

Solicitation for Hosts for 2019 Actuarial Research Conference (ARC)

We are seeking schools wishing to host the 54th ARC in 2019. Schools interested in applying should include a formal proposal that details the following:

1. Suggested dates, considering ARIA, ASA, IABA, and IME meetings, etc.
2. Location of conference, city, state/province, including accessibility by air and sample costs
 - a. Will the meeting be able to attract enough academic actuaries?
3. Facilities available for the conference (meetings and meals)
4. Budget, possible sponsors, and estimated registration fees
 - a. The SOA will be happy to help with registration, but web support will be necessary from your school.
5. Lodging options, including both inexpensive dorm-like residences and full-service hotels.
 - a. Provide cost estimates as well as availability of transportation (if needed) to the meeting sites
6. Attendance by faculty from institution at recent ARC meetings
7. Recent conferences of a similar nature hosted by applicant, if applicable, can show you can put on a good conference.

We encourage including the following items as part of the conference:

- Use of poster sessions as an add-on to the usual formal presentations
- Session(s) to address the professionalism requirement of continuing education
- Sessions to encourage the development of partnerships between industry and academics

Please submit your proposals to the E&R Section Council via Jane Lesch, jlesch@soa.org at the SOA.