

Calendar of Events

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January 22, 2026

Balint Leaders Drop-in Discussion

04:00 PM - 05:00 PM EST

Connect with fellow Balint leaders for a facilitated, interactive conversation focused on the real-world challenges of Balint group leadership. Together, we'll explore questions around group structure, growth, and development—within a supportive and confidential space.

Who's welcome? All non-credentialed leaders of Balint groups—whether new to the role or seasoned—are warmly invited.

Facilitators: Terri Wall & Phil Phelps

Time: January 22, 2026 at 04:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Discussion on Diversity in Balint Groups

08:00 PM - 09:00 PM EST

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Possible questions for discussion are how to:

Help the group explore the patient-clinician relationship when issues of diversity and difference arise

Find opportunities to help the group dig deeper

Facilitate a group in which the clinician's identity and personal values seem at odds

When: Thursday, June 11, 2026

Where: 8:00 - 9:00 pm Eastern

Who: Any ABS Member leading a Balint Group

Cost: \$ 0.00 (Free)

In order to ensure that we have adequate time for all to participate and benefit from our discussion, we are limiting attendance to 12 participants. If you register and you're unable to attend, please let us know so we can give your spot to someone else.

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Possible questions for discussion are how to:

Help the group explore the patient-clinician relationship when issues of diversity and difference arise

Find opportunities to help the group dig deeper

Facilitate a group in which the clinician's identity and personal values seem at odds

When: Thursday, September 10, 2026

Where: 8:00 - 9:00 pm Eastern

Who: Any ABS Member leading a Balint Group

Cost: \$ 0.00 (Free)

In order to ensure that we have adequate time for all to participate and benefit from our discussion, we are limiting attendance to 12 participants. If you register and you're unable to attend, please let us know so we can give your spot to someone else.

November 12, 2026
- November 15, 2026

2026 New England Balint Leadership Training Intensive
The Babson Executive Conference Center
1 Snyder Drive
Babson Park, MA 02457
12:00 PM - 12:00 PM EST

The four-day Intensive course is designed to teach Balint group leadership technique primarily through experiential groups, supplemented by topic-focused small discussion groups and faculty panel discussions. Attendees will have ample time to present cases, practice leading a Balint group, and engage informally with other participants.

The New England Leadership Intensive course is appropriate for clinicians new to the Balint Group method as well as experienced Balint Group leaders. The course is well-suited to those who are currently leading, expect to lead in the future, or are seeking a better understanding of Balint groups. The curriculum is appropriate for physicians (primary care, psychiatry, other specialists), psychologists, social workers, other mental health care providers, veterinarians, and pastoral care providers.

Course Details

Because group cohesiveness affects participants' experience of the course, registrants are required to commit to attending all sessions and to attending each session in its entirety. Please do not plan to arrive late, leave early or miss sessions.

The Balint Leadership Intensive is a training course and is not intended as therapy. Nevertheless, Balint Group work can sometimes stir up strong feelings. Prospective registrants who are experiencing a particularly vulnerable period in their lives may want to consider participating in this training at a later date.

Course Schedule

The conference will be held at the Babson Executive Conference Center at Babson College, 20 minutes from downtown Boston and Logan International Airport. Residing at the conference center is strongly recommended, even for local attendees, so that you may benefit from the retreat-like nature of the course. The ABS has negotiated a conference rate of \$239 per night which includes full breakfast and access to the state of the art Len Green Recreation and Athletics Complex (LGRAC) on campus. In addition, there are scenic walking trails and an indoor skating rink on the Babson campus. In reserving your room with the following link, you're getting the best possible rate and helping us fulfill our contractual obligation with the hotel.

Cancellation Policy

Registrants wishing to cancel their registration must do so in writing by the cancellation deadline of September 15, 2026. For cancellations received by the cancellation date, \$100 of the registration fee will be withheld for administrative fees and the refund will occur within 30 days of acknowledgment of cancellation. For cancellations received after the deadline, no refunds will be available.

ABS Grievance Policy

Any concerns should be brought to the attention of Eran Metzger, metzger@hsl.harvard.edu.

ABS Grievance Policy

December 10, 2026

Discussion on Diversity in Balint Groups

08:00 PM - 09:00 PM EST

The ABS Diversity Committee invites you to a facilitated discussion to explore some of the complicated dynamics that arise in Balint groups when the Balint case raises issues related to the full range of diversity and difference.

Possible questions for discussion are how to:

Help the group explore the patient-clinician relationship when issues of diversity and difference arise

Find opportunities to help the group dig deeper

Facilitate a group in which the clinician's identity and personal values seem at odds

When: Thursday, December 10, 2026

Where: 8:00 - 9:00 pm Eastern

Who: Any ABS Member leading a Balint Group

Cost: \$ 0.00 (Free)

In order to ensure that we have adequate time for all to participate and benefit from our discussion, we are limiting attendance to 12 participants. If you register and you're unable to attend, please let us know so we can give your spot to someone else.

January 9, 2026

Credentialing Coordinating Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

The CCC meets monthly on the first Friday at 2pm Eastern.

Online Balint Group: Eddo de Lang & Darlene Lawrence

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM EST

An online Balint Group is now forming which will meet monthly on the second Saturday at 11am Eastern/8am Pacific. The series will begin in January and run through August. Because group cohesiveness affects participants' experience of the group, and a minimum number of participants are required to hold a session, registrants are asked to commit to attending all sessions. Please do not plan to arrive late, leave early or miss sessions, etc.

Leaders facilitating the group: Eddo de Lang, MD, and Darlene Lawrence, MD

Eddo de Lang, MD, has been a family physician since 1980. My first introduction to Balint was in the late 1970s while I was doing my Family Medicine Residency training in the Netherlands. After practicing for several years in Europe, I moved to the United States. Participating in Balint groups as a group member or co-leader has taught me the importance of divergent thinking and reflection. Darlene Lawrence and I are both credentialed Balint Group leaders and have co-led two previous ABS online groups and we have both co-led several in-person Balint Groups as well. I am currently involved in the ABS Scholarly Activity Committee, Balint Leadership Intensives Committee, and ABS council. It will be a pleasure meeting you online when our group will have its first Balint Group session. Hope to see you there.

Darlene Lawrence, MD, FAAFP, is a board-certified family physician who graduated from Georgetown University School of Medicine, and completed her residency at the Georgetown/Providence Family Medicine Residency Program in her hometown, Washington, D.C. Providing full-service family medicine, including obstetrics for 26 years, Dr. Lawrence has been teaching medical students and family medicine residents for more than 30 years. Currently, she is associate program director of The Wright Center for Graduate Medical Education Family Medicine Residency Program at Unity Health Care at Parkside Health Center and directs advising, Balint, Practice Management, and Resident Wellness. She is an ABS credentialed leader and faculty member at Balint intensives. She is a proud wife, parent of four and dog mom of two.

Time: 11:00am - 12:00pm Eastern Time/8:00am - 9:00am Pacific. The initial meeting will be 90 minutes to allow for introductions and an overview of the Balint method, meetings two - eight will be 60 minutes.

Number of meetings and Dates: Eight (8) monthly meetings on the second Saturday: January 10, February 14, March 14, April 11, May 9, June 13, July 11, and August 8, 2026.

Cancellation Policy:

If cancelled by the ABS or hosts due to insufficient registrants, those registered will receive their money back. Otherwise, no return of fee is possible, including in the event of registrant's partial attendance or inability to complete the sequence of sessions.

- 1. Registrants must be clinically active and willing to present cases.*
- 2. Balint work can stir strong emotions. If the registrant is at an unusually stressful period in their life, we recommend they sign up at another time.*
- 3. Because the success of the group depends in part on cohesion, steady attendance matters. Registrants must intend to attend all sessions of the group.*
- 4. In welcoming international participants, please know that the meetings will be held in English.*

Target Audience

This series is appropriate for clinicians new to the Balint Group method as well as

experienced Balint Group leaders. Suitable for those in active practice including physicians (primary care, psychiatry, other specialists), nurse practitioners, psychologists, social workers, and others.

Accreditation

The AAFP has reviewed Balint Group - Decreasing Isolation with Peer Consultation, and deemed it acceptable for AAFP credit.

AMA/AAFP Equivalency: AAFP Prescribed credit is accepted by the American Medical Association as equivalent to AMA PRA Category 1 Credit toward the AMA Physician's Recognition Award. When applying for the AMA PRA, Prescribed credit earned must be reported as Prescribed, not as Category 1.

The American Balint Society is approved by the American Psychological Association to sponsor continuing education for psychologists. The American Balint Society maintains responsibility for this program and its content.

More Information

Grievance Policy:

Any concerns should be brought to the attention of Rebekah Schiefer, Committee Chair.

ABS Grievance Policy

January 12, 2026

Council Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

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January 16, 2026

Scholarly Activity Committee

03:30 PM - 04:30 PM EST

Eddo de Lang,
eddodelang@gmail.com

This committee meets monthly on the 3rd Friday at 3:30pm Eastern.

January 16, 2026

Balint Groups Online Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

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January 19, 2026

Committee on Intensives Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

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January 22, 2026

Consultation Group for ABS Credentialed Leaders

08:00 PM - 09:00 PM EST

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Reminders and the Zoom link are available on the Credentialed Leaders message board.

January 23, 2026

Diversity Committee

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

This committee meets the fourth Friday of each month at noon Eastern/9am Pacific.

January 26, 2026

Events Committee

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM EST

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January 26, 2026

History & Continuity Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

Barbara Hemmendinger,

bhemmend@aol.com

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January 31, 2026

International Balint Federation Ascona Submission Deadline

See Event Website for Schedule

The Foundation Psychosomatic and Social Medicine invites medical students to consider applying for The International Balint Award 2026 – "Ascona Prize"

They should describe a student-patient relationship, an experience, or experiences, from the student's medical studies and include critical reflection on personal meetings with patients. Prize monies of € 5,000 are available for the authors of the best three essays. Papers must be in English. Each essay will be reviewed by an international jury with final prize winners being selected by a committee named by the Foundation and the International Balint Federation.

The criteria by which the papers will be judged are as follows:

Exposition: The paper should include a presentation of a truly personal experience of a student-patient relationship. (Manuscripts of former medical theses or diplomas cannot be accepted.)

Reflection: A description of how the student experienced this relationship, either individually or as part of the medical team.

Action: The student's own perception of the demands to which s/he felt exposed and an illustration of how s/he responded.

Progression: A discussion of both ways in which the student's own approach might change in the future, and also possible ways in which future medical training might enhance the state of awareness for individual students.

Submissions of 5.000-12.000 words should be sent by email, as a Word attachment to Prof Don Nease: DONALD.NEASE@CUANSCHUTZ.EDU

They must be received before 31st January 2026. Prizes will be given at the International Balint Congress in Aarhus, Denmark, 30 Sept – 3 October 2026.

The prize winners will be expected to give a short presentation of their essay (not more than 15 minutes) at the Congress and the full text of the papers will be published in the Proceedings of the Congress and other Balint journals.

The Congress fee will be waived for prize-winners and they will be provided with free accommodation. In addition, each prizewinner may claim reasonable travel expenses (the lowest available air fare) on the production of appropriate receipts.

Read more: stiftung-ps.de/home-en-gb/, www.balintinternational.com

February 2, 2026

2027 National Meeting Planning Committee

01:00 PM - 02:00 PM EST

This ad-hoc committee meets monthly on the first Monday at 1pm Eastern.

February 6, 2026

Credentialing Coordinating Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

The CCC meets monthly on the first Friday at 2pm Eastern.

February 9, 2026

Council Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

ABS Council meets the second Monday of each month at 2pm Eastern.

Online Balint Group with Lisa Buck & Albert Lichtenstein

07:00 PM - 08:00 PM EST

Leaders: Lisa Buck, MD and Albert Lichtenstein, PhD

Time: The first meeting will be 90 minutes 7:00pm - 8:30pm Eastern Time/4:00pm - 5:30pm Pacific Time. Subsequent meetings will be 60 minutes 7:00pm - 8:00pm Eastern/4:00 - 5:00 Pacific.

Number of meetings and Dates: Ten (10) monthly meetings on the following Tuesdays: February 10, March 10, April 14, May 12, June 9, July 14, August 11, Sept 8, October 13, and November 10, 2026.

Fee:

\$250 for ABS Members

\$400 for non-members

Cancellation Policy:

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ABS Grievance Policy

February 13, 2026

Communications & Marketing Committee

03:00 PM - 04:00 PM EST

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February 16, 2026

Committee on Intensives Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

Kris Wheeler,
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This committee meets on the third Monday each month at 2pm Eastern.

February 20, 2026

Scholarly Activity Committee

03:30 PM - 04:30 PM EST

Eddo de Lang,
eddodelang@gmail.com

This committee meets monthly on the 3rd Friday at 3:30pm Eastern.

February 20, 2026

Balint Groups Online Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

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February 23, 2026

Consultation Group for ABS Credentialled Leaders

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

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Reminders and the Zoom link are available on the Credentialled Leaders message board.

February 25, 2026

MetaSupervision Group Consultation

03:00 PM - 04:00 PM EST

This consultation for supervisors is provided by the CCC - this is a rescheduling of the December 2024 meeting.

February 27, 2026

Diversity Committee

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

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March 2, 2026

2027 National Meeting Planning Committee

01:00 PM - 02:00 PM EST

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March 6, 2026

Credentialing Coordinating Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

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March 9, 2026

Council Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

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March 12, 2026

Discussion on Diversity in Balint Groups

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When: Thursday, March 12, 2026

Where: 8:00 - 9:00 pm Eastern

Who: Any ABS Member leading a Balint Group

Cost: \$ 0.00 (Free)

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March 20, 2026

Scholarly Activity Committee

03:30 PM - 04:30 PM EST

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March 20, 2026

Balint Groups Online Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

This committee typically meets monthly on the third Friday at 2pm Eastern/11am Pacific.

March 23, 2026

Events Committee

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM EST

This committee meets bi-monthly on the fourth Monday of odd months at 11am Eastern/8am Pacific.

March 23, 2026

History & Continuity Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

Barbara Hemmendinger,
bhemmend@aol.com

The History & Continuity Committee meets on the 4th Monday of odd months at 2pm Eastern.

March 26, 2026

Consultation Group for ABS Credentialaled Leaders

08:00 PM - 09:00 PM EST

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Reminders and the Zoom link are available on the Credentialaled Leaders message board.

March 27, 2026

Diversity Committee

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

This committee meets the fourth Friday of each month at noon Eastern/9am Pacific.

April 3, 2026

Credentialing Coordinating Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

The CCC meets monthly on the first Friday at 2pm Eastern.

April 6, 2026

2027 National Meeting Planning Committee

01:00 PM - 02:00 PM EST

This ad-hoc committee meets monthly on the firs Monday at 1pm Eastern.

April 9, 2026

ABS Coffeehouse - Benefits of Advanced Training

08:00 PM - 09:00 PM EST

Save the date! Details about the topic/speaker will be made available soon.

The ABS Coffeehouse series is brought to you by the Communications & Marketing Committee as an ABS member benefit.

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Passcode: 602577

April 10, 2026

Communications & Marketing Committee

03:00 PM - 04:00 PM EST

This committee meets on the second Friday of even months at 3pm Eastern/noon Pacific.

April 13, 2026

Council Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

ABS Council meets the second Monday of each month at 2pm Eastern.

April 17, 2026

Scholarly Activity Committee

03:30 PM - 04:30 PM EST

Eddo de Lang,
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April 17, 2026

Balint Groups Online Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

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April 20, 2026

Committee on Intensives Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

Kris Wheeler,
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This committee meets on the third Monday each month at 2pm Eastern.

April 22, 2026
- April 25, 2026

2026 Spokane Balint Leadership Training Intensive
Please See Daily Schedule

The four-day Intensive course is designed to teach Balint group leadership technique primarily through experiential groups, supplemented by topic-focused small discussion groups and faculty panel discussions. Attendees will have ample time to present cases, practice leading a Balint group, and engage informally with other participants.

The Spokane Leadership Intensive course is appropriate for clinicians new to the Balint Group method as well as experienced Balint Group leaders. The course is well-suited to those who are currently leading, expect to lead in the future, or are seeking a better understanding of Balint groups. The curriculum is appropriate for physicians (primary care, psychiatry, other specialists), psychologists, social workers, other mental health care providers, veterinarians, and pastoral care providers.

Course Details

Because group cohesiveness affects participants' experience of the course, registrants are required to commit to attending all sessions and to attending each session in its entirety. Please do not plan to arrive late, leave early or miss sessions.

The Balint Leadership Intensive is a training course and is not intended as therapy. Nevertheless, Balint Group work can sometimes stir up strong feelings. Prospective registrants who are experiencing a particularly vulnerable period in their lives may want to consider participating in this training at a later date.

Course Schedule

The conference will be held at the Ruby River Hotel where hometown hospitality and peaceful river views greet every guest. Located on the Spokane River with easy access to the Centennial Trail and Riverfront Park, perfect for a leisurely walk or bike ride.

April 22, 2026

MetaSupervision Group Consultation

03:00 PM - 04:00 PM EST

This consultation for supervisors is provided by the CCC - this is a rescheduling of the December 2024 meeting.

April 24, 2026

Diversity Committee

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

This committee meets the fourth Friday of each month at noon Eastern/9am Pacific.

April 27, 2026

Consultation Group for ABS Credentialled Leaders

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

This drop-in series is for ABS Credentialled Leaders and is sponsored by the History and Continuity Committee with Paul Scott as the facilitator. It generally meets the 4th Monday of even months. Attendance qualifies as a Maintenance of Credentialing activity.

Reminders and the Zoom link are available on the Credentialled Leaders message board.

May 1, 2026
- May 3, 2026

2026 Healing, Mindfulness & Compassion Retreat

Please See Event Schedule

Health care professionals are invited to attend the Healing, Mindfulness and Compassion Retreat at the beautiful and tranquil Ratna Ling Conference Center in the Redwoods of Sonoma County, California. The weekend conference combines Eastern and Western approaches to healing: Tibetan Yoga and Meditation as well as Balint sessions that address the complex emotional landscape of the clinician-patient relationship. The Balint group format is an empathy-enhancing practice to strengthen treatment alliances, improve care delivery, increase practitioner resilience and decrease professional isolation. Further context on the neuroscience of compassion and its importance in the provision of effective service will increase understanding of the connection between practitioners' self-care and the care they are able to offer others. The accommodations and architecture are exquisite and the weekend is educational, restful, and rejuvenating.

Cancellation Policy

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Complete Event Details

May 1, 2026

Credentialing Coordinating Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

The CCC meets monthly on the first Friday at 2pm Eastern.

May 4, 2026

2027 National Meeting Planning Committee

01:00 PM - 02:00 PM EST

This ad-hoc committee meets monthly on the first Monday at 1pm Eastern.

May 11, 2026

Council Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

ABS Council meets the second Monday of each month at 2pm Eastern.

May 15, 2026

Scholarly Activity Committee

03:30 PM - 04:30 PM EST

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This committee meets monthly on the 3rd Friday at 3:30pm Eastern.

May 15, 2026

Balint Groups Online Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

This committee typically meets monthly on the third Friday at 2pm Eastern/11am Pacific.

May 18, 2026

Committee on Intensives Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

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May 22, 2026

Diversity Committee

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

This committee meets the fourth Friday of each month at noon Eastern/9am Pacific.

May 25, 2026

Events Committee

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM EST

This committee meets bi-monthly on the fourth Monday of odd months at 11am Eastern/8am Pacific.

May 25, 2026

History & Continuity Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

Barbara Hemmendinger,
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The History & Continuity Committee meets on the 4th Monday of odd months at 2pm Eastern.

May 28, 2026

Consultation Group for ABS Credentialled Leaders

08:00 PM - 09:00 PM EST

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Reminders and the Zoom link are available on the Credentialled Leaders message board.

June 1, 2026

2027 National Meeting Planning Committee

01:00 PM - 02:00 PM EST

This ad-hoc committee meets monthly on the first Monday at 1pm Eastern.

June 5, 2026

Credentialing Coordinating Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

The CCC meets monthly on the first Friday at 2pm Eastern.

June 8, 2026

Council Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

ABS Council meets the second Monday of each month at 2pm Eastern.

June 12, 2026

Communications & Marketing Committee

03:00 PM - 04:00 PM EST

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June 15, 2026

Committee on Intensives Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

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June 19, 2026

Scholarly Activity Committee

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June 19, 2026

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June 22, 2026

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June 24, 2026

MetaSupervision Group Consultation

03:00 PM - 04:00 PM EST

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June 26, 2026

Diversity Committee

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

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July 3, 2026

Credentialing Coordinating Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

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July 6, 2026

2027 National Meeting Planning Committee

01:00 PM - 02:00 PM EST

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July 9, 2026

ABS Coffeehouse - Topic TBD

08:00 PM - 09:00 PM EST

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July 17, 2026

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July 20, 2026

Committee on Intensives Meeting

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July 23, 2026

Consultation Group for ABS Credentialled Leaders

08:00 PM - 09:00 PM EST

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July 24, 2026

Diversity Committee

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

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July 27, 2026

Events Committee

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM EST

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July 27, 2026

History & Continuity Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

Barbara Hemmendinger,
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August 3, 2026

2027 National Meeting Planning Committee

01:00 PM - 02:00 PM EST

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August 7, 2026

Credentialing Coordinating Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

The CCC meets monthly on the first Friday at 2pm Eastern.

August 10, 2026

Council Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

ABS Council meets the second Monday of each month at 2pm Eastern.

August 14, 2026

Communications & Marketing Committee

03:00 PM - 04:00 PM EST

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August 17, 2026

Committee on Intensives Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

Kris Wheeler,
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August 21, 2026

Scholarly Activity Committee

03:30 PM - 04:30 PM EST

Eddo de Lang,
eddodelang@gmail.com

This committee meets monthly on the 3rd Friday at 3:30pm Eastern.

August 21, 2026

Balint Groups Online Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

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August 24, 2026

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August 26, 2026

MetaSupervision Group Consultation

03:00 PM - 04:00 PM EST

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August 28, 2026

Diversity Committee

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST

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September 4, 2026

Credentialing Coordinating Committee

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

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September 7, 2026	2027 National Meeting Planning Committee 01:00 PM - 02:00 PM EST <i>This ad-hoc committee meets monthly on the first Monday at 1pm Eastern.</i>
September 14, 2026	Council Meeting 02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST <i>ABS Council meets the second Monday of each month at 2pm Eastern.</i>
September 18, 2026	Scholarly Activity Committee 03:30 PM - 04:30 PM EST Eddo de Lang, eddodelang@gmail.com <i>This committee meets monthly on the 3rd Friday at 3:30pm Eastern.</i>
September 18, 2026	Balint Groups Online Committee 02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST <i>This committee typically meets monthly on the third Friday at 2pm Eastern/11am Pacific.</i>
September 21, 2026	Committee on Intensives Meeting 02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST Kris Wheeler, kriswheeler2@gmail.com <i>This committee meets on the third Monday each month at 2pm Eastern.</i>
September 24, 2026	Consultation Group for ABS Credentialled Leaders 08:00 PM - 09:00 PM EST <i>This drop-in series is for ABS Credentialled Leaders and is sponsored by the History and Continuity Committee with Arnold Goldberg as the facilitator. It generally meets the 4th Thursday of odd months. Attendance qualifies as a Maintenance of Credentialing activity.</i> <i>Reminders and the Zoom link are available on the Credentialled Leaders message board.</i>
September 25, 2026	Diversity Committee 12:00 PM - 01:00 PM EST <i>This committee meets the fourth Friday of each month at noon Eastern/9am Pacific.</i>
September 28, 2026	Events Committee 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM EST <i>This committee meets bi-monthly on the fourth Monday of odd months at 11am Eastern/8am Pacific.</i>
September 28, 2026	History & Continuity Committee 02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST Barbara Hemmendinger, bhemmend@aol.com <i>The History & Continuity Committee meets on the 4th Monday of odd months at 2pm Eastern.</i>
October 2, 2026	Credentialing Coordinating Committee 02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST <i>The CCC meets monthly on the first Friday at 2pm Eastern.</i>

October 5, 2026

2027 National Meeting Planning Committee

01:00 PM - 02:00 PM EST

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October 8, 2026

ABS Coffeehouse - 2027 National Meeting

08:00 PM - 09:00 PM EST

Save the date! Details about the topic/speaker will be made available soon.

The ABS Coffeehouse series is brought to you by the Communications & Marketing Committee as an ABS member benefit.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89379534315?pwd=QU1JNnd6U2lPNzhhTk1hcDBEZUtndz09>

Meeting ID: 893 7953 4315

Passcode: 602577

October 9, 2026

Communications & Marketing Committee

03:00 PM - 04:00 PM EST

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October 12, 2026

Council Meeting

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

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October 16, 2026

Scholarly Activity Committee

03:30 PM - 04:30 PM EST

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October 16, 2026

Balint Groups Online Committee

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October 19, 2026

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November 2, 2026

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November 6, 2026

Credentialing Coordinating Committee

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November 9, 2026

Council Meeting

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November 16, 2026

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December 4, 2026

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December 11, 2026

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