

Call for Nominations for the INQAAHE Board 2019

ANNOUNCEMENT: INQAAHE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SEEKS BOARD MEMBERS WITH SPECIFIC EXPERTISE IN THE FINANCIAL OR LEGAL MANAGEMENT OF NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS

The International Network for Quality Assurance Agencies in Higher Education (INQAAHE) is a world-wide association of organizations active in the theory and practice of quality assurance (QA) in higher education (HE). The central purpose and role of INQAAHE is to promote and advance excellence in higher education through the support of an active international community of quality assurance providers. In order to achieve this goal, the network focuses on the development of the theory and practice of quality assurance, the exchange and understanding of the policies and actions of its members, and the promotion of quality assurance for the benefit of higher education, institutions, students and society at large.

The INQAAHE Board of Directors wishes to enhance its overall capacity to support the transition from a contracted to a permanent Secretariat. Thus, the Board seeks to appoint a co-opted board member with specific expertise in the financial or legal management of nonprofit organizations, particularly in one of the country contexts in which INQAAHE legally and financially operates (New Zealand, Spain, and the United States).

To be eligible for co-option as a Director, a person must represent a GGP Aligned, Full or Associate Member of the Network. In accordance with INQAAHE's values, a diversity of Board membership that reflects the international mandate of INQAAHE strengthens the organisation. No two of the elected, appointed or co-opted Directors should be from the same member organisation.

Co-opted members may be elected by a majority of the board and undertake the same responsibilities as elected board members. Board members are expected to contribute substantially to the work of the organization, attend the annual forum and board meetings, and lead projects in their area of interest or expertise. The amount of time varies, but directors should expect to contribute up to six hours per week, although this could be more during busy times for their projects. The term of service is three years.

Nominations and questions should be submitted by 30th of July, 2019, to <u>secretariat@inqaahe.org</u>, along with the nominee's C.V., brief bio and a letter of interest (one paragraph) describing the nature of their financial or legal expertise and the values they can bring to the Network. A follow up interview may be arranged with the shortlisted candidates in case of need for further information. Self-nominations are accepted. If you are nominating someone else, please confirm their willingness to serve prior to submission.