



Candidate Nomination Form

SRNA Election 2018

General Information

All of the required documentation must accompany this form and be submitted to the SRNA **by 4:30 pm, February 2, 2018**.

Late submissions will not be accepted.

Forms can be mailed, faxed or submitted electronically.

Email to: links@srna.org Re: SRNA Elections 2018

Mail to: SRNA Nominations Committee, 2066 Retallack Street, Regina, SK. S4T 7X5

Fax to: SRNA Nominations Committee, 1-306-359-0257

Note: Electronic signature must accompany electronic submissions

All nominations must include parts:

- A. Candidate and Nominator Form
- B. Nominee's Declaration of Acceptance of Nomination
- C. Professional Position Statement
- D. Photo

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Part A Candidate and Nominator Form

The following nomination is hereby submitted for the 2018 SRNA Council and Nominations Committee Election.

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| _____ Member-at-Large for Council – Electoral Region 7
(Regina Qu'Appelle Health Region) | (One-year term) |
| _____ Member-at-Large for Council – Electoral Region 4
(Kelsey Trail and Sunrise Health Regions) | (Three-year term) |
| _____ Member-at-Large for Council – Electoral Region 6
(Saskatoon Health Region) | (Three-year term) |
| _____ Nominations Committee | (Two-year term) |

Candidate Information

Candidate's name: _____
(Note that the candidate's name as entered in the SRNA membership database will be used in the Candidates Flyer on the electronic ballot)

Candidate's SRNA licence number: _____

Home address: _____

Work address: _____

Home phone: _____ Work phone: _____

Mobile phone: _____

Email address: _____

Nominator's Information

Nominator's name: _____

Signature of RN nominator: _____

Nominator's SRNA licence number: _____ Date: _____

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Part B Nominee's Declaration and Acceptance of Nomination

I, _____, a Registered Nurse in good standing with the Saskatchewan Registered Nurses' Association, do hereby accept the nomination for a candidate for the elected position of:

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|---|-------------------|
| _____ Member-at-Large for Council – Electoral Region 7
(Regina Qu'Appelle Health Region) | (One-year term) |
| _____ Member-at-Large for Council – Electoral Region 4
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| _____ Nominations Committee | (Two-year term) |

If elected, I agree to serve in the foregoing capacity until my term is complete. I agree to act in accordance with *The Registered Nurses Act, 1988*; current *SRNA Bylaws*; *CNA Code of Ethics*; and SRNA policies. I agree that my name and phone number are public information and authorize the SRNA to publish my position statement and photo in SRNA publications including, but not limited to, the election candidates flyer on the electronic ballot, SRNA Newsbulletin and SRNA website.

Nominee's name (printed) _____

Nominee's signature _____

Nominee's SRNA licence number: _____ **Date:** _____

Information for Candidates Flyer:

Name: _____ RN or RN(NP) designation: _____

Position or job title: _____

Place of employment: _____

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Part C & D

Professional Position Statement and Photo

Part C

Professional Position Statement

The professional position statement will be published in the Candidates Flyer on the electronic ballot. Please ensure your statement is written professionally and represents what you will bring to a position on Council or the Nominations Committee. This will be one of the only opportunities members get to know who you are and how you will represent them as a Council or Nominations Committee member.

Please attach an electronic file that includes the following information:

- **For Member-at-Large Council positions:** Please submit a position statement of up to 150 words maximum. Please highlight your nursing education, employment, professional and community activities and describe your reason for seeking a position on Council and what you believe are the important issues facing registered nursing today.
- **For Nominations Committee:** Please provide a biography of up to 150 words including your nursing education, employment, professional and community activities.

Part D

Photograph

Please submit an electronic coloured photo (head and shoulder shot only) to be published in the Candidates Flyer on the electronic ballot and/or SRNA Publications. Please ensure the photo is of high quality and is sent as a picture file (jpeg preferred).



Campaign Support

In Part C of this package you were asked to write a position statement to share with members. This will be used online as a “snack” of what your position for registered nursing is. Your vision will continue to be shared through several additional opportunities:

- **Video.** The SRNA will post a campaign video for you. Through video you will have an opportunity for members to put a face to the name and to make a more personal connection. Tips for creating a video can be found on the following page. SRNA staff are also here to support you in creating your video if needed.
- **Live Forum.** For the 2018 election we will be hosting a Candidate’s Forum via webinar in March or April. This will allow Candidates to share their vision with members in real time. The event will also be recorded and made available on the SRNA webpage for viewing throughout the election period.
- **Social Media.** The SRNA will be posting links to Candidate videos, promoting the Candidate Forum and the election itself through Twitter and Facebook. Candidates are encouraged to use hashtags to create an online conversation.

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Creating Your Own Campaign Video

This information sheet is meant to provide you with some tips for producing a short video and instructions for having the link to your video added to SRNA communication tools (e.g., website, social media, etc.).

Steps for Creating Your Video

1. Plan. Write down what you want to say (see below for tips on writing your script), rehearse it, and plan for the total length to be around 1 min but still take your time delivering the message clearly.
2. Video. Find a way to have the camera still. Use a table and books to hold the phone upright or whatever you have around your space that you can use. For audio just stay close to the phone, an arm's length of distance will give a nice head shot and allow the microphone on the phone to pick up your voice. Use Airplane mode so nothing interrupts your video. For Example (as well as shooting tips):
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=j685NaMDVYE>
3. Upload. Once you have finished recording upload your video to your personal Youtube account (if you don't have one you will need to create one). Once uploaded send the link to your video to Emery Wolfe at ewolfe@srna.org and he will take care of adding it to the SRNA webpage and voting system.

Tips for Script Writing

1. Begin your video with the following:
 - a. Your name
 - b. Title (RN or NP)
 - c. Your work position and location
 - d. The position(s) you are running for and why
2. Choose 3 key messages you would like your audience (voters) to remember about you. These messages may include:
 - a. Your view on nursing in Saskatchewan
 - b. Main priorities for the SRNA over the next several years
 - c. How being elected will impact you on a professional level
 - d. Your unique contribution to the SRNA
 - e. Telling a story about how you have made a difference in nursing
 - f. Anything else that adds to your profile that is not included in your written position statement

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