

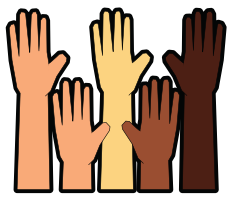


## AWARDS

Oversees award program which seeks to recognize exemplary contributions of researchers in the field of education for students with gifts and/or disabilities.  
Contact: David Houchins (dhouchins@gsu.edu)

## CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS

Informs the Executive Board about proposed amendments made to the constitution and bylaws; offers advice on additional changes which may be needed.  
Contact: Vice President



## DIVERSITY

Works to raise awareness and understandings about diversity through research.  
Contact: Tisa Aceves (taceves@lmu.edu)

## FINANCE & LONG-RANGE PLANNING

Plans and recommends strategies to improve the division's financial standing and capacities.  
Contact: David Lee (davidlee@psu.edu)



## GOVERNMENT RELATIONS & RESEARCH ADVOCACY

Provides recommendations to the Executive Board concerning relations with governmental entities involved in research on the education of students with gifts and/or disabilities.  
Contact: Betsy Talbott (ehtalbott@wm.edu)

## KNOWLEDGE UTILIZATION

Promotes accessibility and utilization of research knowledge concerning children, youth, and adults with disabilities, their families, and professionals who work with them.  
Contact: Sarah Powell (srpowell@austin.utexas.edu) and Jessica Toste (jrtoste@austin.utexas.edu)

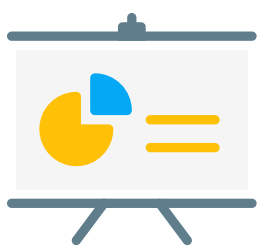
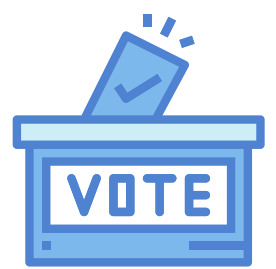


## MEMBERSHIP

Maintains an active record of membership, officers, and committee chairpersons while actively recruiting new members to join the division by highlighting membership benefits.  
Contact: Stephen Smith (swsmith@ufl.edu)

## NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS

Requests recommendations for Board Member nominations from division membership in accordance with each members term duration, nominates candidates, and holds electronic elections.  
Contact: Past President



## PROGRAM

Plans and reviews presentations and speakers for division program at the annual CEC convention.  
Contact: President Elect

## PUBLICATIONS AND MEDIA

Maintains division social media presence, publishes quarterly newsletters, provides research briefs, webinars, and reviews and updates publication structures of the division.  
Contact: Bree Jimenez (bree.jimenez@uta.edu)



## RESEARCH AND FAMILIES OF INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES

Plans and recommends strategies for individuals with disabilities and their families in the research and dissemination process while promoting ongoing communication with families and practitioners in the community.  
Contact: Shana Haines (shana.haines@uvm.edu)