
2022 Epidemiology ERG Agenda

Location: Stone Room, Westin Boston Seaport
Date: March 27 7:00am EDT

Agenda items:

I. Introductions – where you work, project that most excites you

II. Approve minutes from 2021 meeting (Dr. Secrest)

III. Length of terms (Information)

The Chair and Deputy Chair will both serve for a 2-year term

The Subcommittee Chair's will also serve for a 3-year term

IV. Subcommittee Updates and Discussion (Dr. Secrest)

Idea of co-chairs for each subcommittee

- Senior faculty with institutional knowledge and experience paired with
- Junior faculty with more (relative) bandwidth

Current Subcommittees

- Membership Subcommittee
- Website Subcommittee
- AAD Question of the Week Subcommittee
- Position Statement Subcommittee
- Epidemiology Core Curriculum Subcommittee
- Trainee Engagement and Abstract Award Subcommittee

V. Update on membership (Dr. Secrest)

- **Many trainees interested and so many abstracts...can we use the AAD abstract submission to provide categories as a way to get interest in the EpiERG? (Allen McMillen to ask at AAD)**

Action item:

- Everyone should join the ADEN listserv (thru mailchimp now):
<https://adenet.us18.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=88d7bc5bb453105704ccaa5cd&id=56409bc604>

- VI. Website subcommittee: www.adenet.us, and update on making the most of the website: posting fellowship opportunities/collaborations (Drs. Solomon and Dellavalle)

Action items:

Any interest in helping with the webpage please contact Dr. Solomon (drjsolomon@Knights.ucf.edu), Dr. Dellavalle (Robert.Dellavalle@ucdenver.edu), or Chandler Rundle (chandler.rundle@gmail.com)

Looking for collaboration, promotion of the EpiERG

- VII. Request to participate in the AAD's question of the week

On behalf of Ninad C. Pendharkar, MD, MBA, FAAD
Chair, AAD Self-Assessment Task Force

Action item:

Anyone interested in helping to build content for weekly questions please reach out to Dr. Kalia (sunil.kalia@ubc.ca)

Will follow up with AAD contact and move things forward.

- VIII. Update on leveraging ERG: Possibilities for position statement[s] (Dr. Freeman)

Dr. Freeman secured a commitment that future guidelines from the AAD include a member of the EpiERG as a methodologist.

Action item:

Any interest in participating in this subcommittee please contact Dr. Freeman (esther.freeman@gmail.com)

- IX. Update on developing a core epidemiology curriculum for dermatology residents (Sunil Kalia, MD)

Action item:

Any interest in helping please contact Dr. Kalia (Kaliaderm@gamil.com).

- X. Update on engaging trainees: Epi ERG Best Dermatoepidemiology AAD Abstract Award (Dr. Ming)

Action item:

Any interest in helping with this subcommittee please contact Dr. Ming (michael.ming@uphs.upenn.edu).

- XI. Round table (everyone)

Send out subcommittee sign-up sheet to ADEN listserv with the help of Dr. Aaron Drucker (aaron.drucker@wchospital.ca).

XII. Upcoming Meetings

- ADEN Meeting – SID 2022, Portland, Oregon, May 18-21 (date, time and location TBD)
- IDEA Meeting – July 6-8, Rotterdam, The Netherlands (intoskin.nl/eden_event)

XIII. Adjourn

XIV. Next ERG Meeting – **AAD 2023 annual meeting** (exact date, time and location TBD)