

**2018 MEETING OF THE FELLOWS  
THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF LEGAL MEDICINE  
February 24, 2018  
Charleston SC**

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**Introduction, Quorum and Call to Order** **Bill Hinnant, MD JD FCLM, President**

Dr. Hinnant called the meeting to order at 5:16 pm EST.

**Secretary's Report** **Monique Anawis, MD JD FCLM, Secretary**

Dr. Anawis reported on the Expert Witness Training she experienced in Australia. The Secretary's report was approved as submitted.

**Treasurer's Report** **Veling Tsai, MD JD FCLM, Treasurer**

Dr. Tsai reported on the financial status of the ACLM, noting an expected minimal net loss for the current year. Our financial investments are currently returning at a rate of 8%. The Treasurer's report was approved as submitted.

**Membership Report** **David Donnersberger, MD JD FCLM, Pres-Elect**

Dr. Donnersberger reported that the ACLM currently has 174 members, with 146 registered meeting attendees, noting his appreciation to meeting Program Chairs Leon Aussprung, Adam McLaughlin, and Bruce Seidberg. The Membership report was approved as submitted.

**Report from the ABLM** **Peter Rheinstein, MD JD FCLM**

Dr. Rheinstein reported that there are eight ABLM cruises scheduled for the 2018-2019 year. Dr. Rheinstein encouraged the membership to sit for the ABLM exam. The ABLM report was approved as submitted.

**Report from the ACLM Foundation** **Robert Buckman, PhD FCLM  
Bill Hinnant, MD JD FCLM**

Dr. Buckman reported that 100% of the BOG contributed to the ACLMF. The goal of the ACLMF is to provide funding for the ACLM annual meeting. Dr. Buckman challenged each member to make a donation to this Foundation. He reported that the ACLMF currently sponsors four lecturers, with intent to increase that over time as contributions increase. The ACLM Foundation report was approved as submitted.

**Necrology**

The College recognized the loss of fellows over the past year with a moment of silence.

**Bylaws Change regarding Election of BOG – Odd Number** **Vote to be taken**

A motion to amend the by-laws to change from a 3-3-3 Board of Governors term limit to a 3-3-2 schedule of Board of Governors term limit was motioned, seconded and approved by the fellows. Motion carried.

**Elections:**

**\*Secretary:** **Nominee:** **Joe Graskemper, DDS JD FCLM** **Vote to be taken**

Motion to approve Dr. Joe Graskemper as Secretary for 2018-2019 term was voted and passed.

**\*Treasurer:** **Nominee:** **Monique Anawis, MD JD FCLM** **Vote to be taken**

Motion to approve Dr. Monique Anawis as Treasurer for 2018-2019 term was voted and passed.



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9 College.

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1 **Publication News:** **Drs. Bill Hinnant and David Donnersberger**

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3 Dr. Hinnant reported on the current status of the Journal (and its partners) and ACLM's intent to get the Journal  
4 back on track and become the highest quality active publication it has been historically noted for.

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6 **2018 Gold Medal Award Recipient:** **Dr. Thomas Noguchi**

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8 Dr. Hinnant presented Dr. Thomas Noguchi with the 2018 Gold Medal Award. Dr. Noguchi expressed his  
9 appreciation for both the College, as well as the distinguished Medal.

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1 **Adjournment**

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3 The meeting was adjourned at 6:42 pm EST by Dr. Bill Hinnant.

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5 Respectfully submitted,  
6 Gina Baxter  
7 ACLM Associate Director