

# BOARD NOMINATION COMMITTEE CHAIR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Equestrian NSW is the not-for-profit State Sporting Organisation for the sports of dressage, driving, eventing, jumping, show horse and vaulting, with over 8,800 members and 20,000 registered horses.

The Equestrian NSW Board is seeking a suitably qualified candidate from outside its membership to join the **Nomination Committee**, as Chair, for a two year term commencing immediately.

The Nomination Committee comprises an independent Chair, one Director and one Discipline Council/Committee representative.

The Nomination Committee will meet about three times each year (either in person or via video). In addition, committee members would need to be available for one week in early November to interview nominees for the Board.

Candidates should be able to demonstrate a solid understanding of corporate governance and the skills required by board directors. They should possess high standards of ethics, be independent and analytically minded, be able to listen to other points of view, and express ideas clearly.

Candidates will have experience and a proven track record working in a senior position in a professional capacity, with a managerial or regulatory background. Prior participation in selection panels is highly desirable.

Expressions of interest are particularly sought from people with experience in (but not limited to):

- providing insights into candidate behaviours, skills and suitability to roles, ideally in a professional services environment; and
- member organisations with diverse membership sectors.

Candidates will come from outside Equestrian NSW membership.

#### **SELECTION CRITERIA**

#### **Experience**

- Held senior appointments in a professional capacity with a proven track record
- Managerial, professional or regulatory background
- Understanding of the skills required on and the structure of Boards
- Experience providing insights into candidate behaviours, skills and suitability to roles, ideally in a not-for profit sporting environment
- Prior participation in selection panels preferred

### **Skills**

- Has business expertise
- Has strong commercial skills and insights
- Ability to listen to other points of view and express ideas clearly
- Prior experience in member organisations with diverse membership sectors, highly desirable

## Applications close at 5pm AEST on Wednesday 30 September 2020.

For candidates to be successfully considered their application must include a statement addressing each of the selection criteria and a current CV submitted to board@ensw.org.au.

For further information about Equestrian NSW, see https://www.nsw.equestrian.org.au/.

Please direct all enquires to board@ensw.org.au.