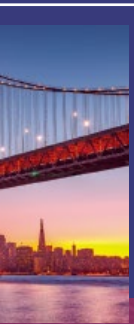
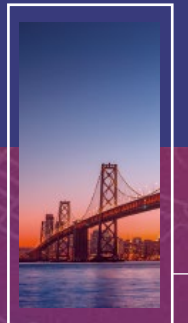


Bylaws Amendment



Addition of a Student Member Category

ARTICLE V Members

Section I. Classes of Members

There shall be Statutory and Non-Statutory Members. Statutory Member classes are Active and Research. Non-Statutory Member classes are Candidate, Clinical, Emeritus, Honorary, International, **Student**, and Trauma Practice Professional.

Student

a) Be currently enrolled in a Medical School accredited by: LCME (Liaison Committee on Medical Education), COCA (Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation) or CACMS (Committee on Accreditation of Canadian Medical Schools).

Student members will automatically be transitioned to Candidate membership with documentation of proof of residency



Clarification of Nominations Process

The following:

- (a) clarifies frequency (to state annually)
- (b) clarifies members may vote for “up to four” names, but if you vote for less than 4 your vote will not be disqualified.

Section II. Nominating Committee

~~The Nominating Committee shall consist of five (5) Statutory Members, four (4) of whom shall be nominated from the floor at an annual business meeting or through other means determined by the Board.~~ The Nominating Committee shall consist of five (5) Statutory Members, four (4) of whom shall be nominated from the floor at an annual business meeting or through other means determined by the Board. The Nominating Committee shall consist of five (5) Statutory Members, four (4) of whom shall be elected annually by the following process. The fifth (5th) member of the committee will be the Immediate Past President who shall serve as Nominating Committee Chair.

Election Process

1. At least four nominations for the Nominating Committee shall be accepted from Statutory Members at the annual autumn business meeting.
2. Voting for the Nominating Committee will be by electronic ballot distributed after the meeting. Members will be instructed to vote for **up to** four (4) names on the ballot; the top four (4) voted by members will comprise the elected members of the committee. In the event of a tie for fourth place, a runoff election will be held for that member.

