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Diplomat Activity Guide

The School of Pharmacy Relations Committee has developed a calendar of suggested activities for Diplomats. If you have any suggestions, please email studentdevelopment@amcp.org.

August

- Attend the Diplomat webinar
- New academic year preparations
 - Confirm the AMCP Chapter has access to AMCP promotional or marketing materials
 (i.e., how to sell managed care to the new students and build a strong chapter)
 - They are all located in the Student Pharmacist Center under <u>"Student Pharmacist Chapters"</u>
 - o If your school has an "organization day", offer to help at the AMCP table
 - Contact chapter presidents and faculty advisors to introduce yourself and review the semester agenda/calendar
 - Be sure to let them know the types of activities you are able to support
- Plan activities for the first semester
- Check in with the Faculty Advisor to see how it is going
- Promote and volunteer to participate in the AMCP mock interviews program

September

- Watch for Diplomat E-Link
- Encourage students to attend the "What is Managed Care Pharmacy?" webinar
- Speak with chapter members about AMCP NEXUS
- Help student pharmacist members prepare for PGY1 Residency Match and industry fellowships
 - Promote the Managed Care Pharmacy Residency & Fellowship Showcase at NEXUS
 - o Point students to the resources specific to managed care pharmacy (such as the following) are available on www.amcp.org at Resident/Fellow Resource Center
 - Residencies & Fellowships Directory
 - Tips on Applying for a Residency or Fellowship

October

- National P&T Competition opens watch for <u>AMCP Foundation Announcement</u>
- AMCP NEXUS
 - Make arrangements to meet with students from your chapter/school
 - Volunteer to be a Conference Buddy
 - Attend the Diplomat meeting

- o Attend the Diplomat and Faculty Advisor networking meeting
- o Attend the Student & New Practitioner Networking Reception

November

- Watch for Diplomat E-Link
- There are a few programs that may interest students:
 - AMCP APPE experiences The deadline to apply is in mid-December. Information can be found <u>here</u>.
 - AMCP Foundation Summer Internships Applications open in October/November and the deadline is January. Students will be notified in March. Information can be found here.
 - AMCP Executive Fellowship in Health Care Association Leadership Applications open in October and close in early December. Information can be found here.
- Help student pharmacist members prepare for PGY1 Residency Match and industry fellowships
 - o Promote and volunteer to participate in the AMCP mock interview program
- Begin planning for second semester activities
- Continue to assist student pharmacist members in preparing for PGY1 Residency Match and ASHP Midyear Residency Showcase

December

- ASHP Midyear
 - Make arrangements to meet with students from your chapter/school
- Support your chapter with P&T competition (e.g., act as a judge for local competitions, discuss topics such as an overview of P&T in real-world practice, pharmacoeconomics, or how to develop a monograph). P&T competition information can be found here.
- Remind students about the AMCP APPE experience and AMCP Foundation Summer Internship application deadlines

January

- Watch for Diplomat E-Link
- Check in with the Faculty Advisor to see how it is going
- Assist in planning second semester activities

February

 Work with chapter advisor and chapter president on submitting the graduation cord request form

March/April

- Watch for Diplomat E-Link
- AMCP Annual Meeting
 - o National P&T Competition Finals held
 - o Make arrangements to meet with students from your chapter/school
 - Volunteer to be a Conference Buddy
 - Attend the Diplomat meeting
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May

- Watch for Diplomat E-Link
- Email student pharmacist retention letters to graduating seniors (letter template will be sent by AMCP staff)
- Contact your AMCP chapter and set a time to talk with the new president or advisor over the summer
- Promote the Chapter of the Year Award and work with your chapter to submit it before the July deadline

June

- Work with new AMCP chapter leaders to complete the Chapter Officer Contact Form
- Complete the Annual Diplomat Survey, which is sent via email

July

- Watch for Diplomat E-Link
- Begin planning for the academic year
 - Outreach to Dean ("Introduction letters," "Talking Points for Deans")
 - o Outreach to incoming AMCP chapter executive board members
 - Establish communication preferences, expectations, and deadlines for a draft semester agenda or calendar
 - Offer meeting ideas
 - Referrals for potential pharmacy professionals
 - Unique presentations or events or programs

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