

NAGT Annual Report  
October 2021  
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Councilor-at-Large, Elected 2020  
Report prepared October 6, 2021

**NAGT Executive Committee meetings attended**

- November 12, 2020 (*virtual*)
- January 15, 2021 (*virtual*)
- March 12, 2021 (*virtual*)
- July 7, 2021 (*virtual*)
- September 7, 2021 (*virtual*)

**NAGT Council meetings attended**

- October 20, 2020 (*virtual*)
- January 19, 2021 (*virtual*)

Note: I missed the April 16-17 and May 10 (*virtual*) Executive Committee meeting and May 3, 2021 Council meeting while on maternity leave.

**Conference/Meeting Participation**

- GSA 2020 (*virtual*)
- EER 2021 (*virtual*)

**Section Liaison Activity: Pacific NW**

- No activity to report

**Other Activities Relevant to NAGT:**

- Associate Editor: Journal of Geoscience Education
- Working with Karen Viskupic on strategies to recruit and retain student members in NAGT, including drafting charge for new Outstanding TA Committee.
- Ongoing active member of NAGT's GER division. Advocacy related to inclusion of the division's section in streaming/hybrid format, including communication with GSA directly and GSA's Geoscience Education Division (GED).
- Updating list of field camps open to other students  
[https://nagt.org/nagt/teaching\\_resources/field/summer\\_2021\\_virtual\\_field\\_camp.html](https://nagt.org/nagt/teaching_resources/field/summer_2021_virtual_field_camp.html)

**Goals for Next Reporting Period**

- Attend virtual meetings at GSA, including Ex Comm, Annual & Council Meeting, NAGT/USGS Field Camp Business meeting and GER Division meetings.
- Improve my connection with my assigned section to see how I can better support and communicate their needs.
- Continue work with Karen Viskupic on recruiting and retaining NAGT student members.