



RESEARCH COMMITTEE CHAIR

Term:

The chair serves a three (3) year term to begin and expire at the close of the Society's Annual Meeting.

Qualifications:

The Chair must be an Active or International MSTS member in good standing.

Preferred:

Previously served as a Research Committee member-at-large.

Chair Responsibilities:

1. Convenes conference calls or committee meetings as needed.
2. Reports committee actions and activities to the Executive Committee.
3. Reports committee actions and activities to the MSTS membership during business meetings and in Society newsletters.
4. Annually reviews Society's financials with the Executive Committee to determine if a research funding announcement (RFA) should be sent to the membership.
5. Oversees the creation of the RFA with the Research Committee.
6. Coordinates the sending of the RFA with the MSTS management team.
7. Convenes committee review of the research proposals received.
8. Reports research funding recommendation to the Executive Committee for approval.
9. Monitors Society's research projects and provides updates to membership.
10. Serve as Society's representative to the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons (AAOS) Board of Specialty Societies (BOS) and attend BOS committee meetings. Travel to these meetings is required.

Appointment:

Must complete the MSTS volunteer application. Applications are reviewed and selected for appointment by the Executive Committee.