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Dear Associate Membership Council Leadership,

Please accept my letter of interest for the Vice Chair position on the Associate Member Council. I am currently serving as the Scholarship, Awards, and Development Councilor and have been in this position for the past 3 years. During this time, I have helped to promote numerous fundraisers to support the AAST Research and Education Fund Committee including the Gun Violence Prevention Campaign and the AAST Annual Calendar. My committee also launched a Fellowship Fair this year, which is a new fundraiser that I took a large part in helping to organize and solicit for. I am pleased to say that these efforts have been successful and have been met with a lot of interest from trauma centers throughout the country.

Perhaps more importantly, my time as the SAD Councilor has given me appreciation and insight into the Associate Membership. I hope to be able to continue to mold and shape the organization into something that all Associate Members will be proud to be a part of (and hopefully in turn, participate in). Specifically, I would like to assist in the continued development of our committees in order to ensure that they are accessible to as many members as possible. Furthermore, I would also like to continue to promote the successes and contributions of all of our members to continue to make our organization as inclusive as possible.

I believe I am qualified for this position as I am very efficient, organized, and reliable. I attack each project with motivation and see things through to completion. My experience as a Councilor on the AMC has taught me the inner workings of both the Associate Membership and the AAST as a whole and I feel confident that I can continue to contribute in a meaningful way. I am selected for this role, I will do my best to continue to make positive and contributions to the Associate Member Council. Thank you for your consideration.

Best,

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