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Campaign Statement

I have been a member of ASA for over 17 years now, spending years of that in the honourable role of chapter president. During these times, of course, I have gained an intimate insight into the organization’s mission, objectives, successes and challenges.

Our industry, our profession is not highly visible (or even recognizable) to those that are “on the outside”. One of my objectives is to elevate the reputation, but first, the recognition of the appraiser profession in general, and within that, the fine association of the American Society of Appraisers.

Secondly, while the adjective in our name self-limits us to one continent, for some, one (even if the world leader in many aspects) country, but the expertise of the appraisers that gain knowledge through our organization goes beyond this geographic scope. I know of only one other organization with a similar global recognition... yet, the expertise of the appraisal professionals designated by ASA are hardly recognized beyond what the name suggests. It is one of my main objectives to change that and give the ASA designation the global recognition it deserves.

Finally, the appraisal industry, like many others, struggle with the lack of succession. By promoting both the profession and the organization, I hope that we can attract a new influx of appraisal professionals, technology-savvy, data-driven, ambitious and motivated young people to follow our path.

Thank you.