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Alliance of International Organizations of Orthopaedics & Traumatology



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Joint Statement Against War

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The situation that creates consequences that orthopaedic surgeons have the most difficulty dealing with in their professional lives is war. APOA, EFORT, PAOA, SICOT and SLAOT are adamantly against war.

As AIOT, we express our belief in the right to sovereignty of every nation, and that the way to resolve conflicts between countries is through diplomacy and negotiations, not war.

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AIOT is the joint platform of the five leading international organizations of orthopaedics and traumatology. It was established to increase collaboration and to facilitate communication among the members in 2018.

AIOT member organizations (in alphabetical order):

APOA (*Asia Pacific Orthopaedic Association*)
EFORT (*European Federation of National Associations of Orthopaedics and Traumatology*)
PAOA (*Pan Arab Orthopaedic Association*)
SICOT (*Société Internationale de Chirurgie Orthopédique et de Traumatologie*)
SLAOT (*Sociedad Latinoamericana de Ortopedia y Traumatología*)