

Midwest Section Annual Report 2011

Prepared by Amy Saenger, Chair

2011 Local Section Officers:

Chair Amy Saenger
Chair Elect Angela Ferguson
Past Chair Linnea Baudhuin
Secretary Christina Lockwood
Treasurer Tim McManamon
Delegate Susan Puskas

Midwest Section Activities 2011:

Date	Event	Topic	Attendance
March 15, 2011	Officers conference call	Introductions, travel awards, annual meeting, midwest section meetings	Midwest section officers
June 9-11 th , 2011 St. Louis, MO	ACLPS (Academy of Clinical Laboratory Physicians and Scientists) Meeting	Various Clinical Chemistry and Laboratory Topics. AACC President Ann Gronowski spoke at the lunch meeting on June 9th.	Approximately 10-15 individuals at Midwest Section lunch
June 1, 2011	Officers conference call	Travel awards/section luncheon at AACC annual meeting	Midwest section officers
July 24-28, 2011 Atlanta, GA	AACC Annual Meeting	Various chemistry sessions, roundtables, abstracts, vendors & Midwest Section business meeting and luncheon	45 section members at luncheon and business meeting

Summary of events in 2011:

- There are 423 Midwest Section members, as of December 2011
- The Midwest Section sponsored three Marshall Awards for students who were presenting abstracts (\$1000 each) and one need-based Travel Grant (\$1500) for attendance at the annual meeting in Atlanta.
- The Midwest Section sponsored a donation of \$500 to the Van Slyke Foundation and a donation of \$1000 also to the Van Slyke Foundation in honor of Rich Flaherty and his service to AACC.

- Online elections for section officers were held in November. The officers for 2012 are:

Chair	Angela Ferguson
Chair Elect	Darci Block
Past Chair	Amy Saenger
Secretary	Christina Lockwood
Treasurer	Timothy McManamon
Delegate	Susan Puskas