# **Publications Committee**



Approved by FASEB's Executive Committee on June 13, 2024

#### Charge

The Publications Committee (PC) is responsible for the editorial quality and performance of FASEB's publications.

# **Objectives**

- 1. Provide editorial guidance for developing the vision for FASEB's publications including input on potential new products, programs, or services, new partnerships, and new strategic directions.
- 2. Work closely with the Publications staff and Editors-in-Chief on long-term, innovative strategic and scenario planning.
- 3. Advise FASEB Publications staff on ethical and legal issues developing in the industry and serve as a resource for Publications staff and Editors-in-Chief.
- 4. Review, interpret, and report on publications performance metrics semi-annually. Monitor the longitudinal editorial performance of FASEB's publications to ensure they meet the needs of FASEB and are advancing science.
- 5. Regularly review existing publication policies, develop, and recommend new policies to meet the changing environment, and support efforts at improving research integrity.
- 6. Recommend the appointment of Editors-in-Chief including appointing or serving on an Editor-in-Chief search.

#### **Members**

## Voting:

- Chair
- Vice-Chair
- Regular members (active members of FASEB member societies, up to 5)
- Early-career researchers with an interest in FASEB society publications program (up to 2)
- Experienced publishing professionals or additional expertise needed as identified by the PC, staff, or the Board (up to 2)

#### Non-voting:

- Staff Liaison: FASEB Director, Publications
- FASEB Executive Director/CEO
- FASEB Director, Governance and Leadership Development
- Additional FASEB Publications staff as identified by the Director, Publications

## **Membership Selection**

The Federation Board seeks members with broad experience and interest in publications editorial matters who support FASEB's publications program. Regular members must be an active member of at least one FASEB constituent society. Early Career Researcher members should have a strong interest in publications and support FASEB's mission. Publishing professionals or additional individuals with expertise needed as identified by the PC, staff, or the Board may also serve as members. The Chair and Vice-Chair will be selected from the committee membership.

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Biographic, demographic, and scientific diversity in governance is an overarching goal of the Federation, and the Board seeks to appoint members to Federation committees who represent this diversity.

# **Membership Terms**

All members serve terms up to three (3) years beginning on July 1 of the year appointed and ending on June 30 of the third year. Members can be reappointed for one additional consecutive three (3) year term.

The Chair and Vice-Chair serve a minimum of one year. Both Chair and Vice-Chair terms are renewable by agreement of the Chair and Vice-Chair and the FASEB Board of Directors.