to this position]
Bill Foreman, MAL Small Council	<p>MAL Small Council Year-End 2020 Report</p> <p>Other than attending board meeting, my major function for CATE the last several years has been as Program Chair of the convention. In February at the end of the last convention I worked with CATE 2021 planners to develop strands for this year's convention and launched the Call for Presenters in March. We received about 20 submissions when it became apparent that CATE 2021 would be a scaled back event. When the board officially decided to suspend the convention and create an on-line day-long event, I notified the submitters that their proposals would be welcome for CATE 2022. I participated in planning meetings for the February 2021 event. I have also met with leadership in my local council (CCCTE) about how we can revitalize our leadership and membership.</p>
Liz McAninch, MAL Unspecified	<p>ANNUAL REPORT - LIZ McANINCH</p> <p>At the convention in February, I worked on the Friday night Murder Mystery and worked in the New Teachers' Booth on Saturday.</p> <p>I luckily saw the opening and closing week of shows at the Oregon Shakespearean Festival in March with forty-four students (and three other teachers!). While initially reluctant about online teaching, I found myself enjoying the virtual classroom. I looked forward to seeing the students every day. I missed the immediacy of the classroom, but the Google Meet along with Canvas allowed for re-thinking and creativity on my part. The students and I worked together as we recreated new approaches and solved problems. I noticed that some students with abysmal absenteeism attended every virtual class. Although our musical, set to open the last week in March, was postponed four times before we accepted that the curtain would never open on our Mamma Mia!, the cast created a virtual show from some of the songs.</p> <p>I took over as CCCTE's Treasurer this past year as we work to re-build our council.</p> <p>In December, I worked with the sub-committee as it investigated resources for CATE's virtual event later this month and am looking forward to it.</p>
Joan Williams, Membership	<p>MEMBERSHIP ANNUAL REPORT 2020</p> <p>Joan Williams, Membership Chair</p> <p>We were fortunate to be able to have our convention in February just before the whole world turned upside down for Covid-19. The convention was successful and provided opportunities for the</p>

	<p>Membership/Leadership committee to explore some new ideas.</p> <p>Our committee held its second session at the convention to help newcomers learn more about CATE and how they can become more involved. We changed the time slot to earlier in the convention, and the session went well, including improved attendance. One of the attendees was inspired to run for a MAL position, so we were happy with the results. We are planning to do it again in 2022 with the earlier time slot.</p> <p>Many of us also wore special t-shirts that identified us as CATE Board members. We plan to continue this in the future, but maybe with vests or something that can be used more easily. The tickets that sent people to the exhibit hall to see if they win something were somewhat successful. There were definitely more people who came into the exhibit hall to check on their winning tickets. We gave away the portable chargers and luggage tags as prizes.</p> <p>And then there was Covid-19, and we cancelled our May meeting. Following a lengthy discussion at our meeting in September, I proposed extending our current memberships to expire on August 31, 2021 in order to support all of our members during the pandemic. By extending the expiration date, we will be able to continue to provide magazines and mailings to members who may not have been able to renew. In addition, I proposed that we offer a one year half price membership until August 31, 2021 in order to encourage non-members to join. I worked on a letter with Robb and then designed a postcard with Carole to inform CATE members about the cancellation of the convention and the changes in membership.</p> <p>For the remainder of 2020, I have received monthly reports from Precision and checked for incorrect information in order to change member addresses and contact information. I have also addressed membership requests and concerns from individuals and worked to resolve any issues. I attended the virtual meetings and co-chaired the Membership/Leadership Committee. I am also serving on the Publication committee. I was a member of the Advisory Board and participated in the Zoom meetings for planning meetings.</p> <p>In addition to my work on the CATE board, I have been serving as a leader of Redwood Council and am co-coordinator for our local Author Festival.</p>
Michelle Berry, Convention Coordinator	<p>Convention Coordinator's 2020 Annual Report</p> <p>Never would any of us have guessed that CATE 2020 at the LAX Marriott would be the last time we'd see each other in person due to a pandemic(!) that shut down our lives as we knew them just a few weeks later. But that wonderful February convention, "ELA Confidential: Investigating Teaching, Texts, and Truths," chaired by Jennifer Silver, was a huge success! Not enough can be said about the way in which she led her committee (including many Board members), provided excellent speakers and activities, and gave all in attendance a terrific professional development experience.</p> <p>Clearly the remainder of 2020 became a year of disappointment, instability, and some fear. As months passed, it became obvious that hosting a February 2021 convention would not be likely, given the reticence of districts to support conferences, travel becoming restricted, and the potential literal danger of gathering. Negotiations with Hyatt Regency were held to try and minimize CATE's financial obligations in the best way possible. We were very fortunate finally to have been able to transfer that contract to 2025, when CATE will again host its convention at SFO/Burlingame.</p> <p>At our September Zoom board meeting, it was decided to create a planning subcommittee to oversee the planning and implementation of a free virtual conference for our members in order to maintain membership, and to provide support to our constituents as they face tough challenges in teaching exclusively online. The speakers for our event on February 20th, 2021, "A DATE with CATE," will be Carol Jago ("Reading Fast and Slow: The Reading Brain in a Digital World), Jill Hamilton-Bunch ("I Still Don't Get It: Providing Access to Texts for All Students"), Carol Battle ("Equity in ELA: Social Justice in our Hearts, Words, and Work"), and three teachers of the San Joaquin Valley Writing Project: Judy Duran, Marci Haas, and Kristen Norton ("Social-Emotional Health: Using Writing to Support Students").</p>
Annie Gervais, Assistant Convention Coordinator	See Jennifer Silver's report.
Jennifer Silver, Assistant Convention Coordinator	See above report as Jennifer Silver, Southland.
Mindy Montanio, Liaison CTA	Submitting an annual report is optional for liaisons.
Bill Younglove, Liaison Common Core Consultant	Submitting an annual report is optional for liaisons.
Gale Caswell, CETA Liaison	Submitting an annual report is optional for liaisons.
Tim Dewar, Liaison CWP	<p>Annual Report CWP Liaison</p> <p>During the challenging changes of the past year, CWP has endeavored to assist CATE in supporting California teachers. Through our network of teacher-leaders, CWP has publicized CATE events, partnered</p>

	with regional councils, and reimagined the annual convention events. In addition, CWP regional sites have provided a variety of workshops and meet-ups to support teachers throughout the state. Topics have ranged from online instruction to antiracist teaching to social-emotional health and writing. We are pleased to note the frequency of CWP affiliation among contributors to <i>California English</i> . The partnership between CWP & CATE continues to benefit teachers at all levels of instruction throughout the state.
Jennifer Howerter, Liaison CDE	Submitting an annual report is optional for liaisons.
Carol Jago, <i>California English</i> Editor	<p>Annual Report, 2020</p> <p style="text-align: center;">California English</p> <p>editor, Carol Jago</p> <p><i>California English</i> is the quarterly journal of the California Association of Teachers of English. In 2020 the magazine published four issues focusing on issues of importance to California English Language Arts teachers. Manuscripts for the journal are garnered through calls for manuscripts focusing on a theme and sent out for online review. The calls are circulated through social media and shared across NCTE and California Writing Project communities.</p> <p>Along with articles on teaching and learning, the journal includes news of CATE work in the field: conferences, resolutions, the CATE ballot, local council events, and CATE writing contest winners, for both student and professional writing.</p> <p>All reviews are conducted via email, forwarding reviewers manuscripts that have been submitted online. The quality of the manuscripts received has been consistently excellent. The editor has attempted to make the most of the magazine pages by asking writers to keep their articles under 2,000 words.</p> <p><i>California English</i> includes advertising from publishers and education-related businesses. This revenue assists in covering the costs of publication and mailing.</p> <p>The CATE Board consistently provides the editor with suggestions for topics to present as calls for manuscripts.</p>