Get Involved!
Your company’s CBSA membership gives you a unique opportunity to influence the industry. When you and others in your company get involved in CBSA’s committees and governance, you shape the direction of the association and the industry. Make it part of your succession planning.

Review the many options available to you and then let us know where you would like to get more involved. Don’t just sit on the sidelines, get personally involved. YOU can make a difference in CBSA.

Communications Committee

The Communications Committee supports communications with members and develops external communications through www.copper-brass.org. The committee serves in an advisory role on association marketing strategies and initiatives, such as the implementation of a social media strategy, website development and identification of content necessary to support marketing goals. Committee members review marketing messages and materials as needed. Term limits are set at the committee chair’s discretion.

Member Qualifications:
- Experience in corporate training and education
- Technical writing skills
- Willingness to draft articles

Requirements:
- Participate in committee conference calls
- Review and respond to committee related emails

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Education and Training Committee

CBSA’s Education and Training Committee develops yearly educational metallurgy webinar series and conducts mill site visits in the fall to experience a real world hands-on training environment. The Education and Training Committee provides input into other CBSA educational offerings and contributes content to CBSA publications.

Member Qualifications:

- Experience in corporate training and education
- Technical writing skills
- Willingness to draft or compile technical information
- Willingness to draft articles

Requirements:

- Participate in committee conference calls
- Review and respond to committee-related emails

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Industry Research Committee

The Industry Research Committee will oversee CBSA’s overall industry, data and economic reporting available via newsletters and websites. This committee will guide the CBSA staff as they transform the members’ only section of the new CBSA website into a comprehensive source for data that members may use to make better, more informed decisions about their businesses.

Member Qualifications:

- Strong desire to help grow the association’s membership
- Experience in corporate training and education
- Willingness to draft or compile industry and economic benchmarking data

Requirements:

- Participate in committee conference calls
- Review and respond to committee-related emails

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*Committee Chair*
The CBSA Membership Committee promotes the value of membership to prospective members. Members of the committee review applications and interview applicants, as well as oversee the renewal process. They also act as a first point of contact with new members, at the annual convention and with follow-up calls. Term limits are set at the committee chair's discretion.

**Member Qualifications:**
- Strong desire to help grow the association’s membership
- Maintain a high level of confidentiality (members are required to sign a confidentiality agreement)
- An energetic and enthusiastic individual who is eager to bring new ideas to the committee

**Requirements:**
- Participate in committee conference calls
- Participate in new member interview calls and renewal phone calls
- Review and respond to committee-related emails

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The CBSA Scholarship Committee reviews scholarship applications annually and selects recipients for the CBSA Educational Foundation. Committee members actively engage in fundraising activities at the CBSA Annual Convention for the Foundation such as golf tournaments.

**Member Qualifications:**
- Willingness to engage other members in raising funds for scholarships
- Maintain a high level of confidentiality

**Requirements:**
- Review and evaluate the scholarship applications (estimate up to 10 hours total)
- Attend the committee meeting held during the annual convention
- Participate in committee conference calls (estimate two a year)
- Review and respond to other committee-related emails

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