

ASAE Monthly Newsletter



ASAE Strategy Starts with Members

A Working Session on Member-Focused Strategic Planning

February Luncheon

February 17th

11:45 AM

Capital Hotel

Practice strategic planning
in a way you can reuse!

Dr. Julie Robinson will guide us through a structured process to assess member perspectives, explore potential solutions, and establish priorities. This luncheon will generate actionable ideas for ASAE and for your organization.



Dr. Julie Robinson
Professor
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Division of Agriculture

Premier Partner



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A Hands-On Member-Focused Strategic Planning with Dr. Julie Richardson. Strategic planning doesn't have to be overwhelming — and it doesn't have to start with a full retreat. This interactive luncheon is designed as a mini strategic planning exercise that associations can adapt and replicate with their own boards and leadership teams.

REGISTER TODAY

Registration ends Thursday, February 12th

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If you want to be a part of this amazing group, there is still time! Email [Leigh](#).

Need to renew your 2026 membership? [Login](#) today or [email Leigh](#) for your paperwork.

Membership must be renewed by March 15th.

Associate Members: Before renewing, consider a **[partnership](#)** for best value!



Cocktails with a Capitol View

Tuesday, March 17th

4:30 - 6:00 PM

ASU System Office Winthrop Rockefeller Building

COCKTAILS WITH A CAPITOL VIEW

Join us for a special St. Patrick's Day edition of this networking event with ASAE members and guests. Refreshments and food catered by the Embassy Suites by Hilton Red Wolf Convention Center.

REGISTER early TODAY

Event Space and Food Sponsored by Embassy Suites by Hilton Red Wolf Convention Center.



Board Relations and Preparedness

In the dynamic realm of association governance, the composition of the boardroom is in constant flux—new members join, seasoned ones depart, and the board renews itself cyclically. This perpetual transformation brings forth not just challenges but also rich opportunities for organizational growth and strategic development. Check out this white paper from Lowell Aplebaum, a speaker on board relations, who spoke to ASA Leadership in January. [Read more here.](#)

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