“How Do I Get Involved?
AST Professional Involvement

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Panel Agenda

- Part I
  - Introduction and background of Panel Guests

- Part II
  - Past and current AST involvement
  - Qualifying Attributes
  - Specific duties of each of the committees

- Part III
  - Advise for pursuing involvement
  - Steps to become involved
Discussion Objectives

- Discuss benefits and skills that can be acquired while volunteering on committee(s)
- Explain the roles of each of the committees discussed
- Discuss how professional involvement can grow and advance skills and confidence
- Explain how previous experience can help prepare for future positions
Panel, please introduce yourselves. Please give us your name, your job title, and other AST titles you may service.
What first sparked your interest in becoming involved with the profession?
Part 2: Qualifying Attributes

Can you tell us a little bit about your current AST position and what attributes you possess that you feel helped qualify you for the position?
Part 2: Origin of Inspiration

What (or who) inspired you to achieve this position?
Part II: Previous Involvement

What committees have you served on in the past? (Please contribute how many years of scrub experience, education, committee work you have served, or other affiliated contributions)
Part 2: Specific Duties

- In your current role, what are some of the specific job duties you are responsible for?
Part II: Recommended skills

- What are some recommended skills you feel a person may need to be successful in this role?
Part 3: Advise on getting involved

- What advice would you give to other people interested in getting more involved with the profession?
Where to find professional contacts!

Step 1: Login to ast.org
Step II: To Find your State Assembly Contacts, click on the State Assembly Chevron and ‘Connect with your State’
Step II Continued: Next click the Chevron to choose your state
Step III: How to learn about our AST Board and Committees. Once again, from the home screen, select ‘About’ and use chevron to open options ‘Elected Offices’
Step III Continued

Use the ‘Elected Offices’ screen to learn more about each position or apply for office.