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Dear Dr. Ayyaz Sheikh:

On behalf of the Officers, Regents, Executive Committee of the Board of Governors, and the Executive Director of the American College of Surgeons (ACS), it is our pleasure to inform you that you have been elected to the Board of Governors as the Governor-at-Large (GAL) representing the Fellows in the Pakistan Chapter. Your appointment was made official by the Fellows at the Annual Business Meeting of Members on October 7, 2020 for an initial three-year term ending at the conclusion of the 2023 Clinical Congress.

As a Governor-at-Large, you serve as a direct communications link between the Fellows of the College and the members of the Board of Governors. Below is a list of the primary duties of a Governor.

Board of Governor Duties

- Provide bi-directional communication between the Board of Governors and your constituents
- Actively participate in a Board of Governors Workgroup
- Participate (in-person or virtually) in the Board of Governors meetings, Convocation, and the Annual Meeting of Members at the Clinical Congress (October 23-28, 2021 in Washington, DC)
- Complete Annual Survey
- Attend Chapter meetings
- Provide reports to your Chapter
- Interview international applicants who want to become ACS Fellows
- Promote ACS Fellowship in your Country
- Welcome and engage new Fellows from your area into the ACS
- Be an active participant in the Board of Governors online community site



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Onboarding

In November the Executive Committee will host an orientation webinar (details to be sent soon). We strongly encourage you to participate to maximize your experience.

We want to make your term as an ACS Governor a rewarding and beneficial experience. If there is anything, we can do to make your term even more productive, please let us know.

Sincerely,

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