

NAGT Annual report

Fall 2022

Steve Mattox

Councilor At Large (2019-2022)

September 30, 2022

NAGT Executive Committee Work:

I attended all Executive Committee and Council meetings since my appointment.

NAGT Council Work:

I try to reported on activities of the New England section but is difficult to connect with folks over in another section.

NAGT Committee Work:

I serve as the liaison with the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee. I have attended fortnightly meetings since mid-May 2020. This is an energetic, creative, thoughtful, and productive group led by Laura Rademacher and Amy Weislogel. We continue to move forward with attempts to collect better demographic data, especially to improve the response rate for demographic and identity data for existing and new members. We hosted a RoundTable on DEI at the EER. We hosted two online events. The first looked to increase collaboration for DEI efforts across NAGT. We were joined by representatives from GER, 2YC, and TED. All agreed this should be a bi-annual event. The second event was a webinar on "Community Efforts to Broaden Conference Participation in the Geoscience". We continue to update our NAGT DEI website. Anne Egger helped with our resources page. We refined criteria for our Diversity Stories Collection. Lastly, we discussed the criteria for the NAGT JEDI Award and selected a new recipient, Dr. Vashaun Wright.