AADPRT CFAS Representative Nomination Process

The Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC) Council of Faculty and Academic Societies (CFAS) that identifies critical issues facing medical school faculty and academic societies and serves as a voice for both constituencies within AAMC’s leadership and governance structures.

Every three years, an open call for nominations is issued (self-nominations encouraged) for AADPRT’s junior representative to CFAS. Important qualifications include:

- Understands the importance of this role and can commit to three years as the junior rep and an additional three years as the senior rep.
- Has a good understanding of how AADPRT functions (ideally, a former chair of a committee/caucus or a member of the Executive Committee).
- Can attend CFAS Meetings (AADPRT pays travel expenses to attend in-person meetings)
  - CFAS Spring Meeting (late March)
  - AAMC Annual Meeting (early November)
  - Monthly virtual CFAS meetings
- Has served fewer than 10 years of their first faculty appointment

The AADPRT Steering Committee reviews the nominations and selects the representative using the following rubric:

1. The applicant commits to the six-year timeline | Yes/No
2. The applicant commits to attending CFAS Meetings | Yes/No
3. The applicant has been actively involved in AADPRT (served on committees, etc.) | Five-point Likert scale (strongly disagree to strongly agree)