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To Chicago Trauma Community

The Chicago Committee on Trauma (CCOT), a collaborative group of academic surgeons that promotes advocacy, quality, and education, is currently seeking new members. As a CCOT member, you will receive a quarterly newsletter and schedules for local trauma courses (ATLS, ASSET, ATOM), and admission to the CCOT Annual Meeting and Annual Resident / Student Research Paper Competition. You will also have the ability to affect change within the local community by addressing concerns through the CCOT board during their quarterly meetings.

There are five membership classes: Active, ex-Officio, Advisory, Associate, and Physicians-in-Training. Please see the attached descriptions and membership dues requirements. If interested, please request a letter of support from an active CCOT member who will subsequently serve as your sponsor. A list of active members is available upon request. While achieving a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons (FACS) status is not a requirement, it is encouraged prior to your application's submission.

Please forward any membership questions via e-mail to:  
[dhampton2@surgery.bsd.uchicago.edu](mailto:dhampton2@surgery.bsd.uchicago.edu).

Thank you.

Respectfully,

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