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**MAIN RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Geography education, internationalization, professional geography, workforce development, graduate education, teacher professional development.

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**ACADEMIC CAREER**

Dr. Michael Solem is Educational Affairs Director for the Association of American Geographers. He currently serves as co-director of the National Center for Research in Geography Education and is Treasurer for the International Geographical Union's Commission on Geographical Education. Dr. Solem twice received the Journal of Geography in Higher Education's award for promoting excellence in teaching and learning for his research on faculty development and graduate education in geography.