



National Association for Court Management

Strengthening Court Professionals

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Board Accomplishments

This year (2014-2015), was viewed as a transition year; we took an introspective look at board and committee structure and developed a plan to move NACM forward, into the future:

- **Board**
 - Established a different format for board meetings which allowed for more interaction and brainstorming
 - Focused on board succession planning by encouraging committee chairs to identify and mentor members who exhibited leadership roles on their committees
 - Created a Board Resource Guide which could be updated yearly by the incoming President
 - Scheduled bi-monthly meetings with Committee Chairs

- **Communications Committee**
 - Published additional issues of Court Express
 - Created a fresher look to the Court Manager magazine; also offered a digital version
 - Increased presence on social media (Facebook, LinkedIn and Twitter)

- **Conference Development Committee**
 - Enhanced conferences by offering educational content focused on the Core
 - Continued to provide spectacular social events and networking opportunities (including ECP and First Time Attendee mixers)
 - Sponsored fundraiser for local charities
 - Signed contract for joint NACM/IACA Conference in Washington D.C., 2016.

- **Governance Committee**
 - Renamed from Planning to Governance
 - Created a new National Agenda (2015-2020); provided the opportunity for members to have input by completing a survey which asked about their priorities and incorporated those ideas into the new agenda

- Rolled out NACM's new core; published the core guide and continued to develop core curriculum
- Created the first NACM-sponsored resolutions (voted on and passed by the membership at the business meeting)
- Membership Committee
 - Evaluated benefits and dues structure
 - Assessed the value of NACM and what current and future boards could do to impart that value to future generations
 - Expanded conference scholarships
 - Implemented an incentive week