



## Call for Candidates

The Rotary Means Business Fellowship is now accepting nominations for election to the Fellowship Board of Directors.

Candidates must be currently active Rotarians who are also Lifetime members in good standing of the RMB Fellowship since at least July 1, 2022. Dues must be current, and candidates may not have been subject to disciplinary action by Rotary International, any Rotary Club, the Rotary Means Business Fellowship or any local Rotary Means Business chapter.

Candidates may be nominated by RMBF members in good standing or may self-nominate. If nominated by others, the candidate must confirm his or her nomination and declare a willingness to serve.

Candidates must provide proof of payment of Lifetime membership dues by the deadline.

Each qualified candidate may provide a statement of qualifications not to exceed 300 words, which will be distributed with the ballot.

To nominate someone or to nominate yourselves, send an email to [election@rotarymeansbusiness.org](mailto:election@rotarymeansbusiness.org) with the following information:

Name

City (or State, Province, or region) and Country of residence

Proof of Lifetime membership dues payment prior to 1 July, 2022

Statement of qualifications, maximum 300 words\*

\*One statement must be in English. You may also provide a second statement in an alternate language.

The deadline to submit a nomination and statement of qualifications is 10 April, 2023

### Regional Representation

The RMB Fellowship has regional representation for the Board of Directors. A detailed description of the program is shown on the next page. Candidates must state their country of residence so that they can be placed in the proper category on the ballot.

While some incumbents are running for re-election, incumbents have no advantage during the election. They are subject to the same rules as other candidates. All votes for each office are tallied, and the highest vote getter(s) are elected, regardless of their status.

This notice is going out to all who have opted in to receive communications from the RMB website, and to some of those who have previously provided their email address. Please feel free to distribute this notice to members of your chapter, or any RMBF member you are acquainted with. We are striving to reach as many members of the Rotary Means Business Fellowship as possible.

Details of the regions are on the next page



## Regional Representation Details

There are a total of six regions designated for the Rotary Means Business Fellowship Board of Directors:

### **North America**

Greenland, Canada, USA, Mexico, Central America to Panama, Caribbean Islands as far south as Grenada

*(one incumbent seeking re-election, one seat open - two highest vote getters are elected)*

### **South America**

All countries on the South American continent, Caribbean Islands close to South America, Falklands and Galapagos Islands

*(no seats open for election in 2023)*

### **Europe**

All countries internationally recognized as being completely within Europe. Iceland is considered part of Europe.

*(no seats open for election in 2023)*

### **Asia**

All countries internationally recognized as being located completely or partly in Asia. The entire countries of Turkey and Russia are considered Asia.

*(two incumbents seeking re-election, two highest vote-getters are elected)*

### **Australia-New Zealand-Oceania (ANZO)**

includes islands in the South Pacific

*(one incumbent seeking re-election, highest vote-getter is elected)*

### **at large**

includes any area that does not have more than one geographically assigned Director. Areas that currently qualify include Africa, South America, Europe, and ANZO

*(no incumbent seeking re-election, seat is open, highest vote-getter is elected)*