

Appendix VIII: Expert Panel

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Questions for Expert Panel

PAWG Report

The Professional Anthropology Working Group (PAWG)'s goal is to provide the American Anthropological Association with recommendations for the development and provision of new services, benefits, and programs for both individual practitioner anthropologists and the organizations that employ them. We envision offerings that can be made in the short term as well as offerings that can be made over the long term. We hope to phase in more offerings over time. By short-term we are thinking of services, benefits, and programs that could be implemented relatively easily and quickly without a tremendous investment to see how well they work and how responsive members and organizations would be to them. Based upon these results, we would then try to institutionalize some as long-term benefits. Yet other offerings requiring a fairly major investment could be implemented over the long-term.

Please review the two attached reports before responding to the questions below. The first report is based on responses from individual practitioner anthropologists whom we interviewed in 2005. The second report is from a private sector organizational perspective as reported by anthropologists working in each organization when we conducted interviews this past spring.

Once you have reviewed the reports, please provide responses to the following questions.

1. Based on the list of services, benefits, and programs in the documents, are there any not included that you think should be on the list? If yes, please add them here:

2. Based on your additions to the services, benefits, and programs, (question 1 above) and a review of the two reports, how should the AAA prioritize services, benefits, or programs (including possible products or publications) for individual members?

a. Your top Three Short-term Priorities:

b. Your top Three Long-term Priorities:

Comments:

3. Based on your additions to the services, benefits, and programs (question 1 above) and a review of the two reports, how should the AAA prioritize services, benefits, or programs (including possible products or publications) for organizational members?

a. Your top Three Short-term Priorities:

b. Your top Three Long-term Priorities:

Comments:

4. Based on the supporting comments in the two reports, what existing AAA services, benefits, or programs should be improved or revamped?

5. If you have suggested some existing AAA services, benefits, or programs that should be improved, could you suggest ways that this might be accomplished? If possible, please include detailed advice on how the AAA might price or position this service/product to better articulate its value to the individual or organization.

6. Some items received a neutral response. Do you think any of these might be received more positively if the idea had been developed more fully? Please list these items, if any, along with suggestions for improving the offering.

7. Often people will respond positively to desiring a service or product but, when offered, that service or product fails. Based on the two reports, what services or products that received positive responses might not succeed if developed? Is there

anything that you would like to add or comment on that we have not asked you about?

8. Question for anthropologists employed by the government: In your opinion are there specific services that the AAA should provide to individuals who work for government or to government agencies themselves?

9. Question for archeologists: Are there specific services that the AAA should provide to archeology firms?10. Finally, are there specific, services, or benefits that in your line of work would be particularly important?

We very much appreciate your input.