

TO: All MUNFA Members  
FROM: The MUNFA Executive Committee  
DATE: February 18, 2022  
SUBJECT: 2<sup>nd</sup> Call for Nominations for the 2022-23 MUNFA Executive Committee and Nominating & Balloting Committee (and to fill current vacancies)

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The MUNFA Nominating & Balloting Committee is soliciting nominations for 2022-23 Executive Committee and Nominating & Balloting Committee. Additionally, as per Article V.5. of the [MUNFA Constitution](#), nominations are being sought to fill three vacancies on the current MUNFA Executive Committee and three vacancies on the current Nominating & Balloting Committee.

Academic Staff Members (ASMs) from equity-seeking groups are encouraged to put their names forward. The Nominating & Balloting Committee also are looking for nominations from all campuses, representing a range of Faculties and Schools, including both tenure-stream and contractual Academic Staff Members (ASMs). As per the MUNFA Constitution, any Bargaining Unit member is eligible to hold office with MUNFA.

Please note that as per [Clause 1.20](#) of the MUN/MUNFA Collective Agreement, “*An ASM’s service to the Association shall be deemed academic service as set out in the appropriate articles in this Collective Agreement.*”

Official nominating forms for the Executive Committee and Nominating & Balloting Committee (linked below) must be accompanied by the signature of the nominee indicating their willingness to serve, and the signatures of a proposer and seconder. All three must be members of MUNFA.

**The nomination period ends at noon on February 23, 2022.** Each candidate has the option of submitting a statement of *not more than* 150 words which shall be circulated in the case of a contested election. Such statements must be received by the MUNFA office by noon on February 24, 2022. (*Further details on the nomination process and Executive Committee can be found in the [MUNFA Constitution](#) and the [Nominating & Balloting Committee’s Terms of Reference.](#)*)

### **Nominations for 2022-23 MUNFA Executive Committee and Nominating & Balloting Committee**

For the 2022-23 Executive Committee, the following positions are to be filled ([Nomination Form](#)). Nominations received to date are noted.

- Vice-President External/President Elect (1-year term)\*
  - **Josh Lepawsky, Geography**
- Vice-President Internal (2-year term)
- Treasurer (2-year term)
- Four Members-at-Large (three 1-year terms and one 2 year term)
  - **Sevtap Savas, Medicine (1-year term)**
  - **Russell Williams, Political Science (1-year term)**
  - **J.Y. Tang, Business Administration (2-year term)**

For the 2022-23 Nominating & Balloting Committee, **four members are to be elected**, each for a 1-year term. ([Nomination Form](#)). Nominations received to date include:

- **Sébastien Rossignol, History**

**Nominations for current MUNFA Executive Committee and Nominating & Balloting Committee (NOTE: Elected members to these positions will begin their terms immediately)**

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For the current Executive Committee, the following positions are to be filled ([Nomination Form](#)). Nominations received to date are noted.

- Secretary (2-year term ending on August 31, **2023**)
  - **William Schipper, English**
- One Member-at-Large (1-year term ending on August 31, **2022**)
  - **Russell Williams, Political Science**
- One Term Appointed Member-at-Large (1-year term ending on August 31, **2022**)

For the current Nominating & Balloting Committee, **three members are to be elected**, each for a 1-year term beginning immediately and ending on August 31, 2022. ([Nomination Form](#))