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MESSAGE FROM THE SASCO Outreach Committee

Dear SASCO Interest Group Members,

We would like to take this opportunity to introduce ourselves as the Co-Chairs of the SASCO Outreach/Communication Working Group and welcome you to our first newsletter.

We had a very successful SASCO meeting at ATS 2015. Following the meeting, there has been substantial activity. We have successfully formed various working groups to advance the goals of SASCO. A series of teleconferences were held, where members from these working groups came together and formulated their short and long term goals. Please visit our webpage to learn more about these working groups: <http://www.thoracic.org/members/assemblies/interest-groups/sasco.php> More importantly, please volunteer to join these working groups and/or send in your ideas. The contact information for the chairs of each of the working groups is available on the website.

Please see meeting details for the next SASCO meeting at ATS 2016 in San Francisco on Page 2. Registration details to follow. We hope to welcome you and your SASCO colleagues to the meeting. Help us to expand SASCO by participating in SASCO activities. We expect to establish a SASCO member directory soon to help with networking and collaboration.

The ATS SASCO outreach Working Group conducted a survey among medical students, residents, fellows and consultants to assess the needs of the SASCO nations. The survey will assist us in meeting the needs of the SASCO Interest Group and will allow us to network & collaborate with other members of the group with like interest.

We plan to send periodic newsletters on behalf of ATS-SASCO group. Stay tuned for exciting news and collaboration opportunities. Join our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/ATS-SASCO-187614371581295/>

Thanks

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***ATS Interest Group Meeting of Pulmonary/Critical Care and Sleep
Medicine Professionals of South Asian Sub-Continent Origin
(SASCO)***

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Date: Sunday, May 15th, 2016

Time: 11:45 AM - 1:15 PM

Location: San Francisco Marriott Marquis, Yerba Buena Salon
Ballroom 8

Join us !

Join us for great networking opportunities, lunch and contributing towards medical education and research in your home country! SASCO has a vision to bring together Pulmonary, Critical Care and Sleep Medicine health care practitioners and trainees, and affiliated health care professionals of South Asian Sub-Continent Origin to facilitate and promote highest quality medical care.

ATS SASCO need assessment survey participants map

To create a network and assess the needs of SASCO nations, ATS SASCO outreach Working Group conducted a survey among medical students, residents, fellows and consultants.

This map shows the participant location from SASCO nations. The detailed results will be presented at the ATS 2016 SASCO meeting.

