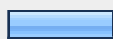
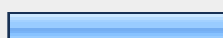



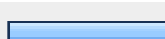


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
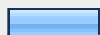
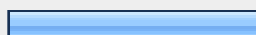

Which of the following best describes your work environment?			
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Community hospital		15.9%	14
Academic hospital		33.0%	29
Industry		3.4%	3
Government		13.6%	12
Reference lab		10.2%	9
Other		23.9%	21
		Other (please specify)	22
		answered question	88
		skipped question	2

Other (please specify)		
1	Private lab	Sep 14, 2009 2:31 PM
2	retired from CDC, presently a consultant	Sep 14, 2009 2:32 PM
3	College	Sep 14, 2009 2:40 PM
4	physician owned lab	Sep 14, 2009 2:40 PM
5	Retired - Fprmerly Centers for Disease Control	Sep 14, 2009 3:14 PM
6	Children's Medical Center Non-Profit	Sep 14, 2009 3:39 PM
7	Retired public Health Clinical Chem. Lab Supervisor	Sep 14, 2009 4:10 PM
8	Consultant	Sep 14, 2009 4:16 PM
9	Retired	Sep 14, 2009 4:24 PM
10	Any Lab Test Now - Draw center not lab	Sep 14, 2009 4:30 PM
11	State University	Sep 14, 2009 4:45 PM
12	Retired member	Sep 14, 2009 5:56 PM
13	Veterinary Diagnostic & Investigational Lab UGA	Sep 14, 2009 6:32 PM
14	Retired; volunteer consultant in 2 private hospitals in Haiti	Sep 14, 2009 10:08 PM
15	pol	Sep 14, 2009 10:49 PM
16	Retired Medical University Professor	Sep 15, 2009 11:01 AM
17	retired	Sep 15, 2009 12:39 PM
18	Emory University	Sep 15, 2009 5:01 PM
19	Battelle	Sep 17, 2009 5:20 PM
20	laboratory consulting	Sep 17, 2009 9:37 PM
21	Retired	Sep 19, 2009 12:39 PM

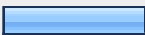
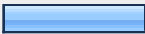



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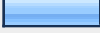


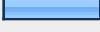


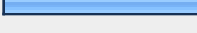
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Please indicate your age range:			
		Response Percent	Response Count
20 or younger		0.0%	0
21-30		2.2%	2
31-40		12.4%	11
41-50		13.5%	12
51-60		38.2%	34
61+		33.7%	30
		<i>answered question</i>	89
		<i>skipped question</i>	1

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Please indicate your highest degree earned:			
		Response Percent	Response Count
High School degree		0.0%	0
Associate degree		0.0%	0
Bachelor degree		21.3%	19
Masters degree		21.3%	19
Ph.D.		46.1%	41
M.D.		5.6%	5
Ph.D., M.D.		5.6%	5
		<i>answered question</i>	89
		<i>skipped question</i>	1

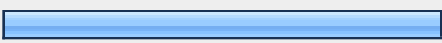
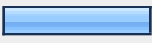
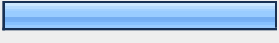
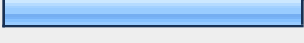
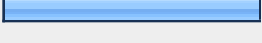
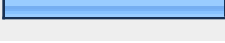
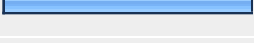
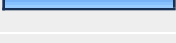

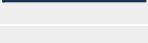

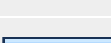
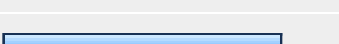
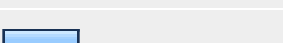

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Please indicate your primary job responsibility:			
		Response Percent	Response Count
Phlebotomist		0.0%	0
Medical Technologist		7.1%	6
Administration		2.4%	2
Clinical Chemist		14.3%	12
Medical Director		13.1%	11
Technical Director		9.5%	8
Lab Manager		14.3%	12
Researcher		6.0%	5
Sales and Marketing		3.6%	3
Other		29.8%	25
		Other (please specify)	32
		answered question	84
		skipped question	6

Other (please specify)		
1	formerly a lab director @ CDC, now a consultant	Sep 14, 2009 2:33 PM
2	Point of Care Testing Coordinator	Sep 14, 2009 2:33 PM
3	Health Scientist	Sep 14, 2009 2:34 PM
4	program direction and medical consultation	Sep 14, 2009 2:36 PM
5	Director Laboratory Operations	Sep 14, 2009 2:39 PM
6	Intern Coordinator, Instructor	Sep 14, 2009 2:41 PM
7	Laboratory and Research Director	Sep 14, 2009 2:54 PM
8	Director, MM	Sep 14, 2009 3:00 PM
9	Chemistry/Blood Gas Supervisor	Sep 14, 2009 3:25 PM
10	Quality management	Sep 14, 2009 3:27 PM
11	Division Director for Lab and Rehab Services	Sep 14, 2009 3:40 PM
12	Retired Lab Manager	Sep 14, 2009 4:11 PM
13	Accreditation	Sep 14, 2009 4:17 PM
14	Retired	Sep 14, 2009 4:25 PM

Other (please specify)		
15	CEO	Sep 14, 2009 4:31 PM
16	POC Coordinator	Sep 14, 2009 4:35 PM
17	University Professor Emeritus/Researcher	Sep 14, 2009 4:46 PM
18	Retired	Sep 14, 2009 5:57 PM
19	Graduate Student	Sep 14, 2009 6:12 PM
20	Clinical Pathology Depart Manager	Sep 14, 2009 6:34 PM
21	Non MD Director/Pathology	Sep 14, 2009 7:12 PM
22	Point of Care Coordinator	Sep 14, 2009 10:03 PM
23	Consultant	Sep 14, 2009 10:09 PM
24	consulting director	Sep 14, 2009 10:50 PM
25	education	Sep 15, 2009 10:07 AM
26	Retired	Sep 15, 2009 11:02 AM
27	retired	Sep 15, 2009 12:39 PM
28	Laboratory Information Manager (LIS/HIS)	Sep 15, 2009 1:51 PM
29	Professor	Sep 15, 2009 5:02 PM
30	clinical chemistry fellow	Sep 16, 2009 1:35 PM
31	Retired-Clinical chemist when working	Sep 19, 2009 12:40 PM
32	Technical Service	Sep 22, 2009 1:57 AM

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For future program planning, what are your areas of interest within clinical chemistry?			
		Response Percent	Response Count
General clinical chemistry		67.4%	60
Immunology/Serology		22.5%	20
Immunoassay		41.6%	37
Toxicology		46.1%	41
Molecular diagnostics		39.3%	35
POCT		33.7%	30
Automation		38.2%	34
Coagulation/hemostasis		25.8%	23
Blood gas testing		19.1%	17
Chromatography		21.3%	19
Mass spectrometry		39.3%	35
Urinalysis		15.7%	14
QC/QA		51.7%	46
Management		42.7%	38
Other		11.2%	10
		Other (please specify)	9
		answered question	89
		skipped question	1

Other (please specify)		
1	specimen collection and banking	Sep 14, 2009 2:34 PM
2	electrophoresis	Sep 14, 2009 3:39 PM
3	INformatics	Sep 14, 2009 4:25 PM
4	Clinical DNA	Sep 14, 2009 4:33 PM
5	Genetics diagnostics	Sep 14, 2009 4:48 PM
6	Endocrinology	Sep 14, 2009 6:35 PM

Other (please specify)		
7	LIS/HIS	Sep 15, 2009 1:51 PM
8	Proteomics	Sep 16, 2009 1:36 PM
9	Retired-probably won't be attending	Sep 19, 2009 12:41 PM

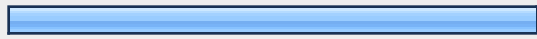
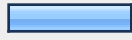
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The AACC SES hosted a Spring 2009 meeting in Atlanta, GA (Reporting Critical Values) and will be hosting a POCT meeting in New Orleans, LA this Fall. Where would you like to see future SES meetings held?		
		Response Count
		69
	<i>answered question</i>	69
	<i>skipped question</i>	21

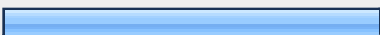
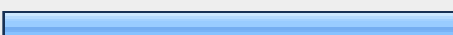

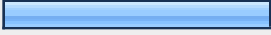
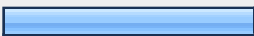

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5	Savannah, Huntsville	Sep 14, 2009 2:34 PM
6	Hattiesburg, Mississippi	Sep 14, 2009 2:34 PM
7	South Carolina, Tennessee or North Carolina	Sep 14, 2009 2:34 PM
8	Nashville, Birmingham, Mobile	Sep 14, 2009 2:34 PM
9	Atlanta, GA	Sep 14, 2009 2:34 PM
10	New Orleans is fine	Sep 14, 2009 2:35 PM
11	Coastal or mountain resort type settings	Sep 14, 2009 2:36 PM
12	Suwanna	Sep 14, 2009 2:36 PM
13	Savannah, Jacksonville, Atlanta	Sep 14, 2009 2:41 PM
14	Atlanta	Sep 14, 2009 2:41 PM
15	Birmingham, AL	Sep 14, 2009 2:55 PM
16	Gluf Shores, AL/Mobile, AL	Sep 14, 2009 3:01 PM
17	Nashville	Sep 14, 2009 3:05 PM
18	Atlanta, Birmingham, Nashville are all central	Sep 14, 2009 3:11 PM
19	Charleston	Sep 14, 2009 3:12 PM
20	not sure	Sep 14, 2009 3:17 PM
21	Memphis; Nashville; Oxford, MS;	Sep 14, 2009 3:22 PM
22	Atlanta	Sep 14, 2009 3:23 PM
23	Jackson, Mississippi	Sep 14, 2009 3:26 PM
24	No preference, but local is easier (Atlanta)	Sep 14, 2009 3:28 PM
25	Atlanta	Sep 14, 2009 3:35 PM
26	nashville, chattanooga, bowling green	Sep 14, 2009 3:40 PM
27	Atlanta	Sep 14, 2009 3:40 PM
28	Memphis, Nashville, or Birmingham	Sep 14, 2009 3:40 PM
29	Atlanta/Charlotte, NC	Sep 14, 2009 4:01 PM
30	Memphis	Sep 14, 2009 4:08 PM
31	Nashville	Sep 14, 2009 4:17 PM

Response Text		
32	Memphis	Sep 14, 2009 4:25 PM
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37	Jacksonville, FL or Orlando, FL	Sep 14, 2009 5:02 PM
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41	Charleston, SC; Knoxville, TN; Birmingham, AL	Sep 14, 2009 6:01 PM
42	North Carolina	Sep 14, 2009 6:13 PM
43	Miami	Sep 14, 2009 6:35 PM
44	Atlanta, Savannah, Ga or Jacksonville, FL Tallahassee, FL	Sep 14, 2009 6:36 PM
45	San Francisco, Boston, Denver, Seattle	Sep 14, 2009 7:30 PM
46	Knoxville, TN	Sep 14, 2009 7:45 PM
47	Nashville, TN	Sep 14, 2009 7:56 PM
48	Atlanta or New Orleans	Sep 14, 2009 9:11 PM
49	yes	Sep 14, 2009 9:14 PM
50	South Carolina-North Carolina joint meeting	Sep 14, 2009 9:58 PM
51	Atlanta, ga	Sep 14, 2009 10:08 PM
52	Near major medical centers: Charleston, B'ham, N'ville, etc.	Sep 14, 2009 10:15 PM
53	no pref	Sep 14, 2009 10:51 PM
54	New Orleans	Sep 15, 2009 12:26 AM
55	Houston, Baton Rouge, Dallas, Mobile	Sep 15, 2009 2:51 AM
56	Whereever I can drive to.	Sep 15, 2009 1:22 PM
57	Columbia, South Carolina & Charleston, South Carolina	Sep 15, 2009 1:52 PM
58	Atlanta, GA	Sep 15, 2009 5:03 PM
59	There isn't one good place. Atlanta probably comes closest as it is somewhat central in our Section and easy to get to.	Sep 15, 2009 7:25 PM
60	Atlanta and New Orleans	Sep 16, 2009 12:07 PM
61	Charleston, Savannah, St. Simon's Island, Mobile	Sep 16, 2009 1:42 PM
62	alternating cities is great but you need to hold them in cities that members will want to come	Sep 17, 2009 3:22 AM
63	Nashville, Knoxville, Chattanooga	Sep 17, 2009 5:24 PM
64	Atlanta	Sep 17, 2009 5:26 PM
65	Jekell Island, Amelia Island	Sep 17, 2009 7:43 PM
66	Gatlinburg; Charleston	Sep 21, 2009 3:04 PM
67	NA	Sep 22, 2009 1:57 AM
68	Atlanta	Sep 23, 2009 3:00 PM
69	Nashville, Tennessee	Sep 25, 2009 12:08 AM

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Would you be interested in a remote seminar series involving areas of interest such as those you have previously indicated (or other areas of professional interest), if offered for a small fee?			
		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		81.6%	71
No		18.4%	16
		<i>answered question</i>	87
		<i>skipped question</i>	3

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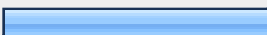
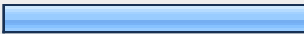
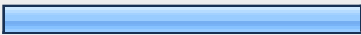
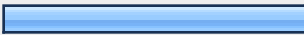


What are your primary reasons for holding an AACC membership?			
		Response Percent	Response Count
Establishing a professional network with fellow chemists		58.0%	51
Continuing education seminars/meetings		69.3%	61
Professional organization related to my job/career interests		72.7%	64
Receiving the journal		40.9%	36
The Divisions that reflect my interests		38.6%	34
Other		5.7%	5
	Other (please specify)		6
		answered question	88
		skipped question	2

Other (please specify)		
1	staying informed and involved, always!	Sep 14, 2009 2:35 PM
2	Great POCC's networking	Sep 14, 2009 2:36 PM
3	I am not a chemist, but value AACC efforts in the areas of laboratory manangement, quality management, quality improvement.	Sep 14, 2009 3:29 PM
4	Keep up with current information in my field	Sep 14, 2009 4:16 PM
5	Keeping myself uptodate in the field of clin.chem.	Sep 14, 2009 4:51 PM
6	Veterinary Clinical Chemistry	Sep 14, 2009 6:37 PM

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Please indicate the importance of the following issues as they relate you and the SES:						
	Most Important	Very Important	Important	Not Important	Rating Average	Response Count
Regulatory issues	25.0% (20)	37.5% (30)	31.3% (25)	6.3% (5)	2.19	80
Financial (reimbursement, containing costs, budgets)	13.0% (10)	40.3% (31)	28.6% (22)	18.2% (14)	2.52	77
Consulting (as a business and/or with clinicians)	17.1% (14)	30.5% (25)	31.7% (26)	20.7% (17)	2.56	82
Teaching (optimizing teaching for staff, students)	15.0% (12)	32.5% (26)	36.3% (29)	16.3% (13)	2.54	80
Publishing (clinical, research, continuing education)	11.5% (9)	32.1% (25)	38.5% (30)	17.9% (14)	2.63	78
Clinical (problem solving in the lab)	38.0% (30)	46.8% (37)	13.9% (11)	1.3% (1)	1.78	79
Research (establishment and sustainment of a laboratory)	13.9% (11)	25.3% (20)	44.3% (35)	16.5% (13)	2.63	79
	<i>answered question</i>					82
	<i>skipped question</i>					8

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What is the best way to retain and/or increase the number of SES members?			
		Response Percent	Response Count
Increased advertising to Medical Technologists		40.5%	34
Increased advertising at the graduate/professional level		46.4%	39
Host CE seminars		54.8%	46
Provide unique opportunities to network		46.4%	39
Tiered fee structure for membership		31.0%	26
Other		3.6%	3
		Other (please specify)	4
		answered question	84
		skipped question	6

Other (please specify)		
1	Does the mail group for SES include every laboratorian registered in the SES region? Periodic communication would create of sense of belonging to something, but it need to have some substance. There is less time and less money..it is harder to get together so there may need to be more "virtual" opportunities to meet...perhaps a quarterly or semi-annual update, journal club, hot topic web based or phone based meeting?	Sep 14, 2009 3:49 PM
2	Provide good opportunities for clin.chemists	Sep 14, 2009 4:54 PM
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