World Federation of Athletic Training & Therapy Strategic Planning Meeting Dallas, Texas January 22-23, 2016

<u>Vision</u>

Athletic Training & Therapy will be recognized as an essential part of multidisciplinary healthcare teams worldwide

<u>Mission</u>

The WFATT provides leadership to advance the international interests of its members for the common goal of optimal health care for physically active populations.

<u>Strategic Goals</u>

- 1. Enhance our international contribution to the optimal health care of physically active populations
 - 1.1. Lobby international organizations to promote awareness of WFATT and its member organizations
 - 1.2. Grow membership 1.2.1. Increase the number of members in each category to extend our reach
 - and contact
 - 1.3. Develop and support our emerging markets
 - 1.4. Engage our membership to promote the profession and WFATT within their jurisdictions
- 2. Provide leadership and expertise to advance education
 - 2.1. Implement the education program guidelines
 - 2.1.1. Finalize, ratify and implement the process
 - 2.1.2. Generate whitepapers and marketing materials
 - 2.1.3. Identify and recruit candidate programs
 - 2.1.4. Promote participation in the Mutual Recognition Agreement process

- 2.2. Continue to offer a World Congress
 - 2.2.1. Create a World Congress committee
 - 2.2.2. Participate in the creation of the theme and content for the congress
 - 2.2.3. Assist with networking regarding speakers
 - 2.2.4. Investigate financial partners and affiliates to enhance revenue generation
 - 2.2.5. Engage the media to deliver the theme of the congress, and to promote WFATT and the host organization
- 2.3. Establish effective use of electronic and social media to exchange information among members
- 2.4. Facilitate collaboration and dissemination of research
- 2.5. Facilitate faculty and student exchange programs
- 3. Develop a representative governance structure that engages our members
 - 3.1. Conduct a Bylaws review
 - 3.2. Assess membership categories as they relate to voting privileges
 - 3.3. Conduct a needs analysis and appropriately revise organizational structure and tasks
 - 3.4. Explore leadership development programs
- 4. Develop a sustainable funding model
 - 4.1. Review and make appropriate changes to membership categories and fees
 - 4.2. Grow membership to increase the revenue base
 - 4.3. Investigate and pursue external funding
 - 4.4. Generate clear procedures for financial management and reporting
- 5. Develop the values and principles representative of the WFATT 5.1. Share knowledge and culture with respect for each country

