

2024 Call for Nominations for ARNOVA Board of Directors

ARNOVA's Nominations Committee is now accepting nominations for candidates for the 2024 Election of Board Members and Officers. We seek a diverse set of voices and perspectives in these roles. We urge members to recommend those whom they think would serve the Association particularly well. **Please submit your recommendations, for yourself or another, by April 29, 2024.**

Board Members and Officers

ARNOVA's Nominating Committee solicits and welcomes recommendations and volunteers for service as at-large members on the Board of Directors and as Officers. In accordance with Board Membership Policy Changes adopted by ARNOVA membership in 2023, each new At-Large Board Member will serve a single, four-year term and the Secretary position will remain a two-year term.

The election period will begin in mid-July, with service to begin in November 2024 at the Annual Meeting. This year we seek to fill the following positions:

1. Secretary - incumbent up for re-election (initially elected under previous board rules)
2. Three new, at-large member slots
3. Two at-large incumbents up for re-election (initially elected under previous board rules)

The nominating committee receives the nominations from ARNOVA members and makes recommendations to the ARNOVA Board on which persons to include in the ballot. ARNOVA gives preference to nominees with previous service to ARNOVA and/or the field more broadly. Past service prepares potential Board members for their governance role and orients them to the substantial time commitment involved in board service.

The slate of nominees should represent the diversity of ARNOVA's current and prospective members with attention given to: racial and ethnic diversity and inclusion of black, indigenous and members of color, LGBTQIA+ perspectives, disciplinary training and current areas of research, geographical location, home institution, stage of career, and professional position in the field (e.g., practitioner, scholar). Ensuring the board members and officers represent a diverse cross section of the Association's members helps ensure that the Association is responsive to the diversity of interests and needs of its membership and continues the effort to center equity in our work. The person recommended or volunteering must be a member of ARNOVA in good standing. We accept self-nominations as well as nominations of individuals that members think would serve in this role well. Please complete the information requested via the link below to assist the board in its final determination of the final slate.

Instructions for Submitting a Recommendation or to Volunteer

To nominate someone or yourself go to www.arnova.org/2024-board-elections and complete the online form for each person you are recommending. **Please submit your recommendations by April 29, 2024.** If you have questions, please email the members of the nominations committee, [Esi Ansah](mailto:Esi.Ansah@arnova.org) or [Emily Barman](mailto:Emily.Barman@arnova.org). Please place "ARNOVA Nominations - 2024" in the subject field of the e-mail.

Thank you -- We are grateful for your help -- member participation is the key to building a stronger Association!