

20 October 2017

**CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR THE OFFICE BEARER POSITION OF PRESIDENT ELECT  
PERINATAL SOCIETY OF AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND**

Members are advised that the position of President Elect on the PSANZ Board of Directors will become vacant in March 2018, when the current President Elect begins their term as President.

Per the PSANZ constitution (2014) and in accordance with rule 24 (Composition of the Board of Directors (BoD)) a representative of each Discipline in rotation should where possible, hold the position of President. Therefore, President Elect nominations are called for from ***Basic Science***.

The President Elect is elected for a term of two years after which a term as President begins. This call for nominations for President Elect is open to all basic scientists who are full financial PSANZ members.

The role of the President Elect is to:

- undertake the duties and exercise the powers of the President, in the absence of the President.

The role of the President is to:

- a. superintend the conduct and affairs of PSANZ,
- b. advise the Secretary and Treasurer as required, and
- c. be ex-officio a member of all committees and delegations of PSANZ.

Please send expressions of interest to [secretary@PSANZ.com.au](mailto:secretary@PSANZ.com.au) using the attached nomination form by 17 November 2017.

- Expressions of interest should outline, using no more than ½ A4 page, why you would like to join, what you would bring to the position and how you would contribute to the work of the BoD. Include any recent involvement in the BoD, a PSANZ branch or Subcommittee.
- The position of President Elect will be elected by the PSANZ membership.
- The incoming President Elect is invited to attend the PSANZ BoD meeting pre congress (usually held on the Sunday afternoon from 1 pm onwards).

Nominations must be made in writing and signed by two members and the nominee.

In the event that more than one nomination is received, elections will be carried out per the PSANZ Constitution (2014) by electronic vote. If only one nomination is received, the position will be declared at the Annual General Meeting.

Nominations must be received by **17 November 2017**.



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FORM FOR NOMINATION OF PRESIDENT ELECT

I ..... accept nomination for the position of  
Print Name – BLOCK LETTERS

President Elect on the Board of Directors of the Perinatal Society of Australia and New Zealand

Signed.....

Date.....

Proposed by .....  
Print Name

Signature.....

Seconded by .....  
Print Name

Signature.....