



2026 ELECTIONS CRITERIA OF ENGINEERS GEOSCIENTISTS MANITOBA – NIGERIA CHAPTER.

In pursuit of fairness, transparency, and effective leadership within our association, the following comprehensive criteria have been established for candidates seeking executive positions.

Following section 10(b) of the Constitution: Candidates for election are to be nominated by 3 chapter members or by the candidates him/herself with 3 members' full names and their signatures on the nomination form.

Interested candidate(s) for each position must meet the general criteria below;

- Must have been an active member for a minimum of 1 year and have participated actively in association activities.
- Must not have been the subject of a complaint of unprofessional conduct or unskilled practice, nor have had a discipline hearing in the five years prior to nomination.
- Must not have been found guilty of an offence under the Criminal Code of Canada or Controlled Drugs and Substances Act in the previous five years.

CHAIR:

- Must hold a current EIT/GIT, P.Eng/P.Geo designation in good standing with the association (Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba).
- Previous experience serving on the executive board or in a leadership role within the association.
- Demonstrated leadership skills in effectively managing or governing professional associations.
- Proven experience in facilitating meetings and steering the organization towards its strategic objectives.
- Strong communication and conflict resolution abilities.
- Possesses a clear vision for the association's future with well-defined strategies to achieve organizational goals.

VICE CHAIR:

- Must hold a current EIT/GIT, P.Eng/P.Geo. designation with Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba.
- Willingness and availability to support the Chair and step in when needed.
- Strong organizational skills with meticulous attention to detail.
- Ability to collaborate effectively with other members of the executive team.

SECRETARY:

- Should hold an EIT/GIT, P.Eng/P.Geo. designation with Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba.
- Excellent record-keeping and administrative skills.
- Attention to detail and accuracy in maintaining meeting minutes and official documents.

ASST SECRETARY:

- Should hold an EIT/GIT, P.Eng/P.Geo. designation with Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba.
- Excellent record-keeping and administrative skills.
- Attention to detail and accuracy in maintaining meeting minutes and official documents.
- Timely and effective communication with members regarding meetings, agendas, and other important information.

PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICER (PRO):

- Should hold an EIT/GIT, P.Eng/P.Geo designation with Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba.
- Creativity in promoting the association's activities and events.
- Strong interpersonal skills for building relationships with members, the media, and external partners.
- Ability to craft compelling messages and utilize various communication channels effectively.

ASSISTANT PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICER:

- Should hold an EIT/GIT, P.Eng/P.Geo designation with Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba.
- Enthusiasm for promoting the association and supporting the PR officer in their duties.
- Willingness to learn and assist with tasks such as social media management, event promotion, and content creation.
- Strong teamwork and collaboration skills.
- Availability to support the PR officer during events and campaigns.

TREASURER:

- Should hold an EIT/GIT, P.Eng/P.Geo designation with Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba.
- Financial literacy and understanding of budgeting and financial management principles.
- Experience in handling finances, preferably within a nonprofit or similar organization.
- Attention to detail in maintaining accurate financial records and reports.
- Integrity and trustworthiness in managing the association's funds.

COUNCILLOR:

- Must hold EIT/GIT, P.Eng/P.Geo. designation with Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba.
- Ability to interface between the chapter and the EGM Council on issues of concern to the growth of the chapter, as directed/initiated by the chapter executive committee.
- **possess the capability to propose ideas or positions that will promote the chapter and its members' welfare and professional excellence for EGM's council legislative consideration.**
- **provide advisory support to the Chairman in the process of making the Council aware of any items about the Chapter Focus that may improve or hinder the profession's ability to self-regulate.**
- Willingness and availability to support the Chairman and collaborate effectively with other members of the executive team.
- Strong teamwork and collaboration skills.

These criteria are fundamental to ensuring a thorough evaluation of candidates, promoting a selection process characterized by fairness, transparency, and alignment with the values and objectives of Engineers Geoscientists Manitoba.