



Roles of Networks and Their Chairs

Networks were created to provide an association of individuals within NAGC who share common interests within the field of gifted education defined by either professional role or personal interest. Each Network supports the mission, strategic plan, and purposes of NAGC through its activities.

Networks, through proposal review, select the NAGC convention sessions; provide content for their members and the organization; and contribute to various projects and NAGC events.

The Chair and Chair-elect of each network are elected positions. These elections occur at the same time as the Board elections. Network Chairs work with others (appointed program chairs, chairs-elect, and other volunteers) to ensure that the following are done:

- Oversee NAGC Convention proposal submission and review process within their particular strand, topic, or interest area, ensuring timely and relevant convention content
- Report to the board on the past year's network activities (August) and the planned activities for the coming year (January)
- Hold a formal business meeting at the annual NAGC Convention
- Plan any network sponsored activities. If a network has a planned activity, it usually occurs at the convention.
- Coordinate network content for their members and the organization (2 articles per year in the NAGC Insider, possible newsletter, or other content types)

The time requirement for the chair position varies depending on how much the chair wants to take on himself and the ability to find volunteers. More work is required in February/March and October/November due to session selection and planning convention events.

Please visit the [Network Leaders Nomination Page](#) for details and candidate requirements.