



APS seeks new liaison to COPE (AAP Committee on Pediatric Education)

The APS is seeking to appoint a new APS liaison to COPE—the AAP's Committee on Pediatric Education. COPE currently functions as a **think tank** within the AAP regarding emerging issues facing pediatric graduate medical education. Representatives from a number of pediatric professional and educational organizations contribute to COPE through appointed liaisons who report to COPE at an annual meeting and contribute to activities throughout the year. APS has learned that AAP's newly-appointed Director of Education will likely be working closely with COPE to assess COPE's role in addressing the challenging issues facing the future of pediatric education.

Expectations/Responsibilities:

- Three-year term (begins Fall 2018; ends Spring 2021)
- Attend annual meeting (usually in November; 2018 date still to be determined)
 - Prepare an APS liaison report—focused on education-relevant APS activities
 - Note: AAP covers all expenses for liaisons to attend this annual meeting
- Prepare an annual written report for the APS Spring Council meeting, to include:
 - COPE activities in the past year, including any "deliverables"
 - APS contributions to COPE—current and potential future
 - Value-added (to APS) of having an APS liaison to COPE

Preferred qualifications:

- Recognized medical education leader who has made/is making significant contributions to advancing pediatric medical education—anywhere along the continuum
- Interested in collaborating with other pediatric organizations re: innovative solutions to challenges in pediatric education

APS members who are interested in serving a three-year term as the AAP liaison to COPE should submit their CV and a statement of interest (one-page limit) to [Jaimee Chumley](#) by July 31, 2018. A selection committee, consisting of APS Council members, will select the new APS liaison to COPE by August 15, 2018.

Questions? Contact [Jaimee Chumley](#), APS Association Director: 346.980.9707 or info@aps1888.org.
