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Note the Diversity of the backgrounds of the Advisory Committee members. To cover the diversity of the JINA programs.

Traditional nuclear astrophysics theorists and experimentalists, as well as theoretical and observational astrophysicists (optical and gamma-ray spectroscopy).

Note the appointment of a Committee member to specifically cover their Education and Public Outreach programs.

Note the rotation of the Committee's annual meetings among the three sites.

Note that from the start this Advisory Committee has been asked for *advice*. (The Committee is not just a group that the JINA PIs meet with in order to tell us what they are doing.)

Providing specific advice on issues such as:

- The addition of the SEGUE observational program under Tim Beers.
- The addition of a member to the committee to cover EPO.
- The philosophy of organizing JINA workshops and schools to cover specific topics and not just adding \$upport to someone else's big conference.
- And we have also certainly not hesitated to supply advice about the overall organization and “sub-organization” of JINA as it went through some early growing pains.

Finally, I would like to add that everyone on the Committee has commented at various times that this is an Advisory Committee that we enjoy being a part of - giving us a chance to talk about a broad range of exciting and interesting science, with a group of exciting and interesting people.