Leadership & Business Education Committee
An Education Council Subcommittee

AUA Staff Liaison
Lora Dietrich

Chair
Ken Berger, MD

Terms of Office
Chair 2-year term (non-renewable)
Members 3-year term (renewable once)

Committee Makeup
Committee members should represent a mix of AUA members from both a practice setting and geographic perspectives. The committee mix will strive to include one urologist representative from each AUA Section with a variety of backgrounds including:

- Urologist from a large group practice (mega-practice)-independent
- Urologist from a large group practice-private equity owned
- Urologist from a medium size, independent urology practice who is the designated practice leader, preferably someone with an MBA or MHA degree.
- Urologist employed by a hospital/health-system.
- Mid-career urologist who is an aspiring leader and has demonstrated commitment by pursuing additional training or education in the business of medicine.
- Urologist from a successful academic practice who holds a business/leadership position within the department or institution.

Non-voting members include a liaison from the Young Urologists Committee and the Practice Administrators Work Group Chair who serves ex-officio.

Mission Statement
The Committee advises the Education Council and initiates the development of leadership and business related education and resources for use by the AUAs Leadership Program and AUA members.

Committee Meetings
The Committee meets three times per year. The Committee also communicates as needed throughout the year via conference calls and email.

Time Commitment
Chair: 70 hours per year
Member: 50 per year
Qualifications/ Responsibilities

Chair: The Chair should have knowledge of how to facilitate an effective meeting, hold a business leadership role in a practice setting, and responsiveness to email correspondence. The Chair will facilitate the identification and development of educational activities for the AUA. The Chair is required to have prior experience as a member of the Leadership and Business Education Committee. The Chair is a member of the Education Council.

Members: Members are ask to provide guidance and input on leadership and business-related issues. Members should have direct involvement in management activities in their work setting, be responsive to email correspondence and have a particular knowledge and interest area of business, management, and leadership issues currently facing urologists. Members will assist the Chair in the identification and development of educational activities and initiatives for the AUA.