

## **Council Election 2009/2010 – Nomination Criteria**

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As a member, your input is key to determining who you will see on Council representing you and 25,000 of your professional colleagues. Now is the time to nominate someone as a part of the Association's Council nomination process, where every year members have the opportunity to elect a President, Vice President, and a minimum of five Councillors to serve on APEGBC's Council.

### **Candidate Eligibility**

Professional Engineers and Professional Geoscientists in good standing are eligible for candidacy in the upcoming Council election.

### **Desired Experience/Expertise**

- Recent volunteer work within APEGBC at the Committee, Division, Branch, or Task Force level
- A minimum of five years practicing as a professional
- Some experience at a policy & strategic level
- Business and financial management experience
- Volunteer work with other organizations
- Ability to communicate effectively and act productively in a team environment
- Pragmatic yet visionary
- A desire and ability to lead others

### **Obligation**

President and Vice President are elected for a one-year term and Councillors generally for a two-year term. Terms of office will commence October 17, 2009.

### **Time Commitment**

- Six full-day Council meetings per year with 2-4 hours reading preparation;
- Half-day Annual General Meeting and participation in Annual Conference events (PD sessions, networking events, National Round Table, Branch Representatives meeting) both held in mid-October;
- Two-day Council strategic planning session held in mid-November;
- Up to six meetings per year plus prep time as chair or member of at least one key committee, and chair or member of one or more task forces as required by Council;
- Attendance at occasional branch meetings in their local area;

In addition, the President and/or Vice President will be expected to represent the Association provincially and nationally as required.