SUGI Executive Committee

SAS Users Group International (SUGI) is a nonprofit organization of users and prospective users of SAS Institute products. SUGI is governed by an executive committee (members are listed below), which meets annually at the conference. SAS Institute provides staff and technical support to the SUGI Executive committee and the conference chair. SUGI is open to all users and potential users of SAS Institute software and to SAS Institute staff; there is no membership fee.

Thousands of users from all over the world attend the annual conference to discuss their SAS software applications, to learn new techniques from other users, and to hear about research and development at the Institute from SAS Institute staff. Highlights of the conference include invited and contributed papers; poster presentations; random access lunch activities; hands-on workshops; a management track; birds-of-a-feather sessions (BOFs); hardware and software demonstrations; demo theaters; formal online demonstrations; documentation competition; information booths for services from SAS Institute; and informal mixers.

Papers presented at the conference are published in the SUGI *Proceedings,* which is distributed free to conference registrants and can be purchased from the Book Sales Department at SAS Institute. Proceeds from the sale of the *Proceedings* are returned to SUGI.

News about SUGI activities is published in *SAS Communications,* the Institute's quarterly magazine, and on the World Wide Web (www.sas.com). Those on the Institute's mailing list automatically receive conference invitations and other SUGI mailings.

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