



APTA KS STUDENT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE APPLICATION

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in furthering your involvement within the APTA and APTA KS. To be selected as a Student Council Representative is a great honor and is an excellent opportunity to be an active and engaged member in the advancement of our profession! To serve as a Student Council Representative is to be a champion of physical therapy for all physical therapist and physical therapist assistant students serving as the connection between students and clinicians, APTA KS, and APTA. You will serve as the student who relays opportunities to students that allows them to Get Informed, Find Their Interests, and Get Involved!

To apply to be a Student Council Representative, the student must be in good academic good standing with their academic program, be a member of APTA, possess strong leadership and organizational skills, and have a passion for the advancement of the physical therapy profession. Briefly listed below are some of the criteria, roles and responsibilities associated with the Student Council Representative position. Please note: this is not a complete list.

- Attend APTA KS and APTA KS SSIG Board Meetings
- Attend virtual quarterly meetings (January, April, July & November) with the entire APTA National Student Council
- Attend APTA Leadership Congress
- Assist the APTA KS Chapter in identifying a faculty and student contact for each PT and PTA program within your state
- Receive and forward emails from the APTA, APTA National Student Council, APTA KS and APTA KS SSIG Board Directors to faculty and student contacts at each academic PT and PTA program in their state within 72 hours of receipt
- Complete 1-3 APTA projects and/or presentations
- Organize and participate in 1 Advocacy project
- May not hold an APTA KS SSIG Board position at the same time as the Student Council Representative

The collaboration between students and professionals is vital to the continued advancement of our profession. Successful collaboration is heavily dependent on the Student Council Representative remaining motivated and an active member of APTA KS and APTA KS SSIG. We need YOU!

Applications are due to Keanna Gross at aptaksstudentcouncilrep@gmail.com by 5pm on February 1, 2024. Good luck!

Best,

Keanna Gross
APTA KS Membership Chair



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CONTACT INFORMATION

Name		Academic Program	
Cell Phone		Graduation Date	
		Email Address	

PREVIOUS INVOLVEMENT AND LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Please list your previous APTA, APTA KS, or other organizational involvement and leadership experience below. Provide 1-3 major accomplishments in each position held.

PROFESSIONAL ASPIRATIONS

Please describe your professional aspirations.

IMPORTANCE OF MEMBERSHIP

In 250 words or less, explain why you feel it is important to be an active member of APTA.

STATEMENT OF INTENT

In 350 words or less, explain why you should be selected to be the APTA KS Student Council Representative. Include your reasons or motivations for your desire to be the APTA KS Student Council Representative.

DEADLINE & SUBMISSION INFORMATION

Please submit your application to APTA KS Membership Chair, Keanna Gross, by 5pm on February 1, 2024. Thank you for completing the application and for your interest in staying involved within the APTA.

I certify that the information I have provided on this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. If so, please sign below.

Name

Date