

Congratulations Newly Elected Members!

North Texas Chapter members voted on the slate of candidates for 2022-2025 Chapter positions. Congratulations to the following North Texas Chapter members who have been elected to serve in their respective positions (listed below). Terms will begin January 1, 2023

David Ray, SRA	President (2023)
Greg Zachary	Vice President (2023)
Tracy Law, MAI	Secretary (2023)
Alex Yakulis, MAI	Treasurer (2023)

Mark Arve, MAI	Director (2023-2025)
Michael Nelson, MAI	Director (2023-2025)
Ryan Wegman, MAI	Director (2022-2025)
Robbie Wilson, SRA	Director (2023-2025)

Mac Bottum, MAI	Regional Rep. (2023-2024)
Chris Knight, MAI	Regional Rep. (2023-2024)
Tracy Law, MAI	Regional Rep. (2023-2024)

Ron Box, SRA	Alternate Regional Rep. (2023)
Bryan Humphries, MAI	Alternate Regional Rep. (2023)
Jacob Smith	Alternate Regional Rep. (2023)
Art Singer, MAI	Alternate Regional Rep. (2023)
Michael Stavinoha	Alternate Regional Rep. (2023)
Alex Yakulis, MAI	Alternate Regional Rep. (2023)
Robbie Wilson, SRA	Alternate Regional Rep. (2023)
Greg Smith, MAI	Alternate Regional Rep. (2023)
Leesha Creech, MAI	Alternate Regional Rep. (2023)
Jason Wagner, MAI	Alternate Regional Rep. (2023)

Glenn Garoon, MAI	FACT Rep. (2023-2024)
Robbie Wilson, SRA	FACT Alternate (2023-2024)

PAREA (Practical Applications of Real Estate Appraisal Mentor Program)

PAREA provides an alternative to the traditional supervisor and trainee model for residential appraisers. Members are encouraged to become an Appraisal Institute employee and mentor participants enrolled in the Appraisal Institute PAREA (AI PAREA) program. AI PAREA is an online program covering appraisal theory and methodology in real-world simulations, with mentoring from expert appraisers. For detailed information, go to <https://www.appraisalinstitute.org/aipareamentorship/>. Mentor requirements, qualifications, skillset and abilities needed are provided as well as a registration link.

Save the Dates! 2023 Chapter Meetings

Calendar the following dates for the Chapter's 2023 meetings. Each meeting will include 10 points Appraisal Institute CE credit and 2 hours TALCB ACE credit.

Tuesday, February 14
Tuesday, April 11
Tuesday, May 9
Tuesday, September 12
Tuesday, November 14
Tuesday, December 5

AI Mission Statement

Our mission is to empower valuation professionals through community, credentialing, education, body of knowledge and ethical standards.

AI Diversity Statement

The Appraisal Institute empowers individuals and nurtures an environment that inspires and encourages diversity, equity, and inclusion.

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Congratulations Newly Designated Members!

Congratulations to the following North Texas Chapter members who have earned the MAI or AI-GRS designations. Their accomplishments are to be celebrated!

Cynthia P. Britain, MAI, AI-GRS

Steve Brooks, SRA

Sarah Ashley Gabriano, SRA

John M. Hayden, AI-GRS

Jared Kitchens, MAI

Andrea J. Roberts, MAI

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Candidates, Practicing Affiliates, Affiliates and Student Affiliates who have joined the Appraisal Institute and the North Texas Chapter. Welcome!

Candidates for Designation

Samuel Arnholz, II
Edward Robert Doorley
Clint Gandy
Christopher Leazure
Kelsey Regan
Gregory R. Reynolds
Allisom Stavinoha

Practicing Affiliates

Carter Barke
Collin Kent Briggs
James Coleman
Andrew Everett
John Gibson
Devyn Gonzalez
William A. Greene
Alexander Won Kim
Leslee A. Long
Faisal Aziz Malik
Alexander Moradi
Michelle J. Primera
Dylan Scott Reinertsen

Affiliates

Maia Awesome
Martina Lucio

Student Affiliate

Wesley Yarbrough

FACT Needs Your Support and Donations

The purpose of FACT (Foundation Appraisers Coalition of Texas) is to monitor and affect the regulation of the appraisal profession through legislation, education and communication. This is accomplished by engaging lobbyists to represent Texas appraisers. In addition, FACT attends all TALCB (Texas Appraiser Licensing and Certification Board) meetings and works with the TALCB, Texas legislators and other interested parties on issues involving the regulation of Texas appraisers.

Appraisers face many challenges at the legislature - In 2021, FACT tracked more than 250 bills that affected the appraisal industry! FACT successfully passed legislation limiting appraisers' exposure from lawsuits (H.B. 1939), as well as expanding appraisers' economic opportunities by ensuring the ability to perform property evaluations as well as full appraisals (H.B. 2533).

For the 88th Legislature in 2023, FACT is working on additional legislation to protect appraisers from excessive legal exposure. But after legislative redistricting, there will likely be a 25% turnover among state lawmakers, and the new members will face a steep learning curve to understand the Texas appraisal industry and the issues that are important to you. Moreover, many of our returning friends in the legislature are running in new districts, introducing themselves to unfamiliar voters. If FACT is to remain politically influential, it's important that we all get involved and help.

That's why I'm asking each appraiser to contribute to FACT PAC. It doesn't have to be a lot - even \$10 per month helps! I'm also asking each of our chapter officers to donate a minimum of \$250.00 every year - that's just \$21 per month! Donations need to be PERSONAL funds, not corporate dollars, and can be automatically deducted each month through your credit card or bank account.

To be effective in today's political climate, we must be politically active. If you want a strong appraisal industry in Texas, please invest in FACTPAC, the political action committee of FACT.

Go to <http://www.supportfact.org/FACTPAC> to complete the FACT PAC Donation form and submit your donation. You may also mail personal checks and FACTPAC Donation forms to FACTPAC at FACT, P.O. Box 203173, Austin, Texas 78720.

Thank you for your continued support!

Bill S. Beam, ARA
FACT President 2022-2023

Tips to Navigate Your AI Account

Following are a few tips to help you navigate your Appraisal Institute account.

Accessing CE Certificates

Log into your Appraisal Institute account at www.appraisalinstitute.org. Click on "Education and Events" in the blue box on the right side of the screen and scroll down to the class listing. Click on "View" and scroll down to the bottom of the page. The states in which you have entered licensing/certification information are listed with a link to the right to print your CE certificate.

Accessing Course Materials

Log into your Appraisal Institute account at www.appraisalinstitute.org. Click on "Education and Events" in the blue box on the right side of the screen, and scroll down to the class listing. Click on "View" and scroll down to the box titled, "Download Course Materials."

Adding CE Licenses/Certificates to AI Account

Log into your Appraisal Institute account at www.appraisalinstitute.org. Click on "Education and Events" in the blue box on the right side of the screen and scroll down to the class listing. Click on "View" and scroll down to the bottom of the page to the State License Number listing. To add additional states/licenses/certifications, click on the "Add State License/Certification" button.

Changing Contact Information

Log into your Appraisal Institute account at www.appraisalinstitute.org. Click on "Profile" in the blue box on the right side of the screen. Click on "Contact Information" under Profile and scroll down to the bottom of the "My Contact Information" page to "My Email Addresses". This is where you can edit your email address.

Changing Email Preferences

Log into your Appraisal Institute account at www.appraisalinstitute.org. Click on "Profile" in the blue box on the right side of the screen and then click the subheading, "Preferences." Scroll through the communications preferences and check the checkbox next to each communication type you would like to receive. If there is no check, you will not receive that communication.

Chapter and National Education Scholarships Available

Chapter Scholarships

The North Texas Chapter Board of Directors is committed to helping Candidates and Practicing Affiliates meet education requirements and earn Appraisal Institute designations. Non-designated individuals now have three options (listed below) to receive education scholarships. Please contact the Chapter with any questions (ainorthtexas@sbcglobal.net).

- **Attend:** Six (6) Chapter meetings within a two-year period to receive a free North Texas Chapter education program.
- **Win:** A drawing at each Chapter meeting for a \$500 scholarship. Non-designated individuals must be in attendance to win.
- **Apply:** Complete and submit a North Texas Chapter Scholarship Application and meet specific criteria to be eligible to receive a scholarship in an amount up to \$500.

National Scholarships

The Appraisal Institute Education & Relief Foundation (AIERF) offers a variety of scholarships, which are listed below:

- Minorities and Women AI Course Scholarship
- Candidate for Designation Course Scholarship
- Practicing Affiliate Course Scholarship
- College Scholarship
- Minorities and Women College Scholarship

For detailed information about these scholarships, as well as application deadlines, go to <https://www.appraisalinstitute.org/education/education-resources/scholarships/>

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Changes to Candidate for Designation Program

Effective January 1, 2023, any education needed to earn an AI designation (a.k.a. designation education) **will no longer be a component but instead a prerequisite** to the Candidate for Designation program. As such, individuals seeking Appraisal Institute Designated membership **who are not already** Candidates for Designation must complete all required education to be eligible to enter the Candidate for Designation program. AI Admissions recommends that these individuals join AI as a Practicing Affiliate, complete all required education, then become a Candidate for Designation.

Candidates whose timelines end either this year or sometime in 2023 were recently granted extensions until 12/31/2023. These Candidates must complete all required education prior to the expiration of this timeline extension date (12/31/2023) to remain in the Candidate for Designation program. Candidates who do not complete the required education by this timeline extension date (12/31/2023) may not remain Candidates. However, they may transition to the Practicing Affiliate category until they can retransition into the Candidate for Designation program. This policy also applies to Designated members earning additional designations.

Individuals may retain credit for any previously completed designation requirements (if applicable) if the completion date is no older than 20 years at the time of entry into the Candidate for Designation program or upon approval of an additional four-year extension.

Note: Effective immediately, Annual Minimum Progress is no longer a condition of the Candidate for Designation program.

Contact AI Admissions at 312-335-4111 or admissions@appraisalinstitute.org with any questions.

Comprehensive Exam Prep

Gary DeWeese, MAI, an instructor for the Appraisal Institute for more than 20 years, is offering his Comp Exam prep material for sale. The cost is \$300 for the Income, \$150 for the Sales, \$150 for the Cost/HBU and \$150 for the General module material. If you purchase the first 3 modules, the General module material is free. The material is based on multiple choice type problems with detailed solutions illustrated. The material is electronically delivered usually on the same day as ordered. For more information about the material, to read student reviews, and learn how to order go to www.garydeweese.com or contact Gary directly at garydeweese@comcast.net or 925-216-8751. *The materials are developed by Gary DeWeese and are not sponsored or endorsed by the Appraisal Institute*