



## **MID-ATLANTIC REGIONAL PLANNING GROUP (RPG) SEEK A NEW MEMBER**

The Mid-Atlantic Regional Planning Group seeks one (1) new member for a two-year term beginning May 2008. The RPG is a volunteer body, which acts as the voice of the membership and serves as an advisory board to the Regional Office. The RPG charter provides most of the job description

<http://www.amnestyusa.org/events/mid-atlantic/marrpgcharter.pdf>. Our tradition in this region is to seek RPG members who have few other AIUSA volunteer leadership responsibilities, so RPG work can be their primary focus. Members need to spend several weekends (Fall leadership meeting, one all-day RPG organizing strategy meeting, the regional conference, your state leadership meeting, and on monthly conference calls (usually one to one and half hours) on RPG business. RPG members are also strongly encouraged to attend the Annual General Meeting. We are particularly looking for youth/student activist from the States of West Virginia in order to maintain geographical diversity of the group. Non-West Virginians AI student/youth members are encouraged to apply! If you have any questions, please email Kerry Kauffman ([kerryak31@hotmail.com](mailto:kerryak31@hotmail.com)) or Jonathan Cohen ([jonathanacohen@hotmail.com](mailto:jonathanacohen@hotmail.com)), the current co-chairs. Please apply by including the following information:

1. Why do you want to join the RPG and what qualities would you bring to the RPG work?
2. What is your AIUSA experience? What leadership roles have you held?
3. What other responsibilities (AI and non-AI) will you have in next two years? What gives you confidence that you will be able to meet your PG responsibilities in addition to these responsibilities?
4. What is the greatest challenge that faces AIUSA and/or the Mid-Atlantic Region? How would you help solve/address it?

**Please send all applications by April 17, 2008 to**  
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