

LETTER FROM AMLI PRESIDENT

February 15, 2021

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

Hope you all are safe and warm. We have about a foot of fresh snow in Cleveland today, and Februaryish low temperatures. What wouldn't I do for a few days of warm sunshine.

Something that will warm your hearts is the great work being done by the scientific committee to get the program finalized for our annual meeting in Austin, Texas. They have picked excellent topics for the sessions, The co-chairs/moderators for the sessions are picked and are ready to invite world class speakers to our meeting. There will be four half-day sessions and one half day for case presentations. We are inviting all our members to see if they would like to present a case. Separate information in this newsletter is available to help you do that, but time is of essence, please respond quickly if you can and make the meeting memorable for yourself too.

Maggie and Jeff are working hard to make our website more useful to you and we urge all members to look to it for AMLI information and other resources, and also to make contributions. There are many opportunities to contribute information, cases and research updates and articles at our website.

The educational committee also, will be putting up educational material and will be looking to the membership to contribute.

Our collaboration with the Journal of immunological Methods has grown immensely, and a special thank you is directed to our member Amir Sadighi Akha for these efforts.

Vijaya and her committee have reworked our bylaws to make them more standardized and readable, kudos to her for this great job.

Tony and his committee are working hard to find and nominate members to our different committees. Please volunteer for any role you think is good for you in our society. We are always looking for new committee members. Remember this is your society and nobody can make it run better than you.

Maggie is committing to send you a newsletter every month. That is a lot of work on her part but it is all to keep

NOTE FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR

Greetings,

Many of you receiving this newsletter are associated with one of our current corporate supporters. The principal exhibitors of the 2020 corporate supporters have been sent a newsletter as well. Others of you are with previous supporters, prior to 2020. And some of you, while with current OR previous supporters, may wish to join AMLI as individuals.

Attached is the individual Dues Statement, as well as the Exhibitor Registration form and Letter of Agreement and below is a bit of additional information. We hope that you will all use one or the other of these membership forms. Your membership would mean so much to AMLI.

We hope to hear from you in this regard ... and that you will take advantage of the benefits you will enjoy.

Many thanks,
Maggie Fogel

2021 INDIVIDUAL DUES

We look forward to receiving your 2021 dues! Attached is a Dues Statement for your use. Please either scan and email as directed on the Statement or fax to 603-610-7288 or mail it by USPS.

2021 CORPORATE DUES

We are planning for a LIVE meeting in Austin in August ... but, of course, won't know if it will be possible for a few months. If it is NOT, we will have another virtual meeting across the month of August. We hope that you will decide to support AMLI in 2021, and have attached the Exhibitor Registration form and Letter of Agreement for your use.

AMLI 34th ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING

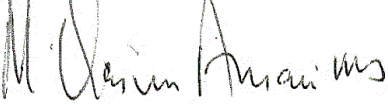
AUSTIN RENAISSANCE HOTEL, AUSTIN, TEXAS
AUGUST 13-16, 2021

The Scientific Committee is continuing work on the program for the August Annual Meeting. We are currently planning for a LIVE meeting and will continue on that basis unless it becomes clear it will be unlikely that can occur. Please check out the AMLI website for details ... PROGRAM

members informed about the work we do together and how the society can help you professionally.

Keep warm and keep your spirits up!

Best regards,



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EDUCATION COMMITTEE UPDATE

The AMLI Education Committee will soon introduce several new educational initiatives. As part of this process the Committee has been working closely with the Website and CME Committees to build the structure through the AMLI website that will enable the Committee team to implement these initiatives. Amid these ongoing efforts, the committee is happy to announce that live or prerecorded quarterly webinars will be introduced. Topics will include SARs-CoV2/COVID-19 and other pertinent clinical immunology fields. Please stay tuned for more details.

The Education Committee will also be introducing a Listserv program to promote fluid and effective communication among the AMLI members as well as non-members. This will allow members to exchange/share ideas and knowledge based on their expertise instantaneously. Announcements and notifications will also be delivered through this channel.

SURVEY MONKEY NOTIFICATIONS PLEASE RESPOND!!

Members have received two Survey Monkey queries. One was pertaining to Bylaws changes, and the other was pertaining to committee memberships and elections.

IF YOU HAVE NOT YET RESPONDED TO THE
SURVEY MONKEY QUERIES, PLEASE DO SO AS
SOON AS POSSIBLE!!
WE NEED TO HEAR FROM ALL MEMBERS!!

For any comments, questions, suggestions, or corrections, please contact: Maggie Fogel, Administrator, 40 Prospect Street, Portsmouth, New Hampshire 03801
maggie@maggiefogel.com.

TOPICS AND MODERATORS ARE NOW POSTED!.
<https://www.amli.org/2021-annual-meeting/>

CALL FOR CASE STUDIES FOR PLENARY SESSION

AMLI requests interested members to submit case studies for the 2021 meeting. Case studies should include a diagnostic laboratory challenge in the field of immunology and are meant to engage the audience in interactive discussion. Although challenging/interesting case studies covering different subfields of clinical immunology are welcome, we encourage cases focusing on innate immunity and autoinflammation, autoimmune disorders and infectious diseases including Covid. The case studies session chairs will review submissions and choose four case studies to be presented at the 2021 Case Studies Plenary Session. Meeting registration, hotel and airfare will be covered for speakers whose case studies are chosen for the plenary session. The submission should include the following and should be limited to one page:

1. Brief introduction of the topic
2. Case study/challenge
3. Laboratory findings
4. Case resolution and discussion
5. 4-5 learning objectives

Please send your submissions to maggie@maggiefogel.com.
The deadline to submit a case study for consideration is
March 15, 2021

AMLI WEBSITE: CONTRIBUTE!!

NEW PAGES THAT ARE BEING ADDED

- “What my Lab is Working on!” - A page that features the labs of our individual members.
- A similar page for our Corporate Members – a page about their current focus.

Sign up! Contact Maggie@maggiefogel.com

Send items for MEMBER NEWS

HELP POPULATE EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES!

We need your contributions and input for:
Job Opportunities
Books of Interest
Interesting Links
Other Meetings

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