

# OC ACM Executive Committee

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Date: August 27, 2025



# Agenda

- Review of prior meeting minutes
- Officers / Volunteers
- Treasurer's Report
- September Event Preparation
- Future Event Planning
- Committee Business



# Motions

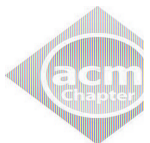


Motion	Moved By	Seconded By	Status
Approve July 2025 Executive Committee minutes			



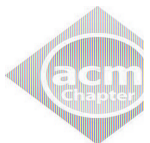
# Officers

Position	Volunteer
Chair	Taylor Noh
Vice-Chair	Stephen Landaas
Treasurer	Michael Fahy Ph.D.
Secretary	Marc Velasco
Communications	Allen Takatsuka
Webmaster	Stephen Landaas
SIGAI-OC Liaison	Ansel Teng Ph.D.
Membership Chair	Farhad Mafie



## Officers (cont'd)

Position	Volunteer
University Liaison	Michael Fahy Ph.D.
Programs Chair	Jared Miller
Program Speaker Coordinators	Raman Rajan, Farhad Mafie
Program Video Coordinator	Trae Palmer
Social Media Committee	Don Choi, Cynthia Kirkeby, Trae Palmer
Membership Committee	Open
Hospitality	AJ Albrecht
Fundraising Coordinator	Open
Members at Large	A. Winsor Brown, Shirley Tseng, Nilo Niccolai Ph.D.



# Meeting Attendees

- *Michael Fahy*
- *Allen Takatsuka*
- *Dan Whelan*
- *Marc Velasco*
- *Nilo Niccolai*
- *Winsor Brown*
- *Ansel Teng*
- *Don Choi*
- *Trae Palmer*

- *Shirley Tseng*
- *Cynthia Kirkeby*
- *Farhad Mafie*
- *Jared Miller*
- *Kenneth Aguilar*
- *Dawn Childs*
- *Taylor Noh*
- *Stephen Landaas*
- *AJ Albrecht*



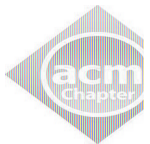
# September Event Planning

- Taylor Patti (Nvidia) speaking on “Quantum Computing”
- As of August 26<sup>th</sup>, we had 44 registrants
- What else do we need to do to promote this event?
- Taylor N. stepping in for AJ as Hospitality Chair for this september’s meeting



# Future Event Planning

- Updates on November speaker outreach
  - Jared (Thank you!)
    - Dr. Constance Steinkuehler
- November event promotion
- January speaker leads

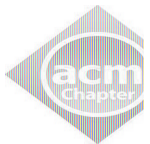


# Dr. Constance Steinkuehler - “Games as Social Platforms”

- Constance Steinkuehler is an American professor of Informatics at the University of California, Irvine. She previously taught at the University of Wisconsin-Madison before taking public service leave, from 2011-2012, to work as a Senior Policy Analyst in the Office of Science and Technology Policy (OSTP) at the White House Executive Office, where she advised on policy matters about video games and digital media.[1]

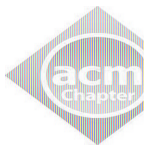
Steinkuehler studies cognition, culture, and learning in multiplayer online games. She is the co-director of the Games+Learning+Society Center at UC Irvine and teaches courses on games and society.[2]

- [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Constance\\_Steinkuehler](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Constance_Steinkuehler)



# ACM Annual Report

The 2025 Annual Report has been drafted and is nearly complete.



# Committee Business

Volunteer Updates

New/Other Business

