

# 2023 Arc @ UNSW Limited - Board Election ELECTION NOTICE

## Nominations OPEN on Monday 27th February 2023

This notice should be read in conjunction with the Arc Constitution and Regulations.

#### Positions to be elected

An election will be held for four (4) Student Director positions on the Arc @ UNSW Limited (Arc) Board.

- Two (2) positions must be filled by women.
- The remaining two (2) positions are unrestricted.

The term of office will be two (2) years commencing June 2023.

Students elected as Directors on the Arc Board and Office Bearers on Arc's Student Councils are authorised to represent UNSW students on matters relating to the Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF).

#### **Nominations**

Nominations open at 9am on Monday, 27<sup>th</sup> February 2023 and close at 11.59pm on Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> March 2023 (the electoral roll will close at the same time). Late nominations will not be accepted.

## Nomination forms will be made available online here.

Forms must not be submitted until nominations are open. Nominations must be submitted prior to the close of nominations to be valid. They may be lodged electronically, using the above link. If a paper nomination form is required for accessibility reasons or otherwise, please contact the Returning Officer on returning.officer@arc.unsw.edu.au

If less than the required number of nominations are received, nominations will be re-opened on Monday 13th March 2023 for 1 week.

## Qualifications

Candidates and voters must be current UNSW students and Members of Arc at the close of nominations.

Any person who holds an elected position on a student council, wishing to nominate for a student director position, must resign from their student council position prior to the close of nominations.

UNSW Global students are associate members of Arc and not eligible to nominate, vote or campaign in Arc Elections.

Candidates must consent to Arc checking their eligibility in accordance with the Arc Regulations.

## **Candidate Statements**

Candidates should submit the following by the close of nominations:

- Candidate Statement of not more than 150 words information in support of your candidature.
- A recent photograph (jpeg format).

#### Voting

If more than the required number of candidates are nominated, an election will be held. Online voting will commence from 9am, Monday 27<sup>th</sup> March to 11:59pm, Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2023. The method of voting will be optional preferential.

### **Important Dates:**



 Board Elections and Campaigning Information Session: Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2023, 1:00pm - 2:00pm, Arc Training Rooms & Zoom

Elected candidates will be expected to attend the following:

- Board Inductions: Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2023, 10:00am 2:00pm
- Board Strategy Days (offsite): Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2023
- Board Meeting for Chair Elections: Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2023 6:00pm

## **Relevant Documents**

- Board Elections Handbook
- <u>Campaigning Guidelines Handbook</u>
- Arc Regulations
- Arc Constitution

Information related to Board Elections can be found on the Arc website

Further information may be obtained from the Returning Officer at <a href="mailto:returning.officer@arc.unsw.edu.au">returning.officer@arc.unsw.edu.au</a>