

Meeting Summary
Medical Student Section Governing Council
Thursday, July 16, 2026
7:30 to 8:30 PM (Central Time)

- 7:30 PM Adoption of June GC 2026 Meeting Minutes / GRAF Introduction
- The Governing Council approved the previous meeting minutes.
 - GRAF leadership welcomed members and provided opening remarks.
- 7:35 PM GRAF Update
- GRAF provided updates on current advocacy efforts.
 - Members received an overview of recent organizational initiatives.
 - Leadership shared updates on newly approved advocacy priorities.
- 7:40 PM Staff Update
- Staff shared updates on section activities.
 - Presenters for the meeting were introduced.
 - Members were informed of Board liaison absences.
- 7:45 PM Medical Student Outreach Program Update
- The Medical Student Outreach Program shared updates on current initiatives.
 - Members discussed strategies to support outreach and engagement.
 - Program priorities for the coming year were reviewed.
- 7:55 PM Update on USMLE Changes
- Leadership shared updates on recent developments affecting medical students.
 - Members discussed community feedback and student concerns.
 - Ongoing advocacy and engagement efforts were reviewed.
- 8:15 PM Board of Trustees Update
- Board leadership shared updates on current advocacy efforts.
 - Members received an overview of ongoing policy initiatives.
 - Opportunities for member engagement and advocacy were highlighted.
- 8:20 PM MSS Advocacy Priorities
- Members discussed current advocacy priorities and next steps for gathering student feedback related to recent policy developments and educational concerns.
- 8:30 PM Adjourn