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Stephen Robinson
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Franklin Duncan
- Standards:**

Looking ahead---

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Southeast Region Committee Meetings
 Accreditation...Certification...Peer Review...
 Administrative Board
March 25 -- 27, 2012 at Hickory Knob, McCormick, SC

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Southeast Region Members' Meeting
Epworth by the Sea, St. Simons Island, GA
October 2-5, 2012

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Southeast Region Members' Meeting
Embassy Suites, Greenville, SC
October 1-4, 2013

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Fall 2012 ACPE Leadership Meetings
 Embassy Suites Atlanta – Centennial Olympic Park
 267 Marietta Street, Atlanta, GA 30313
 November 14-18, 2012

***Spring 2013 Leadership Meetings & ACPE
Continuing Education Conference***
 Indianapolis, IN Marriott Downtown, 350 West Maryland Street
 May 11- 18, 2013

***Please let me know if you received this Newsletter!
Blessings, peace and grace sufficient to you!***

Jap

Reminder: In 2012,

Annual Accredited Center Fee will be \$175;

Five Year Accreditation Review will be \$250; Site Review will be \$500.

Student Unit Registration Fee will be \$90 per student per unit.

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***MOST IMPORTANT...PLEASE,
PAY ATTENTION:***

For many years we have utilized a web server from which many of you have received messages and Newsletters, but that server will soon be out of commission.

We intend to enhance our capabilities of communicating with you.

Therefore, we are transferring our service to “Google Groups.”

You have been invited by our Webmaster (dfuker@fluker.com) to accept the invitation to join the new Google Group, but far too many of you have not accepted the invitation.

YOU MUST ACCEPT THIS INVITATION FROM YOUR COMPUTER BEFORE E-MAIL CAN BE DELIVERED TO YOU.

The former listserve will be shutting down after this email.

The group’s homepage is:

<http://groups.google.com/group/seracpe?hi=en>

Email for our group will be: seracpe@googlegroups.com.

Please: accept this invitation. Otherwise, you will not be receiving messages or newsletters from this office.

Congratulations!

The following persons were recognized at the ACPE Presidential Banquet for having achieved the status of ACPE Supervisors: **Jonathan Ball, Laurie Muggleton-Robins, and Beverly Ross.**

Associate ACPE Supervisor: **Robert Freeman, Melinda Holloway, Mary Huie Jolley, and Timothy Park.**

Bill Baugh was the Distinguished Service Award recipient, and **Cecilia Walker** received the Emerging Leadership Award from the Southeast Region.

Other Happenings....

The Southeast Region was well represented in the leadership of this ACPE Annual Conference: Robin Brown-Haithco is the ACPE President, Gale Kennebrew is the chair-elect of REM, George Grant is the Chair of the Annual Conference Committee. Robin Booth is Chair of the ACPE Certification Commission, and Eugene Robinson is Chair of the ACPE Accreditation Commission.

Relocating:

Jacqueline Kelley is the new Director of Pastoral Care Services and Programs of CPE at the Jackson Health System in Miami, FL. She assumed this good work soon after Patricia Wilson-Cone left Jackson Health to become the Director of Spiritual Care and CPE Supervisor at Providence Hospital in Anchorage, Alaska.

Melinda Holloway is the Manager of CPE at Providence St. Peter Hospital in Olympia, Washington.

Summary of the Treasurer's Report

As of December 31, 2011 the region has received **\$168, 808** (the largest portion of which was \$131,307 in student unit fees). \$12,000 was transferred from Endowment into the Operating Budget to cover the expenses of "special projects." We expended **\$126,762** toward operations, transferred \$40,000 from operating to a CMA account, and ended the year with a balance of \$2,881.92.

On December 31, we had an operating checking balance of \$36,839, a cash reserve balance of \$120,663, and an Endowment Fund balance of \$168,192 for a total of **\$325,694**.

A detailed line item accounting of the 2012 Operating Budget can be found on our website, seracpe.org, in the monthly Treasurer's Report. At the end of February we had income of \$27,245; expenditures of \$20, 925.30; leaving a balance of \$6,319.70.

Meeting at Hickory Knob State Park, March 25 -27, 2012

SCHEDULE FOR COMMITTEE MEETINGS AT HICKORY KNOB:

Sunday, March 25, 2012:

- 1:00 – 6:00 pm:*** *Accreditation Committee* (McCormick Room)
- 3:00 pm:*** *Check-In for Lodging* (Registration Desk)
- 3:00–6:00 pm:*** *Administrative Board* (Cabin of Jim Taylor)
- 3:00–4:30 pm:*** *Peer Reviews* (places and committees tba by Tolly Williamson)
- 4:30–6:00 pm:*** *Peer Reviews* (places and committees tba by Tolly Williamson)
[Check Registration Desk for directions of meeting places.]
- 6:00–7:00 pm:*** *Dinner with conversations about ACPE Governance proposal*
- 7:30–9:00 pm:*** *Accreditation Committee* (McCormick Room)
Administrative Board (Cabin of Jim Taylor)
Certification Committee (Mt. Carmel Room)

Monday, March 26, 2012:

- 7:00 to 9:00 am: Breakfast on your own in the cafeteria
8:00 to 11:30 am: *CC meetings with Joseph Rivera, Gary Yarbrough, Ngan Ling Lung, Katherine Higgins, Beverly Friedlander Ostrowski*
[Check directions for meeting places at Registration Desk.]
8:30 to 10 am: *Peer Reviews* (places and committees tba by Tolly Williamson
[Check Registration Desk for directions of meeting places.]
11:30 to 1 pm: Lunch on your own in the cafeteria
1:00 to 4:30 pm: *CC meetings with William Swinton, Csaba Szilagyi, Anna Maria Pieteizz, Jenny Summer-Carswell*
[Check Registration Desk for direction of meeting places.]
6:00 to 7:30 pm: Dinner with conversations about the impact of the ACPE Governance proposal upon the work of the Southeast Region.

Tuesday, March 27, 2012:

- 7:00 to 8:00 am: Breakfast on your own
8:00 to 11:30 am: *CC meetings with Alice Hernandez, Wendi Steinberg, and Ivan Omana*
[Check Registration Desk for direction of meeting places.]
11:30 am: Check Out and Lunch on your own

STANDARDS OF ACPE

Regretfully, but we did not have anyone representing the SERACPE at the meeting of the ACPE Standards Committee at its meeting in Arlington in February, 2012. Fred Smoot, our elected chairperson, has relocated from the Region, and we didn't appoint a replacement for Fred.

As I understand the recommendations relative to Standards 308.2, 311.8, 312.7, and 315.7, the Standards Committee is highlighting "clinical ethics," "core values" on ethical decision making, and our contributions to "ethical decisions" in both the healthcare industry, in our pastoral practice and in our supervisory relationships with students.

Standard 308.8 defines a one-unit program and a half-unit program as the only two options. The 1 and 1/2 unit will be removed from the unit report form.

Electronic storage of evaluations must contain the signature of the ACPE Supervisor.

MEMBERS' MEETING AT THE REM/ACPE CONFERENCE

PRESIDENT ELECT NOMINEES: David Johnson and Tim Thorstenson

The newly proposed governance structure was presented, and the members were allowed a brief time for asking questions and seeking clarification. The plan of the Board of Representatives is for the members to be informed about the proposed structure via internet presentations by mid-summer and for an up or down vote to be made by the members by mid-August, 2012. If approved, the new governance structure would be implemented before the end of 2012.