

APPENDIX B

Executive Committee Membership by Year, 1975–2026

Compiled from ABS annual reports, the 1998 Association history document, and related committee minutes. Years are presented as recorded in the source documents (some years are combined, e.g. “1986–87,” where the original report did not separate them). Gaps reflect years for which no roster document has yet been located.

- 1975 Hossain Danesh (Chair), Glen Eyford, William Hatcher, Elizabeth Larin, Douglas Martin (Secretary), Michael Rochester (Treasurer), Don Rogers
- 1976 Hossain Danesh, Glen Eyford, William Hatcher, Elizabeth Larin, Douglas Martin, Michael Rochester, Don Rogers
- 1977 Hossain Danesh, Glen Eyford, René Steiner (Secretary/Treasurer), William Hatcher, Robert Laliberté, Don Rogers, Jane Nishi Goldstone
- 1978 Hossain Danesh, Glen Eyford, William Hatcher (Secretariat), Doug Martin (Secretariat), Jane Nishi Goldstone, René Steiner, Michael Rochester, Robert Laliberté, Jane Faily (Secretariat), Peter Morgan (Secretariat)
- 1979 Louis Brunet (resigned Jan. 1980), Alan Coupe, Hossain Danesh (Chair), Glen Eyford, Jane Nishi Goldstone, William Hatcher, Douglas Martin, Peter Morgan (Secretary), Christine Zerbinis
- 1980 Unavailable
- 1981 André Bergeron, Alan Coupe, Hossain Danesh, Glen Eyford, Jane Nishi Goldstone, William Hatcher, Douglas Martin, Peter Morgan, Christine Zerbinis
- 1982 André Bergeron, Hossain Danesh, Glen Eyford, Jane Nishi Goldstone, William Hatcher, Douglas Martin, Peter Morgan, Nasser Sabet, Christine Zerbinis, John Walbridge (U.S. Liaison)
- 1983 André Bergeron, Hossain Danesh, Glen Eyford, Jane Goldstone, William Hatcher, Douglas Martin, Peter Morgan, Nasser Sabet, John Walbridge, Christine Zerbinis

- 1984 Hossain Danesh, Glen Eyford, Richard Gagnon, Jane Nishi Goldstone, William Hatcher, Firuz Kazemzadeh, Douglas Martin, Peter Morgan, Dorothy Nelson, Christine Zerbinis
- 1985 Dwight Allen, Hossain Danesh, Glen Eyford, Richard Gagnon, Jane Nishi Goldstone, William Hatcher, Douglas Martin, Peter Morgan, William Maxwell, Dorothy Nelson, Nasser Sabet, Richard Thomas, Christine Zerbinis
- 1986–87 Sheila Banani, Ann Boyles, Hossain Danesh (Chair), Victor de Araujo, Bonnie Ellis, Glen Eyford, Richard Gagnon, William Hatcher, Robert Henderson, Tod Jones, B. Todd Lawson, William Maxwell, Peter Morgan, Nasser Sabet, Richard Thomas, Christine Zerbinis (Secretary)
- 1988 Sheila Banani, Ann Boyles, Hossain Danesh, Victor de Araujo, Bonnie Ellis, Glen Eyford, Richard Gagnon, William Hatcher, Robert Henderson, Tod Jones, B. Todd Lawson, Peter Morgan, Nasser Sabet, Richard Thomas, Christine Zerbinis (Secretary)
- 1989 Sheila Banani, Ann Boyles, Hossain Danesh, Victor de Araujo, Bonnie Ellis, Glen Eyford, Richard Gagnon, Robert Henderson, B. Todd Lawson, Augusto Lopez-Claros, Pierre-Yves Mocquais, Peter Morgan, Nasser Sabet, Joyce Shales, Richard Thomas, Christine Zerbinis (Secretary)
- 1990 Sheila Banani, Ann Boyles, Hossain Danesh, Victor de Araujo, Glen Eyford (Chair), Richard Gagnon, Robert Henderson (Vice-Chair), B. Todd Lawson, Augusto Lopez-Claros (Treasurer), Pierre-Yves Mocquais (Academic Director), Peter Morgan, Nasser Sabet, Haifa Sadighi, Robert Stockman, Richard Thomas, Christine Zerbinis (Secretary)
- 1991 Sheila Banani, Ann Boyles, Hossain Danesh, Techeste Ahderom, Glen Eyford (Chair), Richard Gagnon, Robert Henderson (Vice-Chair), B. Todd Lawson, Augusto Lopez-Claros (Treasurer), Pierre-Yves Mocquais (Academic Director), Peter Morgan, Haifa Sadighi, Robert Stockman, Richard Thomas, Christine Zerbinis (Secretary)
- 1992 Techeste Ahderom (Bahá'í International Community), Mehrdad Baghai, Sheila Banani, Hossain Danesh, William Hatcher, Robert C. Henderson (Chair), Pierre-Yves Mocquais (Academic Director), Haifa Sadighi, Robert Stockman, Richard Thomas, Christine Zerbinis (Secretary)

- 1993 Techeste Ahderom (Vice-Chair), Mehrdad Baghai, Sheila Banani, Hossain Danesh, Gerald Filson, Robert Henderson (Chair), Pierre-Yves Mocquais (Academic Director), Haifa Sadighi, Robert Stockman, Richard Thomas, Christine Zerbinis (Secretary)
- 1994 Techeste Ahderom (Chair), Christine Zerbinis (Secretary) — no other officers elected
- 1995 Techeste Ahderom, Mehrdad Baghai, Sheila Banani, Gwen Etter-Lewis, Gerald Filson, Pierre-Yves Mocquais, Anne Mackenzie Pearson, Haifa Sadighi, Robert Stockman, Richard Thomas, Christine Zerbinis
- 1996 Techeste Ahderom (Chair), Mehrdad Baghai (Treasurer), Gwen Etter-Lewis (Vice-Chair), Christine Zerbinis (Secretary)
- 1997–98 Techeste Ahderom (resigned May 1998), Niloofar Ahmadzadeh, Sheila Banani (Chair), Gwen Etter-Lewis (Vice-Chair), Pierre-Yves Mocquais, Anne Mackenzie Pearson, Haifa Sadighi, Leonard D. Smith, Robert Stockman (Recording Secretary), Will van den Hoonaard (Treasurer), Christine Zerbinis (Secretary)
- 1998–99 (As of Sept. 24, 1998) Sheila Banani (Chair), Gwen Etter-Lewis (Vice-Chair), Pierre-Yves Mocquais, Anne Mackenzie Pearson (Secretary), Haifa Sadighi (Alaskan Representative), Leonard D. Smith, Robert Stockman (Recording Secretary)
- 1999 Susan Stark Christianson (Recording Secretary, Alaska); Niloofar Ahmadzadeh, Lynn Echevarria-Howe, Mehran Kiai (Treasurer), Ridvan Moqbel, Anne Pearson (Chair) — Canada; Rhea Harmsen (Secretary), Wendy Heller (Vice-Chair), John Hatcher — United States
- 2000 Unavailable
- 2001–02 Alaska: Susan Christianson (until Dec. 2001), Mary Gubatayao-Hagen (from Dec. 2001). Canada: Cheshmak Farhoumand-Sims (from Jan. 2002), Mehran Kiai (Treasurer), Ridvan Moqbel, Anne M. Pearson (Secretary). United States: Charles Carnegie, John Hatcher, Wendy Heller, Martha Schweitz (Chair)
- 2003 Charles Carnegie (Recording Secretary), Cheshmak Farhoumand-Sims, Mary Gubatayao-Hagen, John Hatcher, Wendy Heller (Editor, ABS

Publications), Mehran Kiai (Treasurer), Ridvan Moqbel (Vice Chair), Martha Schweitz (Chair / Secretary Pro Tem)

- 2004 Charles (Val) Carnegie (Recording Secretary), Wendy Heller (Vice Chair; Editor of ABS Publications), Mehran Kiai (Treasurer), Ridvan Moqbel (Chair), Kim Naqvi (2004 Conference Program Chair), Martha Schweitz (Secretary). Also serving portions of the year: Cheshmak Farhoumand-Sims, Mary Gubatayao-Hagen, John Hatcher
- 2005 Charles (Val) Carnegie (Recording Secretary), Anne Furlong (Editor, JBS), Michael Karlberg, Mehran Kiai (Treasurer), Claire Lapointe, Kim Naqvi (Acting Chair, 2005 Conference Program Chair), Martha Schweitz (Secretary), Matt Weinberg. Also serving most of the year: Wendy Heller, Ridvan Moqbel
- 2006 Charles (Val) Carnegie, Michael Karlberg (Chairman, 2006 Conference Program Co-Chair), Mehran Kiai (Treasurer), Claire Lapointe, Kim Naqvi (2006 Conference Program Co-Chair), Martha Schweitz (Secretary), Matt Weinberg (Recording Secretary)
- 2007 Charles (Val) Carnegie (resigned Feb. 2007), Roshan Danesh (appointed Sept. 2006), Michael Karlberg (Chair), Mehran Kiai (Treasurer), Claire Lapointe (Vice Chair), Kim Naqvi (2006 Conference Program Chair), Martha Schweitz (Secretary), Matt Weinberg (Recording Secretary, resigned Sept. 2006)
- 2008 Roshan Danesh, Lisa Dufraimont (Vice Chair), Stephen Friberg (Recording Secretary), Michael Karlberg (Secretary), Mehrzad Khorsandi Sahba, Mehran Kiai (Treasurer), Pierre-Yves Mocquais (Executive Director), Kim Naqvi (2007 Conference Program Chair), Martha Schweitz (Chair)
- 2009 Lisa Dufraimont (Vice Chair), Stephen Friberg (Recording Secretary), Michael Karlberg (Secretary), Mehrzad Khorsandi Sahba, Mehran Kiai (Treasurer), Pierre-Yves Mocquais, Kim Naqvi, Parvin Rowhani, Martha Schweitz (Chair)
- 2010 Lisa Dufraimont (Vice Chair, Conference Program Co-Chair), Mehran Kiai (Treasurer), Pierre-Yves Mocquais (Chair, Academic Director), Kim Naqvi (Conference Program Co-Chair), Parvin Rowhani (Recording Secretary, Office Manager), Martha Schweitz (Secretary)

- 2011 Lisa Dufraimont (Vice Chair, Conference Program Co-Chair), Mehran Kiai (Treasurer), Pierre-Yves Mocquais (Chair, Academic Director), Kim Naqvi (Conference Program Co-Chair), Parvin Rowhani (Recording Secretary, Office Manager), Martha Schweitz (Secretary)
- 2012 Lisa Dufraimont, Mehran Kiai, Pierre-Yves Mocquais, Kim Naqvi, Parvin Rowhani, Martha Schweitz
- 2013 Lisa Dufraimont, Mehran Kiai, Pierre-Yves Mocquais, Kim Naqvi, Parvin Rowhani, Martha Schweitz
- 2014 Lisa Dufraimont (Vice Chair, Conference Program Co-Chair), Mehran Kiai (Treasurer, Editorial Committee member), Pierre-Yves Mocquais (Chair, Editorial Committee member, former Academic Director), Kim Naqvi (Conference Program Co-Chair), Parvin Rowhani (Recording Secretary, Office Manager), Martha Schweitz (Secretary, Editorial Committee member)
- 2015 Geoffrey Cameron (appointed Sept. 2014), Lisa Dufraimont (Vice Chair, Conference Program Co-Chair), Mehran Kiai (Treasurer, Editorial Committee member, Conference Program Co-Chair), Pierre-Yves Mocquais (Chair, WLU Press Series Editor, Editorial Committee member), Kim Naqvi (Conference Program Co-Chair), Parvin Rowhani (Recording Secretary, Office Manager, Conference Coordinator), Martha Schweitz (Secretary, Editorial Committee member)
- 2016 Julia Berger (appointed 2015), Geoffrey Cameron, Mehran Kiai, Shabnam Koirala-Azad (appointed 2015), Martha Schweitz. Lisa Dufraimont, Pierre-Yves Mocquais and Kim Naqvi were relieved from their service this year after many years of service
- 2017 Julia Berger (Secretary), Geoffrey Cameron (Chairperson), Mehran Kiai (Treasurer), Shabnam Koirala-Azad (Recording Secretary), Martha Schweitz (Vice-Chairperson)
- 2018 Julia Berger (Secretary), Mehran Kiai (Treasurer), Shabnam Koirala-Azad (Chairperson), Martha Schweitz (Vice-Chairperson), Mariam Ashtiani
- 2019 Mariam Ashtiani (Recording Secretary), Julia Berger (Secretary), Mehran Kiai (Treasurer), Shabnam Koirala-Azad (Chairperson), Martha Schweitz (Vice-Chairperson)

- 2020 Mariam Ashtiani, Shabnam Koirala-Azad (Chairperson), Julia Berger (Secretary), Jasmine Miller-Kleinhenz, Andres Shahidinejad (Treasurer), Derik Smith (Deputy Treasurer), Todd Smith (Vice-Chair)
- 2021 Mariam Ashtiani, Shabnam Koirala-Azad (Chairperson), Julia Berger (Secretary), Jasmine Miller-Kleinhenz, Andrés Shahidinejad (Treasurer), Derik Smith (Deputy Treasurer), Todd Smith (Vice-Chair)
- 2022 Mariam Ashtiani (Vice-Chair), Shabnam Koirala-Azad (Chairperson), Julia Berger (Assistant Secretary), Jasmine Miller-Kleinhenz, Andrés Shahidinejad (Treasurer), Derik Smith (Deputy Treasurer), Todd Smith (Secretary)
- 2023 Mariam Ashtiani (Vice-Chair), Shabnam Koirala-Azad (Chair), Jasmine Miller-Kleinhenz, Andrés Shahidinejad (Treasurer), Derik Smith, Todd Smith (Secretary)
- 2024 Mariam Ashtiani (Vice-Chair), Shabnam Koirala-Azad (Chair), Jasmine Miller-Kleinhenz, Andrés Shahidinejad (Treasurer), Derik Smith, Todd Smith (Secretary)
- 2025 Mariam Ashtiani (Vice-Chair), Shabnam Koirala-Azad (Chair), Jasmine Miller-Kleinhenz, Andrés Shahidinejad (Treasurer), Derik Smith, Todd Smith (Secretary)
- 2026 Mariam Ashtiani (Vice-Chair), Shabnam Koirala-Azad (Chair), Jasmine Miller-Kleinhenz, Andrés Shahidinejad (Treasurer), Derik Smith, Todd Smith (Secretary)