

PERSONAL STATEMENT

Scott P. Mayer

Credentials and Bylaws Chair

I am honored to be nominated to serve a final term as Bylaws Chair for PCACAC. I am excited by the opportunity to continue to serve PCACAC in a role that plays to my interests, especially at a time in the life of our organization's development when awareness of the bylaws will be important. There are pending initiatives in NACAC's governance and operating procedures that will require us to monitor our own Bylaws in order to be compliant with NACAC's changing rules while also ensuring that our bylaws continue to serve the operating needs of our organization.

I actually enjoy Bylaws. I know that is not necessarily normal, but I am willing to admit that I am a "read the manual" kind of guy and am "thorough" as some of my colleagues have described my work habits. Maybe it has something to do with being the son of an accountant. I grew up with the understanding that knowing the rules was one of the keys to success. As my career has developed, many of my individual responsibilities have centered on the need for organization and having the ability to decipher and follow complex directions or regulations.

I am also excited by the opportunity to serve in the role as an Assembly Delegate that comes with this appointed position. As we have seen with the recent and pending changes in NACAC's structure, maintaining a connection with the national assembly plays an important role in maintaining our own organizational governance.

Throughout my career in college admission and college counseling, I have been excited by opportunities to be involved in PCACAC and NACAC. I consider the relationships and experiences formed through these involvements to be an important factor in my own personal development and enjoyment of our profession. I am honored to be nominated to continue to serve PCACAC as the Bylaws Chair and as a Delegate to the National Assembly.