

ASOR Chairs Coordinating Council

Topics discussed included:

- Stickers for areas of interest/expertise
- Feedback on not having institutional affiliations last year (mixed)
- Checking with international scholars about how they feel about listing affiliation.
- What do other international conferences do?
- Listing research areas vs. affiliations
- People can decide how they want to identify

PC

Helen reported that the committee is working with the new timeline for plenary speakers and they are considering names for AM23 plenary. Allison will send list of 4 speakers about a week before the May 12th meeting to discuss the plenary.

AM22 latest session counts:

- In person 93
- Virtual 82
- Boston 112 time slots
- Virtual 82 time slots

These counts include both ASOR standing and member-organized sessions. Paper acceptances/rejections will go out in early May.

There was discussion of the relationship between member-organized and standing sessions that overlap and the role of committees. In the past certain committees have been responsible for a particular session (the Damascus Committee and the Archaeology of Syria session, for example). Erin reported that the DEI committee is considering how DEI is approached in various sessions.

Erin proposed discussing non-academic program options at the Annual Meeting and may meet with Allison, Helen, Tiffany, and Vanessa to discuss.

COP

Kevin circulated the CV of a potential new COP member, Jennifer Singletary (Penn State, formerly of Eisenbrauns).

All vote 0 0 1 95nBT/F124orbrauns)

Funding from anonymous private foundation to support transition cost to UCP for first 5 years.

Online access would be included as part of ASOR membership.

Sales would count towards our royalty.

Kevin and Andy were charged by Exec Comm to work on this with UCP.

DEI

Erin is working on confirming the committee and setting the agenda for the current year.