



Policy No. 7
AGA Points Policy
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Purpose: To encourage participation and involvement in AGA chapter activities, the Nashville Chapter utilizes a point structure to record participation. The goal is to help people see the different aspects of the chapter, encourage new and continued interest and retention of membership, and provide rewards in the form of possible prizes and incentives determined annually.

Points are accumulated for each member based on participation in events and activities occurring during the membership and recognition year – May 1 through April 30. Participation includes donations of time, money, and materials, as outlined in the point structure (see Appendix). Reaching certain point thresholds results in added membership benefits, such as partial reimbursement of dues and qualifying for a chance to win an educational experience to the AGA National Professional Development Training.

The point structure is not meant to be changed routinely, with the exception of the addition and deletion of community service activities and events, so confusion is not created with frequent updates. In certain cases, points earned for an activity are different depending on whether the member is part of the committee sponsoring the event. This is because a committee member should not be able to earn points for activities or events that are considered a duty of the committee since members already earn points for serving on the committee.

Appendix

Activity	Points Detail	Maximum Points to Earn
Lunch meeting attendance	2 pts.	18 pts.
Lunch guest attended	1 pt. per guest	3 pts.
Committee membership and leadership (includes local and national committees, CEC, NCC Rep, and PDT host committee)	<i>First committee</i> : 3 pts. for membership, add 1 pt. for officer, chair or co-chair. Max. of 4 pts. <i>Second committee</i> : 2 pts. <i>Additional committees</i> : 0 pts.	6 pts.
Sponsoring a new member	3 pts.	No maximum
Annual Social attendance	2 pts.	2 pts.
Passing the CGFM exams	10 pts.	10 pts.
Newsletter – Financial article	6 pts.	No maximum
Newsletter – Non-financial article	4 pts.	No maximum
Educational Events		
Chapter education events	1 pt. for 1-4 hrs. CPE per event 2 pts. For 5-8 hrs. CPE per event 3 pts. for 9 or more hrs. per event	No maximum
Chapter Fundraising		
Chapter fundraising – in person activities	1 pt. for an event that is 0-3 hours 2 pts. for an event that is 3-6 hours 3 pts. for an event that is 6+ hours	6 pts.
Community Service		13 pts. (Unlimited number of points for determination of annual Community Service Award)
Volunteering (in person)	<1 Hr Event – 1 pt. 1-3 Hr Event - 2 pts. 3+ Hr Event - 3pts.	
Item donation	1 pt. - regardless of amount	
Monetary donation	1 pt. - regardless of amount	
Sponsoring a drop box	1 pt.	

Young Professionals		
Attending a career fair at a university or college		1 pt.
Speaking at a college/university or student group		2 pts.
Helping with AGA sponsored Career Fair		1 pt.
Hosting table at AGA sponsored Career Fair		1 pt.
Attending Young Professionals Social		2 pts.