

9 January 2017

Dear GSA Associated Society Representatives,

The date for the 2017 Spring GSA Associated Societies Meeting is Wednesday, 22 March 2017. The meeting will be from **8:00 AM - 10:00 AM (MST)**. **Please RSVP by 1 March 2017** to pfistell@geosociety.org. GSA is looking forward to having you attend this meeting.

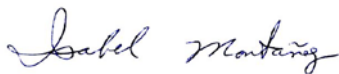
Last spring the meeting was changed to a "virtual meeting" and those involved indicated it went well. This format allowed more Associated Societies in other parts of the world to participate. As a result, GSA will again be hosting a virtual meeting in 2017. GSA invites all of you to participate. Local Associated Society Representatives are welcome to attend the meeting in person at GSA Headquarters. The Agenda and other pertinent information will be sent at a later date.

If you have a topic of discussion or a presentation that would be of interest, please send your information to Pamela Fistell, pfistell@geosociety.org by 1 March 2016.

Attached you will find the Meeting Minutes from the Joint AGI/GSA Associated Societies Meeting held 26 September 2016 in Denver. The meeting minutes include a discussion on code of conduct at meetings. GSA has completed its Events Code of Conduct, which is attached.

Additionally, I would like to request that the **GSA 2017 Annual Meeting in Seattle information** be posted to your society website using the following link:
<http://www.geosociety.org/AnnualMeeting>.

Thank you and best regards,



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