

## Friday, May 29, 2015

## **Dear School Owner and Interested Party:**

The National Accrediting Commission of Career Arts and Sciences is requesting all interested parties to submit names of possible candidates for nomination to the following positions on its board of Commissioners that will begin on January 1, 2016:

Categories	To be elected by all NACCAS-accredited schools in:
School Owner Commissioner Three-Year Term One (1) Position, Zone 1	Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, Wyoming
School Owner Commissioner Three-Year Term One (1) Position, Zone 4	District of Columbia, Kentucky, Maryland, North Carolina, Ohio, Puerto Rico, Virginia, West Virginia
Academic Commissioner Three-Year Term One (1) Position, At Large	The United States and its Territories
Professional Services Commissioner Three-Year Term One (1) Position, At Large	The United States and its Territories

Also, as a reminder, in July of 2014, the NACCAS Board of Commissioners acting pursuant to Article XV of the NACCAS By-Laws, voted to adopt certain amendments to the By-Laws previously circulated for public comment. Specifically, the Commission voted to amend Article III to:

- 1. Effective January 1, 2015, reduce the number of Commissioners representing schools who are elected by zones to five (5) and increase the number of Commissioners representing schools who are elected "at large" to two (2);
- Effective January 1, 2015, provide that at least one (1) of the "at large" Commissioners representing schools must satisfy the ownership requirements of Article III, Section IV.A.4;
- 3. Effective January 1, 2015, provide that up to one (1) of the Commissioners representing professional services may be an experienced administrator; and
- 4. Effective January 1, 2017, reduce the number of Commissioners representing schools who are elected by zones to four (4) and increase the number of



Commissioners representing schools who are elected "at large" to three (3).

Service on the Commission is both an honor and a reflection of a person's caring for the future of our industry and specifically, its educational sector. We strongly encourage you to submit the names of qualified individuals, perhaps your own, who would be willing to serve on the Commission. Currently this organization accredits approximately 1,500 institutions nationwide; the scope of its work is varied and interesting.

The qualifications for each category are detailed in a document which you may obtain by <u>clicking here</u>. ALL NAMES MUST BE SUBMITTED TO NACCAS BY July 1, 2015. Please send your nomination to Alicia Williams at <u>awilliams@naccas.org</u>. Please ensure you submit your current bio and photo along with your nomination.

Our organization is looking for competent, hardworking individuals who are willing to make a commitment to serve the Commission and cosmetology education. Please send in your nomination today!

Sincerely, Ms. Mary Gail Lowery, Chairwoman Nominating Committee (PLEASE CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION)

We appreciate you taking the time to respond to the 2015 "Policy Call for Comment." **Reminder to NACCAS-accredited schools:** Your school's email address may be important to NACCAS as a part of the requirement that you are able to receive all official communications relevant to your accreditation. Before you unsubscribe make sure that NACCAS has a valid email address for your school.

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