

# CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

## 2024-25 Executive Committee

PSAC 901 is pleased to announce that we are currently accepting nominations for 2024-25 Executive Committee member positions:

- President
- Vice-President Community
- Vice-President Research Assistants
- Vice-President Postdoctoral Scholars
- Co-Chief Steward (1)
- Co-Chief Steward (2)
- Equity Officer
- Health and Safety Officer
- Treasurer
- Information Officer

The duties of each position are outlined in the [bylaws](#). Elections will take place in the order they are listed in the bylaws, at the PSAC 901 Annual General Meeting (AGM) on April 3, 2024 from 5-7pm in Robert Sutherland 202 (doors/dinner available at 4:30pm).

**All executive positions are compensated at \$750 CAD/month, and the President will be compensated at \$1,000 CAD/month.** This will be an opportunity for you to work as part of a team to support, represent and advocate for our union members.

Candidates must be members of PSAC 901 in good standing. Only members of Unit 2 (Postdoctoral Scholars) may vote for the position of Vice-President Postdoctoral Scholars. Only members of Unit 1 Research Assistants may vote for the position of Vice-President Research Assistants. In the event of one candidate being nominated, an acclamation will be declared. Where no candidates are nominated, these positions will remain vacant.

**If you wish to self-nominate before the AGM, please send a nomination letter to Tracie Dixon (Office Manager) [staff.psac901@gmail.com](mailto:staff.psac901@gmail.com) AND Sunny Jithin (Chief Returning Officer) at [j.sunny@queensu.ca](mailto:j.sunny@queensu.ca).**

**Nomination letters must contain the following information:**

1. **your name;**
2. **department;**
3. **employment position;**
4. **a brief statement (no more than five-hundred (500) words) about the candidate's platform and previous Union experience**

You may also nominate yourself on the floor of the meeting; candidates should be prepared to address the above questions when nominated. At the end of the calls during the AGM, the persons standing for the positions will be asked to come to the front of the room and be given one minute to speak. When all candidates have spoken there will be a five minute question period for each position.

For more information about these roles, read section 5.1.3 of the PSAC Local 901 bylaws: <http://psac901.org/psac-901-bylaws/>

Questions? Contact [staff.psac901@gmail.com](mailto:staff.psac901@gmail.com)