# Governance Structure

## Board of Directors
- **President**
  - Timothy Musch, PhD, FAPS, FACSM
- **President-elect**
  - Robert L. Hester, PhD, FAPS
- **Past President**
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  - Paul Welling, MD
- **Chief Executive Officer**
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### Committees
- **Finance and Audit Committee**
  - Chair: Robert Hester, PhD, FAPS
- **Leadership Development Committee**
- **Section Advisory Committee**

## Organizing Team

### Advisory Council
- **Chair**
  - Robert Hester, PhD, FAPS

### Standing Committees
- **Finance Committee**
  - Chair: Paul Welling, MD
  - Staff Liaison: Julie Fortenbery, RPA
- **Section Advisory Committee**
  - Chair: Vacant
  - Staff Liaison: Scarletta Whitsett
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  - Chair: Paul Welling, MD
  - Staff Liaison: Julie Fortenbery, CPA
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  - Chair: Vinicia Campana-Khoury, PhD
  - Staff Liaison: Sandra Spadoni, CAE
- **Physiologists in Industry Committee**
  - Chair: Michelle King, PhD
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- **Program Working Group**
  - Chair: Kirsteen Browning, PhD
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- **Publications Committee**
  - Chair: Wolfgang Kuebler, MD, FAPS
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  - Chair: Daniel Mische, PhD
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- **Trainee Advisory Committee**
  - Chair: Vacant
  - Staff Liaison: Brooke Bruthers
- **Women in Physiology Committee**
  - Chair: Andrea Flake, PhD
  - Staff Liaison: Brooke Bruthers

### Section Steering Committees
- **Respiration Section**
  - Chair: Christopher Waters, PhD, FAPS
- **Teaching of Physiology Section**
  - Chair: Alice Villalobos, PhD
- **Water & Electrolyte Homeostasis Section**
  - Chair: Meena Madhur, MD, PhD
- **Gastrointestinal & Liver Section**
  - Chair: Karen Estabrook, PhD
- **Neural Control & Autonomic Regulation Section**
  - Chair: Paul Marvar, PhD
- **Renal Section**
  - Chair: Robert Fenton, PhD
- **Respiration Section**
  - Chair: Christopher Waters, PhD, FAPS
- **Teaching of Physiology Section**
  - Chair: Alice Villalobos, PhD
- **Endocrinology & Metabolism Section**
  - Chair: Ley Yanes Cardozo, MD
- **Environmental & Exercise Section**
  - Chair: Tracy Baynard, PhD, FAPS
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### Interest Group Steering Committees
- **Epithelial Transport Interest Group**
  - Chair: Sandra Spadoni, CAE
- **History of Physiology Interest Group**
  - Chair: Vacant
- **Muscle Biology Interest Group**
  - Chair: Joseph Birozika, PhD
- **Nutrition Physiology Research Interest Group**
  - Chair: Chad Paton, PhD
- **Physiological -Omics Interest Group**
  - Chair: Tzongshi Lu, PhD
- **Sex/Gender Research Interest Group**
  - Chair: Vacant
- **Translational Physiology Interest Group**
  - Chair: Julie Freed, MD, PhD