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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

This is my final President's Message and I want to take the time to thank all of our volunteers who made this year a success. Our Chapter earned a Platinum rating for the 2nd straight year which means we are in the top category of AGA chapters nationally. Last year only 9 chapters received this rating.

It has been an honor to serve our Indianapolis membership and the Committee members of our Chapter Executive Committee. Thanks to the following:

Meg Hart, Shane Douglas, Tamra Vincent and Meloney Breakey who make sure our luncheon meetings are a success. We had a meeting with over 200 people in attendance and they held our 2nd annual Indiana Chapter meeting where all 3 chapters supporting Indiana come together for a joint meeting.

Megan Nethery, Audra Pera and Camille Schultz who ran the Education Committee which provides CPEs to our membership by planning our PDC and we hosted 7 audio conferences. By participating in all of these events we provided 30 CPEs for our Chapter membership.

Jamie Whitman and Tiffany Baker who planned numerous events for Early Careers employees. We had 41 new early career and student members join AGA this program year. Jamie Whitman sponsored 11 new early career/student members this year, more than any other person in AGA nationally! So she received the National Early Career Recruiting Award.

Brandi Hobson and Katie Buck who ran our community service events where we had 11 people volunteer to work on a Habitat for Humanity Home. Nine people volunteered to distribute Coats for Kids and we collected 300 DVDs/CDs for the soldiers in Iraq and Afghanistan. We also collected 15 garbage bags of gifts + \$550 gift cards for the Angle Tree Project - The school was ecstatic!

Kelly Wagenmaker ran our Membership Committee and led several recruiting campaigns which showed results as we had 67 new members join AGA this year.

Charlie Pollis, Marilyn McGee, and Brooke Moore who planned and executed our Wellness events. We organized the Federal Fitness Festival 5K Run and Walk at Fort Benjamin State Park with ASMC, sponsored people to have health risk assessments done, organized and won the Biggest Loser competition between AGA and ASMC for a second straight year.

Tom Spahr and Dan Neumann our CGFM Coordinators who conducted 4 CGFM classes this year. Over 15 people opened their test window allowing our chapter to win the national contest for the chapter that had the most testing windows opened between Oct-Dec, 2010.

Anne Ulrich and Heather Crews who publish our Newsletter each month to communicate our planned events to our membership.

Chris Crews our Website Administrator who created new pages and capabilities for our Committees to communicate to our members.

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Shane Douglas and Mary Carson who run our Awards Committee where we had a member receive the Distinguished Leadership Award from the AGA National Awards Committee.

Jayne VanHorn, Sylvia Cornelius, and Mary Carson who ran our VITA program to provide free professional tax assistance to those in need.

Melissa Jacobs and Kim Mitzner who collects all of this information, so our chapter can be recognized nationally for the positive programs we run for our membership.

Other Key leaders of our chapter who made this year a success included:

Donna Cox, Nate Pierce, Sam Graham, Edmie Castillo, Neil Anderson, Melissa Jacobs our Board members

Jessica Wisler our Secretary

Maranda Summers our Treasurer

Andrew Taylor and Nate Pierce our Photographers

Mary Jelev our Publicity Coordinator

Brooke Neuerman our Historian

Amanda Illg, Sarah Pank, Lindsay Harris who run our Social Committee

Finally thanks to our Corporate Sponsor Committee Andrew Taylor, Jamie Whitman and Jeannie Allen who developed a new program for our chapter from scratch, prepared the marketing material and attracted three corporate sponsors for the 2011 calendar year. They also worked with ASMC's new Corporate Sponsorship Program to develop joint-sponsorship opportunities for companies to support both organizations. Our 2011 corporate sponsors are Becker, Booz Allen Hamilton and the Finance Center.

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THANKS!





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