ACOEM Update

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ACOEM Structure

- Components/House of Delegates
- Sections (special interest groups)
- Councils (hand-picked subject matter experts)
  - Education & Academic Affairs (Bourgeois)
  - OEM Practice (Taylor/Blink)
  - Scientific Advisors (Fischman/Litow)
  - Public Affairs (Papanek/Levine)
- Task Forces
  - Residency funding (O’Hara)
  - Function as a metric (Mueller)
  - ACOEM Document Management System (Hartenbaum)
  - Associate member organizations (Tacci)
- Board of Directors/Executive Committee/CEO/Staff
Themes for 2018-2019

• Inclusivity
• Collaboration
• Wise use of technology
• Sound ethics and good science
ACOEM Vision Statement
(approved by BOD, 3 Feb 2018)

ACOEM is the pre-eminent physician-led organization that champions the health of workers, safety of workplaces, & quality of environments.
Themes for 2018-2019

• Inclusivity
  • NP section
  • Docket system

• Collaboration
  • Internal
  • External: VA, APA, IHMI (AMA), NAM, CWCL, AIHA, IOMSC, etc.

• Wise use of technology
  • Phone system
  • Website refresh
  • Learning Center: on line, in place
  • Remote Board meetings

• Sound ethics and good science
  • Courses (ACCME accreditation)
  • Guidelines
  • Re-vamp of Bylaws
Hot Topics

• Support of ICOH position papers on TB in
  • Silica workers
  • Healthcare workers
• Response to EPA proposed regulation, "Strengthening Transparency in Regulatory Science."
• RETAIN Request for Proposal
• List of ACOEM SMEs for IHMI
• Position paper on gun safety in the workplace
• Occupational health for incarcerated workers
AOHC 2019
Disneyland Hotel, Anaheim, CA
April 26 – May 1

- Co-directors: Hymel/Gean
- Themes: Disaster medicine, military medicine, technology in medicine (and more!)
- Guest lecturers: Drs. Howard and McLellan
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Questions

I hope there is time; if not, collar me anytime during the day.