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# Exploring a 2-year Presidency Pilot project

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# 2-year Presidency

## The Rationale

- Enhanced continuity locally and nationally
- Reflections on one-year Presidency
  - Term is over just as fully grasp/understand issues
- Aligned with other Chapters

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## The Process

- Discussions at MCFP Board
  - Retreat January 2018
- Discussions at CFPC meetings
- Discussions with CFPC
  - Teleconference with Sarah Scott for specific guidance

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# 2-year Presidency

## The Pros

- Enhanced continuity for President both locally and nationally
- Increased grasp of issues
- Increased effectiveness
- Increased visibility and credibility
- Opportunity for strategic selection to Executive
- Aligned with concept of skills-based Board/Executive
- Opportunity for shorter time commitments
- Could increase member engagement/interest in Board
- Longer time on Exec increases opportunity for personal professional development

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# 2-year Presidency

## The Cons

- Loss of clear “chain” once on Board
- Longer time commitment if do Executive
- Potential for decrease in interest
- May be some years don’t need any Member at Large
- Impact on member engagement
- Logistically tricky transition from current to future state



# 2-year Presidency

## Current State

- Past-President (1 year)
- President (1 year)
- President-Elect (1 year)
- Treasurer (1 year)
- Secretary (1 year)
- Urban MAL (2 years)      Rural MAL (2 years)
- Positions ex-officio: FFYP, IMG, UM DFM, DocsMB, student, resident

# 2-year Presidency

## Future proposed state

- subject to change based on findings of pilot
- Past-President (every other year – alt with Pres-Elect)
  - President (2 year term)
  - President-Elect (alt years with Past President)
    - Secretary/Treasurer (2 years)
    - Urban and Rural MAL (2 year, renew?)
  - FFYP and IMG (min 2 years – chosen by group)
  - Any of the bottom row of Board Directors can be considered for Secretary/Treasurer
- Ex-officio positions: students, resident, Docs MB, UM