



What to Expect as a Standard Codes Committee Member

The Role of the Committee

Committee members work together to develop and maintain codes for commercial and recreational Atlantic fisheries data. This includes clarifying code usage, eliminating reporting of outdated codes, addressing discrepancies across codes, and introducing new codes.

Chair: Eric Hiltz

Vice Chair: Connie Lewis

ACCSP Staff: Michael Opiekun

Your Involvement will likely include...

- Conference calls and email distributions as needed to review and discuss code changes.
- In-person meetings will be restricted to times when longer discussions are required.

Relevant Knowledge/Skills

- Knowledge of data collection and management at the partner level.
- Knowledge of and experience with data standardization.
- Knowledge of ACCSP codes and standards.
- In-depth experience with relevant module data for those members acting as liaisons to other technical committees.

Additional Resources

- [Atlantic Coast Data Collection Standards](#)
- [ACCSP Calendar](#)

More Information

Our program calendar, along with additional information resources, can be found on our website at www.accsp.org. If you are interested in learning more about the Standard Codes Committee's recent efforts, we suggest you glance through recent meeting minutes.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the assigned staff member, Michael Opiekun, at michael.opiekun@accsp.org.