

NAMME NEWS UPDATE

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NAMME's New Peer-Reviewed Journal: A collaboration with Winston-Salem and NCAHPD

NAMME is proud to announce that we have signed an agreement with the School of Health Sciences at Winston-Salem State University and the North Carolina Alliance for Health Professions Diversity (NCAHPD) to co-sponsor the *Journal of Best Practices in Health Professions Diversity: Research, Education and Policy*. This ideal partnership will open doors to a higher level of national recognition for NAMME and will also provide professional development opportunities for our members. All dues-paying NAMME members will receive 2 hard-copy editions of the journal per year and are eligible to submit articles, join the editorial board or serve as a peer reviewer.



Volunteer positions available/ Descriptions:

1. Member of the Editorial Board
 - a. Participate in quarterly conference calls
 - b. Offer advice on editorial content and special issues
 - c. Solicit papers for publication
 - d. Encourage institutional subscriptions

2. Reviewers
 - a. Serve as article reviewer and provide feedback on readiness for publication
 - b. Review 3 or more articles per year based on area of expertise
 - c. Return article reviews within 3 weeks of receipt

3. Director of Marketing
 - a. Promote the journal at national and regional meetings
 - b. Encourage journal subscriptions
 - c. Encourage article submissions
 - d. Solicit ads (to advertise vacant positions)
 - e. Solicit reviewers
 - f. Provide advice and assistance on securing an online platform

This is an exciting opportunity for NAMME! I encourage everyone to get involved and be engaged with the process. If you are interested in serving in any of these roles, please forward a brief letter of interest and your CV to [Denita Braswell at dbraswell@FirstPointResources.com](mailto:dbraswell@FirstPointResources.com). If you would like to submit an article for review, please forward your submission to the editor at journal@wssu.edu. For details on submission guidelines, visit <https://wssu.edu/school-health-sciences/documents/ms-guidelines.pdf>.

For general information about the journal, visit <https://wssu.edu/school-health-sciences/journal-of-best-practices/default.aspx>

All the best,

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