



2025 CPSA Elections Call for Nominations¹

DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 28, 2025

2024-2025 Nominating Committee

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Dear CPSA member,

The Nominating Committee invites nominations for the following positions on the Board of Directors:

- Three (3) directors to be elected for a three-year term (2025-2028)
- One (1) director - **Practitioner Representative** to be elected for a three-year term (2025-2028)
- One (1) director - **Student Representative** to be appointed for a one-year term (2025-2028)

[Statement of Responsibilities of CPSA Board of Directors](#). Please read this document carefully. Eligibility requirements can be found in Section II.

Each nomination requires a nominator, a seconder and the information detailed in section d) below.

Under the current legislation, the membership **elects** the directors of the Board. Once elected, these directors **appoint** the officers of the Association (Vice-President, President, Past-President and Secretary-Treasurer). To preserve the past practices of the Association to the extent possible within the constraints imposed by the legislation, we invite:

- members interested in nominating candidates to the position of Vice-President (with possible appointment as President the following year and as Past-President the year after) to signal their interest on the online nomination form.
- nominees interested in the position of Vice-President (with possible appointment as President the following year and as Past-President the year after) to signal their interest in the 250-word biographical note.

¹ Under the provisions of CPSA's [Bylaw no. 1](#) and the [Canada Not-for-profit Corporations Act](#).

To nominate a candidate or second a nomination...

All participants in the nomination process (i.e., nominators, seconders and candidates) must be individual members of the Association in good standing (2025 membership dues).

- a) Go to cpsa-acsp.ca and log into MyCPSA.
- b) Click on “**2025 Call for Nominations**,” then on “Nominator” or “Secunder,” and follow the instructions provided.
- c) Once a nomination is completed, the CPSA Secretariat will verify that the nominator, the seconder and the nominee are individual members of the Association in good standing.
- d) After this verification, the nominee will be notified and required to provide the following information by email:
 - A **statement of acceptance** of the nomination and an **acknowledgement** confirming that she/he has read and understood the [Statement of Responsibilities of CPSA Board of Directors](#);
 - A **250-word (maximum) biography** that must include:
 - **the reasons for accepting to stand for election to the CPSA Board of Directors**
 - any CPSA appointments, recent activities
 - the nominee’s current academic/non-academic appointments
 - A **picture** (standard headshot) and consent for the picture to be posted on the Association website;
 - Twitter/X or Bluesky handle.

Please send this information to the [CPSA Secretariat](#).