

Call for Nominations - 2023

South Australian Science Teachers Association ABN 22 938 317 192

Closing date: 5:00 pm 12 April 2023

Background

7. Call for Nominations

All members of SASTA are hereby notified of a call for nominations for four (4) positions on the Board.

2. Composition of the Board and terms of office

The Board consists of up to nine elected members who shall hold office for a term of three (3) years. Continuous elected membership shall not exceed nine (9) years.

Responsibilities of Board Members

The Board governs SAST A and has overall responsibility for determining the strategic plan and priorities, monitoring implementation and developing a resource base to support the organisation's activities. It is also responsible for the financial viability of SASTA and ensuring compliance with statutory requirements applicable to an association. All Board members are required to act in what the Board considers are the best interests of the organisation, being the interests of the membership as a whole.

Nominees should be aware that there are at least six Board meetings each year for the purposes of corporate governance of the organisation. There is an emphasis on policy and, specifically, corporate governance. The Board is not involved in the day to day running of the association's business.

Position Description & Nomination Form

A Board Member position description and nomination form is available on the SAST A website at <u>www.sasta.asn.au</u> in the 'Members Area'.

*NB Only Personal Members are entitled to vote and hold office in the Association. Each Corporate Member shall be entitled to one vote by a nominated delegate acceptable to the Board in elections of the Association but no such delegate shall be entitled to hold office through Corporate Membership nor may Corporate Members nominate others for office.

Further information

Members interested in nominating for the Board are welcome to contact Kate Dilger, Executive Officer, on 8354 0006 if they require further information.