

# ANESTHESIOLOGY POLICY RESEARCH ROTATION IN POLITICAL AFFAIRS

ASA® Advocacy Division — Washington, D.C.

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- Applications are accepted December 15 – March 15 for the following academic year, which runs July – June.
- CA-2 and CA-3 residents are invited to apply, with CA-3 residents in their last 3 months of residency requiring special ABA approval. Fellows are also accepted at discretion of their program.
- All applications must be submitted via e-mail by March 15 and must include all necessary documentation, including a letter of approval from your program director.
- Applications received after the deadline will not be considered.
- All rotations are held when Congress is actively in session – typically February, March, May, June and September.

**Applications and inquiries can be directed to:**

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The **Anesthesiology Policy Research Rotation in Political Affairs** is a four-week rotation in the ASA Advocacy Office located in Washington, D.C. designed to allow resident physicians to experience the political, legislative, and regulatory factors that affect the delivery of patient care.

Residents will participate in day-to-day activities of the ASA Advocacy Division, attend political events, create specific research projects and explore and report on new law and policy changes affecting the profession of anesthesiology.

An ideal applicant will have involvement in their state component society and/or ASA Resident Component, ASAPAC, ASA Grassroots Network, and have demonstrated interest in ASA legislative and regulatory priorities. They will also exhibit effective verbal and written communication and analytical skills, highly-developed interpersonal skills, an affinity for networking, demonstrated leadership skills and the ability to work in a team setting.

*\*This rotation has been approved by the  
American Board of Anesthesiologists (ABA) for credit for residency education\**