



### **For Sponsors of Membership Applications**

- 1) Only Active Members may propose candidates for membership as primary sponsors.
  - 2) Each Active Member may act as a primary sponsor for one (1) candidate (Active, International or Junior member) and/or a secondary sponsor for two (2) candidates (Active, International or Junior member) each year.
  - 3) No Active Member may propose or second the application of a candidate, who at the time of application, is affiliated with the sponsoring member's primary hospital or orthopaedic program, except for Junior membership application.
  - 4) Each candidate for membership must be proposed for membership by one Active Member and seconded for membership by another Active or International Member.
  - 5) Completed sponsoring documents for membership must be submitted to the secretary of the Society, no later than by the application deadline communicated.
  - 6) The Executive Board shall evaluate the candidates for membership. Only applications meeting the standards of points 1-5 above, no later than by the application deadline communicated, will be considered (otherwise the application will be returned to the applicant).
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