

**28 October 2020**

## **Call for Nominations**

Nominations are called for the following positions for the 2021 – 2022 term:

### **Council:**

- One ITP general/allied/professional staff representative
- One member from any institution that is not a university or an ITP
- One U35 representative (under 35 years old on 1 May)

### **National Women's Committee, Te Kahurangi Māreikura:**

- Two academic staff representatives
- One general/allied/professional staff representatives
- One Pasifika woman representative
- One U35 woman representative

### **Industrial and Professional Committee**

- Two ITP general/allied/professional staff representatives
- One women's representatives
- One REAP/OTEP/PTE representative
- One U35 representatives (under 35 years old on 1 May)

### **Te Toi Ahurangi**

- Two Taitamariki Māori (under 35 years old on 1 May)

### **Please note** rule 29.8 below:

- 29.8 No more than two members from any branch shall be elected to council or any single national committee excluding the national president, vice-presidents and Te Tumu Āwhina.

These positions are for a term of two years. All these positions will take office on the third Monday of January 2021 and ends two calendar years later.

All candidates, must be financial members of the union and belong to the relevant constituency, and must be nominated and seconded by financial members of the union who belong to the relevant constituency.

**Nominations must be made using the attached nomination form.** The same form **must be signed by each of the nominee, the nominator and the seconder.** The form may then be scanned and emailed, or physically posted.

Nominations must be accompanied by appropriate information provided by the candidate (maximum length 500 words) and must reach the national office by **5.00 pm on 30 November 2020.**

Please note the following:

- The national president position is subject to a time limit of two consecutive terms.
- All other positions are subject to a time limit of three consecutive terms.
- Sections F and G of the TEU rules set out the rules for nominations and elections.
- My advice to you is to not submit your nomination at the last minute as it may have to be ruled invalid if there are errors in the nomination and there is not time enough to correct them.

Samantha Stephen

**RETURNING OFFICER**

**Meeting Requirements per year:**

Te Tumu Ārātaki: up to 16 days (3 days Te Toi Ahurangi, 3 days Hui-ā-Motu, 4 days council, 3 days conference, up to 3 days executive)

Women's vice-president and industrial and professional vice-president: up to 13 days (3 days national committee meetings, 4 days council, 3 days conference, up to 3 days executive)

Council: 6 days (or up to 9 days if on executive): 4 days council, 2 days conference)

Te Toi Ahurangi: 9 days (3 days Te Toi Ahurangi, 3 days Hui-ā-Motu, 3 days conference)

Industrial and Professional Committee: 5 days (3 days IPC, 2 days conference)

National Women's Committee: 5 days (3 days NWC, 2 days conference)