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# **Call for Director Nominations – Curling Australia Board (2 Positions)**

Category: Elected Director

Location: National (Australia-wide appointment)
Closing Date: 5.00pm AEST, Tuesday 29 July 2025

## **Governance Alignment at Curling Australia**

Curling Australia Ltd is the national governing body for the sport of curling in Australia. In 2024, the organisation transitioned to a company limited by guarantee, marking an important step in aligning with national best practice standards for sporting bodies.

This Board nomination process is part of Curling Australia's ongoing commitment to strong, skills-based leadership and the long-term growth and sustainability of the sport across all levels—from participation to performance. Learn more about the Board and governance structure at <u>curling.org.au/the-board</u>.

#### **About the Role**

Two (2) Elected Director positions will be filled at the upcoming Annual General Meeting on Tuesday 26 August 2025. These roles carry a three-year term, in accordance with the Curling Australia Constitution.

Nominations are now open for individuals with relevant expertise who are interested in contributing to the strategic leadership of Curling Australia. Directors are expected to attend virtual Board meetings (approximately six per year), participate in subcommittees as required, and uphold the organisation's values and governance standards.

### **Skills and Attributes Sought**

The Board is seeking candidates with demonstrated experience in one or more of the following areas:

- Commercial, business development, or investment
- Legal, regulatory, or compliance frameworks
- Marketing, brand strategy, or digital communications
- Government relations or advocacy
- Experience contributing to strategic decisions while understanding the responsibilities and boundaries of a governance role
- Familiarity with volunteer-driven, not-for-profit, or sport-based organisations

#### Candidates should also demonstrate:

- A commitment to integrity and good governance
- Well-developed strategic thinking and communication skills
- Availability and willingness to actively contribute to Board activities

# **Nominations and Election Process**

Nominations will be reviewed by the Curling Australia Nominations Committee, which will assess each candidate's eligibility and suitability based on the Board Skills Matrix and the Constitution. This assessment process is established under:

- Clause 14.4 of the Curling Australia Constitution, which outlines the role and formation of the Nominations Committee (view Constitution)
- Section 5 of the Nominations Committee Terms of Reference, which details the Committee's
  responsibilities in reviewing and assessing all nominations for Director positions (<u>view Terms of</u>
  Reference)



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Final election of Directors will be conducted by the Member States at the Annual General Meeting.

#### **How to Nominate**

Each nomination must include:

- A completed <u>Director Nomination Form</u>
- A completed Board Skills Matrix
- A CV or resume (maximum two pages)
- A brief statement outlining why you wish to be a Director and how your skills can contribute to Curling Australia's Board

Please submit nominations to: secretary@curling.org.au

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# **About Curling Australia:**

Curling Australia is the governing body that leads, develops, and promotes the sport of Curling in Australia. We aid and support the individual Member States and their grassroots endeavours to advance Curling whilst providing a pathway for curlers to compete at National and International events, including the Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games.

Curling Australia is committed to promoting diversity and inclusion within our organisation and is a child safe organisation and has a zero-tolerance policy to child abuse and neglect in any form. We encourage applications from individuals of all backgrounds and experiences.