



Charge

The DataWorks! Advisory Committee is charged with overseeing the development and implementation of the DataWorks! initiative to ensure engagement of the biological and biomedical research community around data sharing and reuse, alignment of the DataWorks! initiative with researchers' needs, and foster community awareness and utilization of DataWorks! programs.

Objectives

1. Review and approve goals and metrics for each program area.
2. Ensure alignment of DataWorks! initiative with FASEB mission.
3. Review and advise staff on community partners and outreach plans.
4. Review and discuss interim outcomes and provide input on next steps.
5. Comment on draft action items for FASEB Board review.

Members

Voting:

- Up to 10 members from the disciplines of data science, informatics, data curation, and other fields or expertise pertinent to data management, sharing, and reuse.
- Up to 4 members representing FASEB full member societies.

Non-voting:

- DataWorks! Advisory Committee Chair
- FASEB Immediate Past President
- FASEB Executive Director/CEO
- FASEB Director of Publications/Director of Open Science and Research Integrity
- FASEB Director of Strategic Scientific Program Advancement
- DataWorks! Program Managers
- Staff Liaison

Membership Terms

Members serve three (3) year terms beginning on July 1 of the year appointed and ending on June 30. Members can be reappointed for one additional consecutive term to a maximum of six (6) years with eligibility for further reappointment after a one-year lapse.

Chairs serve one two (2) year term. Chairs may be reappointed for one additional two-year term.

The Vice-Chair serves one two (2) year term. A Vice-Chair may be reappointed for one additional two-year term.

Member Selection:

Members: The FASEB board seeks members with demonstrated understanding and commitment to designing resources to facilitate data management, sharing, and reuse in the biological and biomedical sciences to guide the development and community uptake of DataWorks! Programs. To ensure appropriate expertise, the majority of members do not have to be affiliated with or appointed by a FASEB society.



FASEB

Federation of American Societies
for Experimental Biology

DataWorks! Advisory Committee Charter

Approved by FASEB Executive Committee August XX, 2023

Chairs and Vice-Chairs: Current members of the DataWorks! Advisory Committee are eligible to be nominated to serve as Chair/Vice-Chair, pending Board approval).

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

Time Commitment

- Monthly 1-hour conference calls, plus time required to review and complete action items
- 1 – 2 hours per month email correspondence