

ASHI VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT



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What committee(s) do you serve on?
Proficiency Testing (PT)

How did you get started as a volunteer for ASHI?

I started as a DIT in 2019 and attended the ASHI Annual Meeting that year. At a new member reception, the volunteer committees had tables set up to learn about their work. I thought the PT Committee sounded interesting and would be a good learning opportunity, and the people were very friendly. I submitted my information, and then in 2021 I had the opportunity to begin serving as a reviewer.

How has volunteering for ASHI improved your professional development?

Preparing the PT reviews is a lot of work. I have been impressed by the dedication and organizational skills of the Program Directors and Chairs who you get to learn from. The teamwork of the whole committee to complete the reviews has been amazing. Also, you get to be a part of ongoing initiatives for improvement.

What is your most memorable volunteer moment? Most of my PT committee work has been over email and the phone with remote meetings. I find it great to then attend the meetings and see people in person.

Why do you think it is important for others to volunteer with ASHI?

Volunteering helps make our great society even better.