The Subcommittee

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“The Outreach Subcommittee shall be responsible for providing oversight of the Society’s outreach activities, including: (i) planning and implementation of activities at symposia and workshop that address needs and encourage participation of the Society’s underrepresented demographics, while being of interest to the community at large, and (ii) creating services, such as the mentoring network, that address needs of current members or are designed to encourage participation of potential future members of the Society.”
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