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APD President
2012-2014

Association of Professors of Dermatology

- Created in 1960 by the Board of Directors of the AAD with the approval of a proposal to form an Association of Teachers of Undergraduate Dermatology
- Is the premier professional organization for academic dermatology and education in the United States, Canada, and Puerto Rico
- Self-supported with no direct contributions from industry and focuses on the latest trends impacting academic dermatology

Mission of the APD

The mission of the APD is to advance dermatology through exceptional education, science and clinical care.

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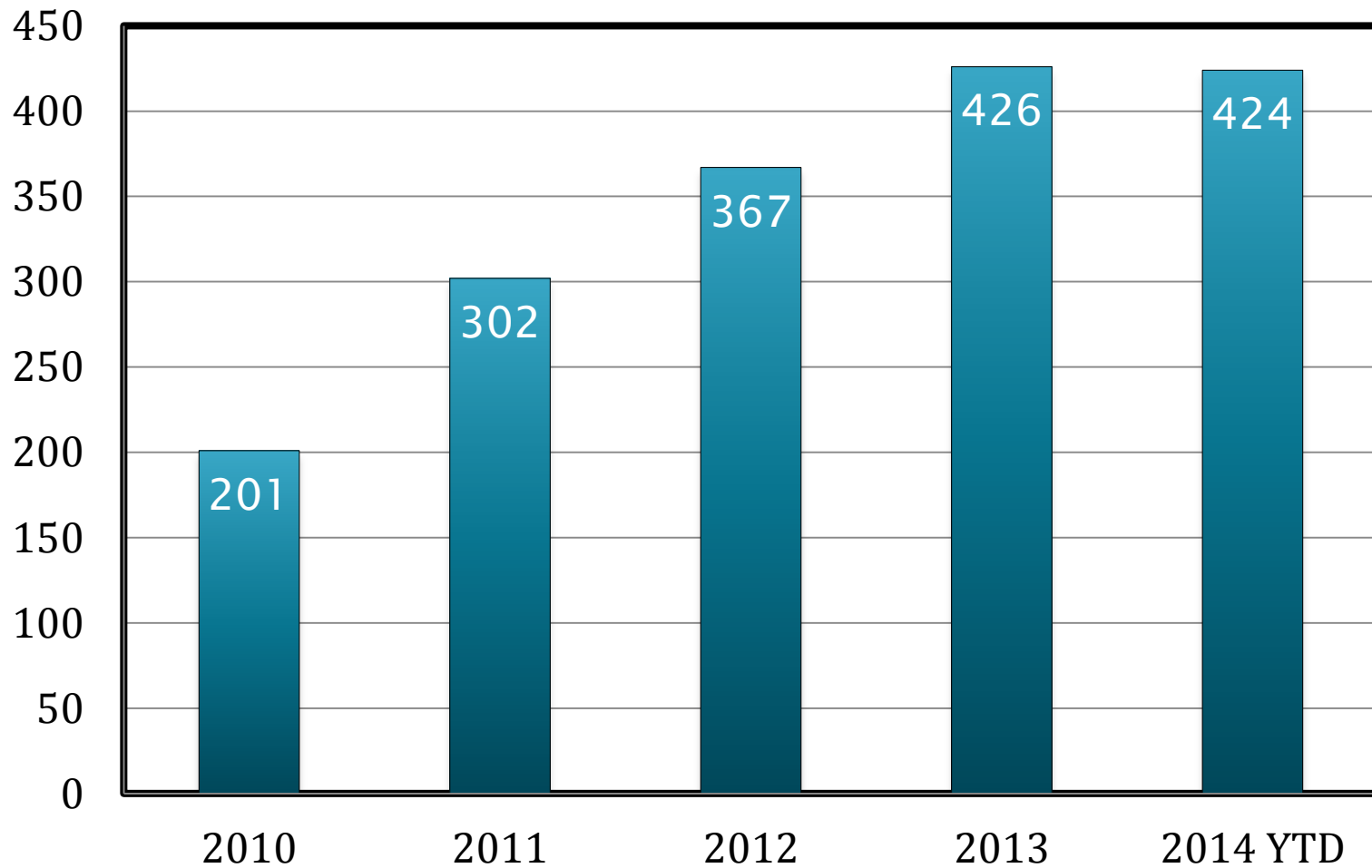
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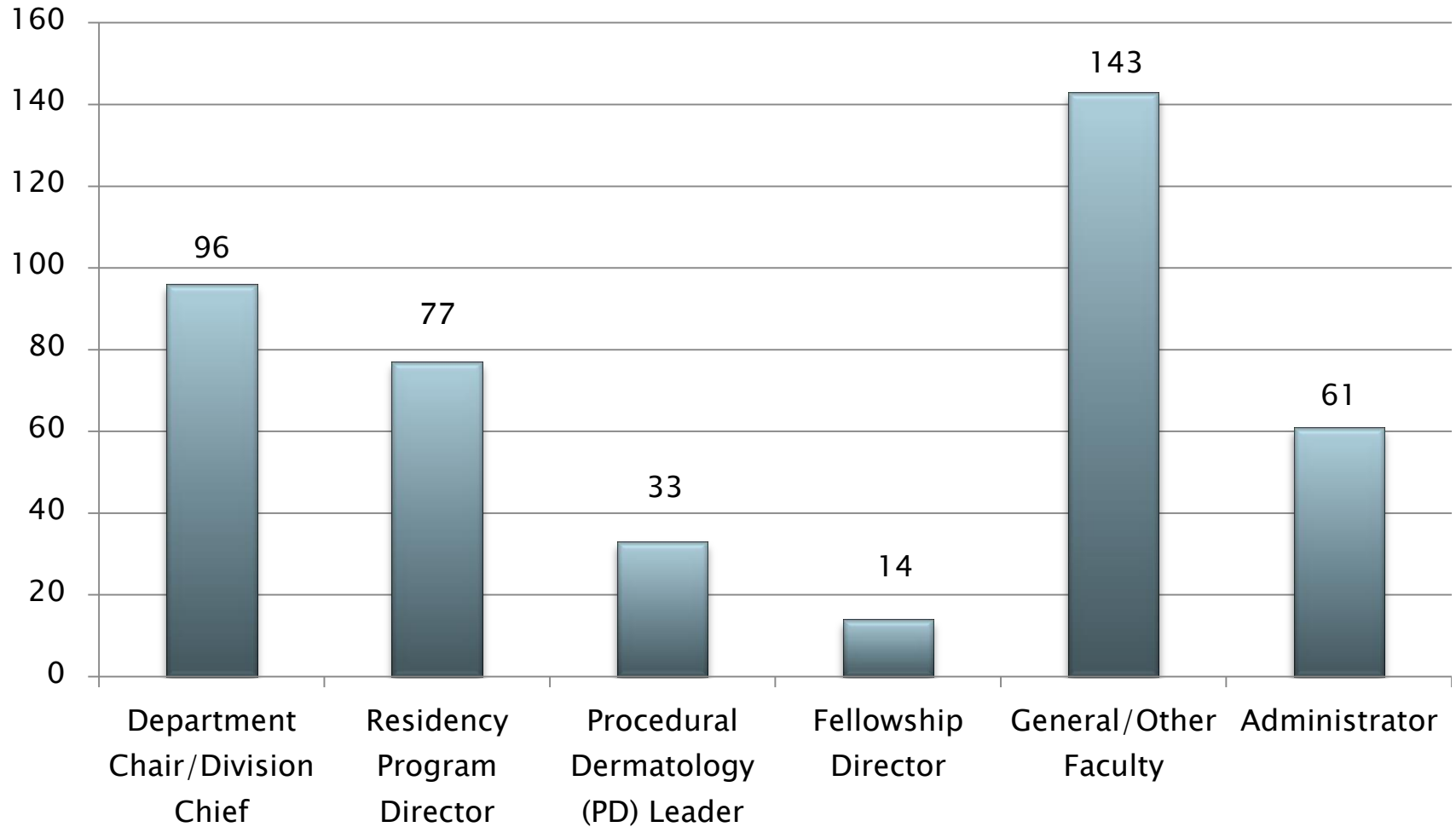
Membership

- Up until 2009, only the Chair and Program Director could be members
- After which the APD expanded its membership base so that more than two individuals could be members of the APD

ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSORS OF DERMATOLOGY MEMBERSHIP STATISTICS



ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSORS OF DERMATOLOGY 2014 MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY STATISTICS



APD MEMBERS: LEADERS IN CHANGING TIMES (CHANGE IS CONSTANT)

-whether it is adapting to NAS, GME funding for dermatology residency and fellowship positions, understanding the IOM report on GME, evaluations, technology, etc.

NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGE

- **The Listserve-**

- This is an ongoing email discussion group of the APD that was established in 2000 to promote year-round interaction between the members of the APD.

APD President and Board Initiatives – Transition, the Past Two Years and the Future

- **THE TRANSITION PERIOD –**

- **Kevin Cooper/Maria Hordinsky/Gary Wood Transition Period**

- Workgroups 1 (academic work force) and 2 (optimizing the APD in an era of health care reform) were sunsetted and selected members were integrated into existing liaison groups with the AAD, ACGME, RRC, etc.
- Workgroup 4 (fiscal related) became an ad-hoc committee (Long-Range Planning) to deal with issues such as finance, short & long term planning, etc.
- Workgroup 3 (communications) became a Standing Committee and at the 2013 AAD meeting, Dr. Eliot Mostow and Dr. Dan Loo accepted the co-chair positions for this Committee. ***Of note, the APD E-Newsletter was introduced in 2011 - not that long ago!***

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- Application to the American Medical Association Specialty and Service Society (AMA SSS) was started during the Cooper Presidency and was approved.
- This is the largest caucus in the AMA House of Delegates and is made up of over 130 associations. Dr. Christopher Shea accepted being the APD representative in 2013.

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- **THE PAST TWO YEARS –
Hordinsky/Diaz/Wood/Callen**

- Continued to Weave Academic Dermatology into Dermatology Meetings; for example
 - March 22, 2015 – Workshop W019, Developing the Next Generation of Academic Leaders
- Established a Measurement Task Force at the Board Level under the Leadership of Dr. Swerlick
- Changed the APD Constitution to allow for Electronic Election Voting

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 - Participated and contributed to AAD conversations focused on developing a position statement on Physician/Industry Interactions and with the ABD on MOC
 - Connected the APD resident representative to the ORR of the AAMC to the APD to be able to bring back to the APD the resident perspective from the AAMC
 - Expanded participation in International Academic Dermatology
 - Half day Session at the 2015 World Congress
 - Monday, June 8th, 2015 – 8:00 to 12:00 pm

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- Started to explore options for an Academic Dermatology Journal
 - On-line? Quarterly supplement to an established journal? Other?

Establishment of the Lowell A. Goldsmith Lectureship

- A primary focus of the past year
- An initiative led by incoming President, Dr. Luis Diaz

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WHAT IS THE ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSORS OF DERMATOLOGY (APD)?

- Recognized leadership organization of and voice for academic dermatology
- Vehicle for networking and communication amongst dermatology programs throughout North America

- Facilitating the exchange of information regarding best practice
- Excelling in programming aimed at the recruitment, retention, and mentorship of academic administration
- Serves as an important resource for current leaders and developing faculty who ultimately will be the future leaders of academic dermatology