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To whom it may concern:

This letter is to express my interest in serving as a Member-at-Large for the Ohio chapter of SCCM in this 2023 application cycle.

I am currently an Assistant Professor of Anesthesiology at the University of Cincinnati, where I work as an Intensivist and Anesthesiologist and serve as the Associate Program Director for our Critical Care Medicine Fellowship. I am also the Director of Thoracic Anesthesiology for all of the UC Health system. I have lived in Ohio my whole life and trained at two large academic medical centers here in Ohio--UC and The Ohio State University. I work regularly providing care for a broad set of critically ill surgical and medical patients in our institution's Cardiovascular ICU, Burn ICU/Special Care Unit, and ENT ICU/Special Care Unit.

My goal in becoming more involved in SCCM is to further advance Critical Care Medicine in the state of Ohio, improve training opportunities for growing clinicians, and to make care better for our patients throughout the state. We have much to offer in terms of health care availability, expertise, and access in the state of Ohio. Working together, critical care clinicians in Ohio can expand this quality and advanced care to those patients who need it most.

Please see my attached CV, and I hope you consider me for this position.

Respectfully,

Joshua Trester, MD

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