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Register for the **TRISC Annual Meeting!**

This year's meeting will once again be held **virtually over Zoom**.

Date: April 19th, 2023

Time: 09:30-12:30 MDT

(08:30-11:30 PDT, 11:30-14:30 EDT, 12:30-15:30 ADT)

The TRISC Annual Meeting is part of the pre-conference activities held in conjunction with the **Trauma Association of Canada's Scientific Meeting and Conference**. Our meeting will include networking opportunities, rapid fire presentations and a case study discussion. Final agenda and case study details will only be sent to registrants, so make sure to register early to allow for enough time to review.

This year's annual meeting is **free for TRISC members**—there is no non-member option, however **we welcome new and returning TRISC members**!

Please see membership information below.

Call for Rapid Fire abstract submissions — Do you have a project or information you would like to share with colleagues? Past presentations have included topics such as: AIS Certification, Quality Indicators/Initiatives, Injury Matrix Design and Development, and Interrater Reliability — if you're working on it, we'd love to hear about it!

Abstract submission deadline is **March 17th, 2023.**

TAC Memberships

The TAC Board of Directors voted in favour of **reducing the annual membership cost** for Data Registry/Health Information Specialists to **$75/year** (plus applicable taxes). This will be available to current members upon renewal and to new members.

In order to **take advantage** of this reduced rate, please ensure you select "*Non Medical Professional*" as your Membership Type, and either "*Data Registry Specialist*" or "*Health Information Management*" as your Non Medical Professional option.

Stay up to date on all things TRISC by selecting "*TRISC*" or "*Combined ITNC and TRISC*" for your Optional Membership Sub-Committee. Also note, the optional sub-committee selections can be updated on any existing membership by updating your account profile.

Please share this with anyone in your network who you think may be interested in **joining TRISC**!

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Document Updates

This month the TAC Board of Directors approved updates to the **TRISC Terms of Reference (TOR)** and **Nominations Process for TRISC Executive Policy**.

Call for Interest—Join the TRISC Executive

We have an **opening on the TRISC Executive** for the remainder of the current term (2023-2024).

TRISC Executive members must be **current TAC members**. If you are interested in joining the executive, please send an email to:

TRISCexec@traumacanada.org

TRISC Involvement in Multi-Centre Rounds

The TRISC executive recently presented a proposal to the TAC BOD to **include a registry representative in the monthly rounds**. The board has agreed to pilot this in the near future—watch for details!

If your site is presenting soon, **consider getting involved**!

For example, provide a brief discussion of the case from the registry perspective on points such as:

- **ISS**
- **Top injuries** / AIS scores factoring into the ISS
- Any **challenges in coding** (injuries, external cause, comorbidities, complications etc)
- Any **challenges in data abstraction**
- How these **challenges were overcome**

If you have any questions or suggestions, please reach out to:

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