Position Description
AiArthritis Board of Directors
December 2022

Organization Description

Mission Statement. We are leaders in advancing education, advocacy, and research for those impacted by autoimmune and autoinflammatory arthritis (AiArthritis) diseases through peer-led guidance, collaboration, and resources that are driven by patient-identified issues and patient-infused solutions.

Patient-led approach. No one can identify what a patient needs most more than those personally impacted by the diseases. So, we find a variety of ways to invite patient voices ‘to the table’ to ensure we are addressing issues that matter most to them and to give them opportunities to be as involved in our programs as possible. In turn, our community can take pride in knowing they helped develop the programs and resources that ultimately can improve their lives and the lives of 450 million people worldwide!

Global Network philosophy. We collaborate with other organizations, health professionals, and other groups as necessary to make sure the work we do creates the most impact.

AiArthritis is a fully virtual organization headquartered in St. Louis, MO serving an international community.

Please visit our website www.aiarthritis.org for more information.

2023 Board of Directors
To best improve on our strategic plans for the next few years, we are seeking applicants with skills and experience in the following areas:
- Human Resources (HR)
- Social Media Marketing/Business Development
- Researcher (PhD) leading patient-included rheumatology research projects (this person cannot be a practicing doctor of medicine)
- Fundraising/Events

This is a non-compensatory, volunteer role.

Responsibilities

Time Commitment

- Approximately 1-2 hours a month (including quarterly, 90 minute online meetings) to advise on or donate skills to our projects and programs
- One annual online social meeting to get to know staff

Other Responsibilities

- Leverage connections, networks, and resources to help fundraise and meet organizational goals to advance the mission
- Voting on important organization decisions impacting any number of actions and resolutions, such as strategic planning matters, approving a budget, approving committee chairs, approving executive compensation and other necessary matters

Term

Board members serve a minimum of 2 years, but may remain members of the Board thereafter if no other member objects to their continued participation.

To Apply

Interested candidates should submit a resume and cover letter to Tiffany Westrich-Robertson, CEO & Co-founder at Tiffany@AiArthritis.org. Please specify your area of expertise and reasons for interest in a Board position with AiArthritis.