

YPS Annual Meeting
February 3, 2018
Courtyard Marriott, Westbury
M I N U T E S

Participants

Samara Churgin, MD
Melissa Grageda, MD
Liz Haines, DO
Carlos Zapata, MD

Dr. Zapata discussed group and institutional memberships, specifically regarding Northwell, as MSSNY leadership has concerns that there will be a complaint of unfair dues, and we need to create an “illusion of fairness.”

There was some discussion of writing a resolution to offer a discount for pre-paying for five years of membership, but it was dropped.

Dr. Zapata requested and received section endorsement for AMA-YPS Speaker for 2019. This is a two year term, elected in odd years.

Because of low attendance, there was some talk about replacing this YPS meeting with quarterly Webex calls, with an in-person meeting at the HOD, on Friday from 5 – 6. All delegates meeting YP criteria would be invited, and eventually, RFS and MSS could be included. The recommendation was made to circulate instructions on writing resolutions.

Section elections were held. AMA YPS Delegates for 2018 are Drs. Haines, Zapata and Churgin. (Dr. Churgin cannot attend in June, but will in November.) It was agreed that Sandy would ask Neha Gupta if she would like to be the fourth delegate, and Subhash Chandra if he could replace Dr. Churgin in June.

Delegates to the MSSNY 2019 HOD will be Dr. Grageda and Dan Choi. Sandy will ask Dr. Chandra and Zwi Furer if they can serve as the third.

Secretary/Treasurer is Dr. Grageda, Vice Chair Dr. Churgin, and Chair Dr. Haines.