



Membership Committee

Committee Description: The Membership Committee provides guidance to the American Cheese Society Board of Directors on matters related to maintaining, developing, and strengthening ACS membership.

Roles & Responsibilities:

- **What does the committee work on?** The Committee supports efforts to define, evaluate, and enhance the value of ACS membership and helps identify systems, strategies, and opportunities that increase membership, improve member retention, expand equitable access, and support conference attendance.
- **Is any travel required?** No

Time Commitment:

- **What months are busiest?** Relatively consistent workload with months after conference being the busiest.
- **How many hours are generally expected of a committee member each month?** One meeting per month with more meetings based on current workload.
- **How long are members expected to participate on the committee?** As of right now, 5 to 9 members.

Desired Skills:

- **Are there any skills that are required?** We're especially interested in members with skills in recruitment and outreach, marketing and communications, event planning, or community engagement—but enthusiasm matters as much as experience.

Current Meeting Schedule:

- **When are meetings held?** Meetings will be held virtually. Typically, meetings will be held in the early afternoon during a weekday.
- **How many meetings are required to attend?** Engagement drives the committee's progress so we ask that members attend each meeting.