



American Osteopathic College of
Anesthesiologists FELLOW Criteria Form

FAOCA Criteria

Becoming a Fellow of the American Osteopathic College of Anesthesiology is a celebrated honor in our specialty that recognizes an individual who has demonstrated a superior level of service to our college, significant leadership skills, is an educator, and serves the medical community with compassion.

The criteria required for all candidates include the following:

- AOCA active member in good status -Maintain active membership in the AOCA to maintain fellow status.
- Board certified by the AOBA/ABA -Curriculum vitae.
- Letter of nomination by an established Fellow of the AOCA.
- Fulfill point criteria, **35** total points, **23 points (two thirds)** must be in the category of service to the college.
- Application Fee: \$150.

Name of Fellow Candidate:

Sponsored by:

POINT CRITERIA Point			
SERVICE TO THE COLLEGE	Points Value	Value Maximum	Points Earned
Program Chair Meeting	30	2x	
Co-chair Meeting	15	2x	
Program Chair - Second Sundays	7	1x	
Co-chair - Second Sundays	5	1x	
Lecture at AOCA meeting	7	no limit, different topic	
Moderator/Speaker Introducer at AOCA Mtg	4	1x per year	
Moderator for Poster session at AOCA Mtg	5	1x per year	
Mentor (PI) for abstract/poster at AOCA Mtg	3	1x per year	
Scientific Display/Poster at AOCA Mtg	4	2x	
AOCA Standing Committee member	3	per committee	
AOCA Representative to outside group (AOA, ASA, State Osteopathic group)	3	2x	
AOCA Active Membership (1 point for every 2 years, should verify this with the AOCA office or list the years of membership)	1	No limit	
In-Person AOCA Meeting Attendance (3 points for every 5 meetings attended, should verify this with the AOCA office or list the years of membership)	3	1 time	
In-Person AOCA Meeting Attendance (5 points for every 10 meetings attended, should verify this with the AOCA office or list the meetings attended)	5	No limit	
AOBA Clinical Examiner	3	2x	
AOBA Oral Examiner	4	2x	
AOBA Member	3	1x	
AOCA Special Projects (AOCA website contributor, publicity, newsletter, new member initiatives, set up job fair, fundraising, etc. Should list what the activity is and have it verified by the AOCA office or on CV)	5 - 15	No limit	
PROFESSIONALISM AND LEADERSHIP			
National/State Organizations			
Member of Board of Trustees	3	1x	
Officer of State Organization	3	1x	
Committee Chair	3	1x	
Local Hospital			
Chief of Staff	3	1x	
Member of Board of Trustees	3	1x	
Chair Anesthesia Department	3	1x	
Section Head (peds, OB, CV, ICU)	3	1x	
Operating Room Coordinator (must be an actual position)	3	1x	
Residency/Fellowship Director	3	1x	
Committee Chair/Member (list committee name on CV)	1/ Committee	3x	
PUBLICATIONS/EDUCATION			
Author of Anesthesia Textbook/Chapter (list textbook and chapter in CV)	3	2x	
Anesthesia article in Journal (Index Medicus, list article and Journal in CV)	3	2x	
Anesthesia article in State/National Journal (list article and Journal in CV)	3	2x	
Abstract/Poster at other meeting (list in CV)	3	2x	

Lecture at National Specialty Meeting (ASA, SOAP, IARS)	3	3x	
Lecture at Local Specialty Meeting (societies, hospitals, etc)	3	3x	
Further Education (MBA, MPH, board cert) in Another Area of Medicine	4	1x each degree	
Completed Fellowship plus ACGME exam	4	1x per fellowship	
Completed Fellowship no ACGME exam	3	1x per fellowship	
Teaching/mentoring (residents, med students)	5	1x	
Editor for Medical Publications	3	1x each article	
HUMANISM/AWARDS			
Recognition for Military Service	5	1x	
Medical Missions Work	5	3x	
Awards (Arnold Gold, Tim Ernst, Teaching, Distinguished Service)	3	1x each award	