



NCPTA CANDIDATE BIOGRAPHICAL DATA FORM

Please complete the following information

E-mail form as an attachment to nomcom@ncpt.org

Deadline: August 13, 2018

CANDIDATE NAME: William Clifford Stokes, PT, DPT

NCPTA Position: CHAPTER DELEGATE

Previous NCPTA/APTA Involvement and Relevant Experiences:

Involvement as a Clinician:

- APTA Board of Directors Leadership Development Committee Member
 - Chair for Strategic Communication
- Academy of Orthopedic Physical Therapy Public Relations Committee Member
- NCPTA Spinal Manipulation Task Force Member
- NCPTA Inaugural Student Conclave Ignite Speaker
- Academy of Orthopaedic Physical Therapy Member
- American Academy of Sports Physical Therapy Member
- Federal Physical Therapy Section Member
- Health, Policy & Administration Section Member
- Amputee Rehabilitation Special Interest Group Member
- Tactical Athlete Special Interest Group Member
- NCPTA Orthopaedic Special Interest Group Member

Involvement as a Student:

- Co-Founder of NCPTA Community Outreach Challenge
- North Carolina Student Assembly Core Ambassador
- NCPTA FunFitness Special Olympics Volunteer
- APTA Student Assembly Community Outreach Project Committee Member
 - Chair for NSC Offsite Service Events
- APTA Student Brand Champion
- NCPTA Outstanding PT Student Award Recipient

Reason(s) for Pursuing This Position (*100 words or less*):

The North Carolina Chapter has been a strong voice in the APTA House of Delegates for many years. Our association is continuously striving to develop innovative legislative bills and modernize established practices for the betterment of our patients and profession. I am pursuing this position to complement the voice of our profession and continue the tradition of excellence in advocacy in North Carolina. This requires the benefit of a contemporary voice with traditional views to progress our chapter forward. I believe my leadership and passion will serve our delegation well in continuing that tradition for our patients and professional association.

What Contributions to the Position Will You Make (*200 words or less*):

Throughout my professional career, I have remained steadfast in my passion for professional service. I believe my leadership and experiences will be beneficial contributions to our delegation. As a member of the North Carolina delegation, I will effectively convey the voices and opinions of our profession on our national stage. As a team, we will work together to bring forth the appropriate motions or objections to advocate for our patients and chapter. We will emphasize our experiences and passion to provide a diverse and contemporary voice to the APTA House of Delegates. We will communicate with our leadership on the status of our efforts and our chapter on the results of our motions.

As a young professional, I will complement my more experienced fellow delegates to provide an effective work force on behalf of the North Carolina chapter. Having been involved in our chapter for several years, I have seen firsthand the hard work our delegation has produced at the House of Delegates and the great results they have yielded. I will bring a reinvigorated energy to our delegation, and provide another strong voice and contagious passion to the APTA House of Delegates on behalf of our patients and chapter.

Thank you for your interest.

NCPTA Nominating Committee