



March 2023

To: Members of the EASSW

From: EASSW Election Committee

CALL FOR CANDIDATES FOR THE EASSW EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The deadline for sending candidacy is 15th of May, 2023.

The Election Committee of the EASSW¹ invites candidatures for the Executive Committee.

We kindly invite candidates who wish to participate actively in the activities of the EASSW Executive Committee. EC Members are expected to:

- contribute to the realisation of the EASSW objectives and strategic developments of EASSW (see reports of the EC on www.eassw.org)
- perform concrete tasks and report regularly on these activities to the EC and actively participate to the board 's working groups.
- attend the meetings of the Executive Committee (at least two times per year for a total of at least six days per year)
- provide own resources to attend the Executive Committee meetings.

The election will take place at the General Assembly of the EASSW conference during the next Conference between June 20th to 23rd, 2023 at the Social Work School of Porto (ISSSP). According to the statutes, it will not be possible to nominate candidates on the floor.

Please note that this year nine (9) positions as board members and two (2) positions as officers are up for election (Secretary, Treasurer).

¹ Judit Csoba - Executive Member ; Ana M. Sobočan – Executive Member; Sandra Mendes-Administrator of EASSW



According to the Statute, "The Executive Committee consists of the President, Vice-President, the Secretary, the Treasurer and no more than eleven further Members." (art.11.1).

The officers shall be determined by election of those eligible to vote at the General Assembly.

"The President, the Vice-President, the Secretary, the Treasurer are elected separately in function by the General Assembly for a period of four years. Further members are elected in a vote by the General Assembly for a period of four years with one half to be elected every two years". (art. 12.4)

"The President and the Vice-President may only be re-elected once. Other members of the Executive Committee may be re-elected any number of times" (art. 12.5)

"(...) upon forming the Executive committee, it has to be considered that different geographical regions are represented as well as proper ratio between male and female members. No more than one representative from the single country can be elected" (art.12.3)

Please find more information about the Statute, elections, voting and administrative organisation on the EASSW website under "About" the EASSW at www.eassw.org.



The current Executive Committee members

1	Christos Panagiotopoulos, Cyprus	Member 6 years President 2 years	Elected till 2025 as Member Elected till 2025 as President
2	Mariusz Granosik	Member 4 year Vice President 2	Elected till 2023 as Member Standing for Re-election as a EC Member Elected till 2025 as Vice President
3	Mona Livholts	Secretary 2 years Member 2 years	RESIGNATION / VACANT Elected till 2025
4	Raymond Kloppenburg, The Netherlands	Treasurer 6 years Member 8 years	Elected till 2023 Treasurer 6 years VACANT as a EC Member VACANT as Treasurer
5	Marika Lotko, Latvia	Member 8 years	Elected till 2023 VACANT
6	Femke Dewulf	Member 4 year	Elected till 2023 as Member VACANT
7	Zuzana Poklembova	Member 4 year	Elected till 2023 as Member STANDING FOR REELECTION
8	Katarina Hjortengren	Member 4 year	Elected till 2023 as Member STANDING FOR REELECTION
9	Florin Lazăr, Romania	Member 6 years	Elected till 2025 as Member
10	Judit Csoba	Member 2 year	Elected till 2025 as Member
11	Anna Rurka	Member 2 year	Elected till 2025 as Member
12	Ana Marja Sobocan	Member 2 year	Elected till 2025 as Member
13	Urban Nothdurfter	Member 2 year	Elected till 2025 as Member
14	Jane Fenton	Member 2 year	Elected till 2025 RESIGNATION/ VACANT
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PROCESS to CANDIDATE

For the 2023 General Assembly, there are 9 members vacancies and 2 officers' vacancies (Treasurer and Secretary)

If you would like to candidate for the Executive Committee as a member and as an officer, please do not hesitate to forward your candidacy.

Candidates must send their presentation material to the Election Committee:

1. A signed statement of acceptance of EC membership duties (please see form below/page 4 of this mail)
2. A picture
3. A short presentation
4. CV
5. A letter with the following:
 - motivation for wanting to be an Executive Committee member/officer
 - contribution to the strategic developments of EASSW (see reports of the EC on www.eassw.org)
6. Proof of support for the nomination by the employing university or association. A commitment from the university or association to support the candidate financially with the expenses associated with this role.

If you are not able to attend the General Assembly in Porto, please feel free to prepare an additional Electronic (video) presentation of your candidacy (max. 2 minutes) to be shown at the assembly.

The material must be sent by e-mail to the EASSW Election Committee.

To: membership@eassw.org

Deadline: 15th May 2023.

On behalf of the EASSW Election Committee, yours sincerely,

Judit Csoba and Ana M. Sobočan
Chairs of the Election Committee



Statement for Executive Committee Candidates General Assembly 2023

I am a candidate for the EASSW Executive Committee as

As Member:

As Officer: Treasurer Secretary

and subscribe to the expectations in relation to being a member of the EC.

Name:

Date:

Signature:

Photography

Short presentation:

Please attach:

- Short CV**
- Letter** (including motivation for wanting to be an Executive Committee member and expected contribution to the strategic developments of EASSW)
- Proof of support** for the nomination by the employing university or association.

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