

Arizona Association of School Psychologists 2023 Call for Executive Board Nominations

by Kathy Bohan, Past President, Elections Chairperson

Want to get more involved with AASP leadership? Know a colleague who would be a great leader for the association? For the 2023-24 AASP Executive Board, nominations for elected positions will be accepted from January 30th through March 1st. The AASP Board is seeking self-nominations or colleague nominations for the elected positions of President-Elect, Treasurer, and a Regional Director for each region (Central, Western, Northern, & Southern) for the term starting: July 1, 2023. These elected positions serve as voting members on the AASP Executive Board. Regional Directors must live and/or work in the region they represent.

President-Elect [One-Year Term - Elected Officer of the AASP Board (followed by One-Year term as President and then One-Year term as Past President)]:

Duties include but are not limited to:

- serves as the chairperson of the Executive Board and Executive Leadership Committee in the President's absence.
- works closely with the committee chairs, and with other activities that will occur during the President-Elect's term of office.
- assists the President, as needed.
- plans for the upcoming annual conference that will take place during their one-year term as President.
- Commits to serving a total of three years as President-Elect, President, and Past President.

Treasurer (Two-Year Term - Elected Officer of the AASP Board):

Duties include but are not limited to:

- is responsible for managing the monies of the association.
- Advises the Executive Board regarding the association budget.
- Makes disbursements, oversees investments, manages reserve funds
- Prepares an annual financial report to the association.
- Assures tax returns are filed and the association is registered annually with the Arizona Corporation Commission.

Regional Director (Two-Year Term - Elected Voting Member of the AASP Executive Board):

One position is open for each region, which includes the following regions:

Central
Western
Northern
Southern

Duties include but are not limited to:

- participates in policy making of the organization and bring recommendations from other members.
- maintains contact with members from their region, serving to facilitate the flow of information between the Executive Board and its members.
- promotes membership growth in their region.
- attends and participates in all quarterly board meetings.
- assists with the annual conference.
- hosts a regional or virtual workshop at least once every academic year; in addition to hosting a social gathering or regional event at least once every academic year.
- encourages nominations of AASP awards.
- contributes regional news and articles for at least one Intervention newsletter per year.
- participates on the Annual Awards Committee, by reading nominations and selecting winners and periodically review mini-grant applications for funding allocations.

AASP Nominations Open: Monday, January 30, 2023 at 8:00am

AASP Nominations Close: Wednesday, March 1, 2023 at 5:00pm

AASP Election Opens: Wednesday, April 5, 2023 at 8:00am

AASP Election Closes: Thursday, April 20, 2023 at midnight

Please email all nominations to Cathy Herring, KCA at cathy.herring@aasp-az.org. You can nominate yourself and/or a colleague you believe would be a strong addition to our state association executive board. Nominees need to be active Full or Retired members of the Association at the time of their nomination and continue as members in good standing throughout their tenure. Provide a name and the elected position of interest. Further information will be requested including a photograph and a candidate statement. The statement should include a brief biographical description, qualifications for the position sought, list of previous positions with AASP, NASP, or other organizations, and a statement of goals/vision for the association if elected to the position.

Nominations remain confidential between the presidents (President-Elect, President, and Past President) and Professional Standards Chair during the nomination period. KCA securely manages the electronic voting period. The Executive Leadership Committee obtains the final vote tallies at the end of the election period.

Please email Kathy Bohan, Past President and Elections Chairperson kathy.bohan@aasp-az.org with any additional questions regarding the AASP 2023 call for nomination process and refer to the AASP Bylaws and AASP Procedures Manual on the AASP website <https://www.aasp-az.org/>