

**Special Interest Group (Transitioning to Community)**

**Potential Candidate Form – NEW CANDIDATE**

**INSTRUCTIONS:** The APTA Orthopedics **Special Interest Group (transitioning to Communities) Nominating Committees** are seeking recommendations for the **2025 SIG Slate of Candidates**. If you have been recommended for SIG office and have consented to serve, or if you wish to nominate yourself, please complete this form. Type your answers and email them, along with the requested materials listed at the bottom of this form to tfred@orthopt.org on or before **September 26, 2025**. This information will only be viewed by the applicable SIG’s Nominating Committee in an effort to assist them in getting to know potential candidates better. Please keep your responses brief. If you have any questions, please contact tfred@orthopt.org.

# Deadline for submission: September 26, 2025.

**Special Interest Group:**

 FASIG

 OHSIG

 Pain SIG

 PASIG

**Potential Candidate Name AND credentials:**

**Position within the SIG:**

1. Why do you want to serve in the role for which you have consented?
2. What experience, talents, and skills would you bring to the role for which you have consented?
3. When you are part of a group or team, what are your strategies to help the team build consensus on a decision that cannot be agreed upon? Please provide an example below.
4. The APTA Orthopedics and SIGs are committed to supporting and following APTA’s Strategic Plan to foster professional sustainability “by making APTA an inclusive organization that reflects the diversity of the society the profession serves.” Please share how your work with the APTA Orthopedics SIGs would support this objective.

**Include with this form:**

* **Photo:** Please include an electronic photo of yourself. This photo will be placed on the slate of candidates if you are slated.
* **Resume:** Please include a resume/CV as a separate document.