

Member-at-Large Manual

Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology

Terms of Office.

There are three Members-at-Large who serve on the SICB Executive Committee. One Member-at-Large is elected each year for a three year term.

SICB Constitution Article III. Section 2.

Section 2. Executive Committee: The management of the Society shall be vested in an Executive Committee consisting of the executive officers, three Members-at-Large from the Society general membership, the Chairs of the Divisions of the Society, the Editor of *Integrative and Comparative Biology*, the Chair of the Graduate Student/Postdoctoral Affairs Committee, and the Chair of the Educational Council. Of the three Members-at-Large, one shall be elected each year for a term of three years. The Executive Director of the Society shall serve as an *ex officio* member of the Executive Committee, but may not vote.

Duties.

The Members-at-Large

1. are members of the SICB Executive Committee and are expected to participate in discussions, votes, and calls for information during the year.
2. must attend the SICB annual meeting and the two meetings of the SICB Executive Committee at the annual meeting during the term of service.
3. must be familiar with, and an advocate for, the entire scope of SICB's science and should not be specialists who value only one part.
4. must be familiar with the SICB Constitution and Bylaws governing the Society.
5. must be committed to the promotion of integrative and comparative biology in general.
6. serve on the Society-wide Nominating Committee in the final year of her/his term. (SICB Bylaws Article XV. Section 4)
7. resolve tie votes for Society-wide elections. (SICB Constitution Article III. Section 4)
8. serve on the Dorothy Skinner Award committee for two years; service begins as a committee member during the first year of the term; serves as committee chair during the second year of the term.