

## External Relations

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### Charge:

- Number 1** Identify, develop, and publicize in the *ATA Newsletter* and on the ATA website opportunities for faculty internships with the AICPA, IRS, accounting firms, and other organizations.
- Number 2** Explore opportunities for ATA members to work with IRS, Treasury, AICPA, ABA and other groups in (1) developing joint research topics, and (2) serving on committees, task forces and other working groups.
- Number 3** Work with the Tax Policy Oversight Committee in identifying and recommending ATA members to serve on AICPA Technical Resource panels, committees and task forces.
- Number 4** Explore ways that tax professionals can become more involved with the ATA.