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## QTU notices

### A UNION REPRESENTATIVES IN SCHOOLS

Nominations are hereby called for Union Representatives in schools/workplaces.

The staff of a school/workplace are entitled to elect two Union Representatives where up to 15 are appointed to the staff, and an additional Union Representative for each additional 15 members or part thereof. Provided that no fewer than 50 per cent of the Union Representatives at a school or workplace shall be female if sufficient female candidates nominate for the positions.

Where more than one nomination is received for the position and a ballot is necessary, the optional preferential method of voting shall be used.

Nominations by candidates for the position of Union Representative shall be in writing and shall be signed by the candidate.

Nominees must exhibit:

- support for QTU member working conditions and directives
- involvement in QTU activities, e.g. legal seminars, QTEC training days
- involvement in QTU structures, e.g. Committee member
- continuity in their QTU membership.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

### K UNION REPRESENTATIVES IN TAFE BRANCHES

Nominations are hereby called for Union Representatives in TAFE branches.

The staff of the TAFE branch shall elect up to five (5) Union Representatives to represent appropriate sections of the branch.

Each branch will decide in which locations Union Representatives should be located.

Where more than five (5) nominations are received for these positions and a ballot is necessary, the optional preferential method of voting shall be used.

Nominations by candidates for the position of Union Representative shall be in writing on and shall be signed by the candidate.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

### C BRANCH OFFICERS FOR 2023

Nominations are hereby called for the following Branch Officer positions for the one (1) year term ending 31 December 2023: BALONNE: Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BARRON: Secretary, Women's Contact; BAWI YUMBIN: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BEAUDESERT: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BEENLEIGH: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BENOWA: Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BLACKWATER: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BORDER: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BRISBANE CENTRAL: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BROWNS PLAINS: President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BUNDABERG NORTH: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BUNDABERG SOUTH: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CABOULTURE: President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CAIRNS: Secretary, Women's Contact; CALLIDE & DAWSON VALLEYS: President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CALLIUNGAL: Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CALOUNDRA: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CAMP HILL: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact;

CAPALABA: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CAPE AND GULF: Vice-President; CASSOWARY COAST: President, Vice-President, Secretary; CENTENARY: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CENTRAL HIGHLANDS: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CENTRAL WESTERN: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CHERMSIDE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CLEVELAND: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; COOLUM: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CURTIS COAST: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; DALBY: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; DARLING DOWNS CENTRAL: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; DARLING DOWNS NORTH: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; DARLING DOWNS SOUTH: Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; DECEPTION BAY: President, Vice-President, Women's Contact; EAST BRISBANE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; FASSIFERN: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; FERNY GROVE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; FITZROY: President, Vice-President, Secretary; GEEBUNG: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; GOLD COAST CORRIDOR: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; GOLD COAST EAST: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; GOLD COAST SOUTH: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; GUGINGIN: Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; GYMPIE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; HERVEY BAY: Women's Contact; HINCHINBROOK: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; INALA DISTRICT: Vice-President, Women's Contact; IPSWICH CENTRAL: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; IPSWICH EAST: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact;

IPSWICH WEST: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; KAWANA: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; KEPPEL: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; LEICHHARDT: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; LOCKYER: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; LOGAN WEST: President, Secretary, Women's Contact; LOWER BURDEKIN: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; MACGREGOR/ROCHEDALE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; MACKAY: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; MACKAY NORTH: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; MALENY: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; MARYBOROUGH: Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; MERRIMAC: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; MORAYFIELD: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; MT COOT-THA: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; MTGRAVATT: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; MULGRAVE: Secretary, Women's Contact; NAMBOUR: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; NARANGBA VALLEY: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; NERANG: President, Women's Contact;

NOOSA DISTRICT: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; NORTH BURNETT: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; NORTH EAST BRISBANE: Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; NORTH KENNEDY: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; NORTHERN TABLELANDS: President, Secretary, Women's Contact; PEAK DOWNS: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; PINE RIVERS NORTH: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; PINE RIVERS SOUTH: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; PORT CURTIS: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; REDCLIFFE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; REDLANDS: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; ROSS: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; RUNCORN: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; SHERWOOD: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; SOUTH BRISBANE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; SOUTH WESTERN QUEENSLAND: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; SOUTHPORT: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; SPRINGFIELD: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; SPRINGWOOD EAST: President,

Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; STANTHORPE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; SUNNYBANK: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; TARONG: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; THE GAP: Secretary, Women's Contact; THOZET: Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; THURINGOWA: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; TORRES STRAIT: President, Vice-President, Secretary; TOWNSVILLE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; UPPER GOLD COAST: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; WARREGO: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; WARWICK: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; WESTERN DOWNS: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; WHITSUNDAY: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; WOODRIDGE: President, Secretary, Women's Contact; WOOLLOOWIN: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; WYNNUM: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact.

If nominating for any of the above positions, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## DECLARATION OF INDIGENOUS STATUS

Nominees for Indigenous positions are required to submit, along with their nomination, a declaration of their Indigenous status (unless previously provided) as follows:

I ..... (insert name) DO SOLEMNLY AND SINCERELY DECLARE THAT:

1. I am of Aboriginal/Torres Strait Islander\* descent; and
2. I identify as an Aboriginal person/Torres Strait Islander\*; and
3. \*I am accepted as such by the # \_\_\_\_\_ Community in which I currently live; or
4. \*I am accepted as such by the # \_\_\_\_\_ Community in which I formerly lived for \_\_\_\_\_ years.

(\* Delete whichever is not applicable) (# Insert name of Community)

I make this solemn declaration by virtue of the Oaths Act 1867 and conscientiously believing the statements contained in this declaration to be true in every particular.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Declared at \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_ 20\_\_

Before me \_\_\_\_\_  
(signature of person before whom the declaration is made)

(title of person before whom the declaration is made e.g. School Principal, Justice of the Peace, Commissioner for Declarations or Solicitor)

## QTU/AEU(Q) Collection Statement

In the event of a dispute concerning the Indigenous status of a member, a member may be required to provide supporting documentation.

## QTU/AEU(Q) Collection Statement

1. For all matters relating to personal information collected about an individual covered by the Privacy Act (1988), the individual will need to write to the General Secretary, QTU, PO Box 1750, Milton 4064.
2. You may gain access to personal information about you, held by the QTU.
3. The information is collected to ascertain your eligibility to be elected to an identified position.
4. The Union will not disclose this information to any outside bodies.

## TAFE BRANCH OFFICERS - TAFE DIVISION 2023

Nominations are hereby called for the following Branch Officer positions for the one (1) year term ending 31 December 2023: ACACIA RIDGE (SKILLS TECH): President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BAYSIDE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BRACKEN RIDGE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BRACKEN RIDGE (SKILLS TECH): President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BRISBANE SOUTH: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BUNDABERG: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BUNDAMBA: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CABOOLTURE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CAIRNS: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; DARLING DOWNS: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; EAGLE FARM (SKILLS TECH): President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; GLADSTONE CQU: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; GOLD COAST: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; GROVELY: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; MACKAY CQU: President, Vice-President, Secretary; MARYBOROUGH: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; MOUNT ISA: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; NAMBOUR: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; PIMLICO: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; QLD CENTRAL CQU: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; SOUTHBANK: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; TOOWOOMBA: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; TQOL: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact.

If nominating for the any of the above positions, please fill out the on page eight of this supplement.

## FIRST NATIONS CONTACT - BRANCH FOR 2023

Nominations are hereby called for the following First Nations Contact – Branch for the one (1) year term ending 31 December 2023: BALONNE, BAWI

YUMBIN, BEAUDESERT, BEENLEIGH, BENOWA, BLACKWATER, BORDER, BRISBANE CENTRAL, BROWNS PLAINS, BUNDABERG NORTH, BUNDABERG SOUTH, CABOOLTURE, CALLIDE & DAWSON VALLEYS, CALLIUNGAL, CALOUNDRA, CAMP HILL, CAPALABA, CAPE AND GULF, CENTENARY, CENTRAL HIGHLANDS, CENTRAL WESTERN, CHERMSIDE, CLEVELAND, COOLUM, CURTIS COAST, DALBY, DARLING DOWNS CENTRAL, DARLING DOWNS NORTH, DARLING DOWNS SOUTH, DECEPTION BAY, EAST BRISBANE, FASSIFERN, FERNY GROVE, FITZROY, GEEBUNG, GOLD COAST CORRIDOR, GOLD COAST EAST, GOLD COAST SOUTH, GYMPIE, HERVEY BAY, HINCHINBROOK, INALA DISTRICT, IPSWICH CENTRAL, IPSWICH EAST, IPSWICH WEST, KAWANA, KEPPEL, LEICHHARDT, LOCKYER, LOGAN WEST, LOWER BURDEKIN, MACGREGOR/ROCHEDALE, MACKAY, MACKAY NORTH, MALENY, MAROOCHYDORE, MARYBOROUGH, MERRIMAC, MORAYFIELD, MT COOT-THA, MT GRAVATT, MULGRAVE, NAMBOUR, NARANGBA VALLEY, NERANG, NOOSA DISTRICT, NORTH BURNETT, NORTH EAST BRISBANE, NORTH KENNEDY, PEAK DOWNS, PINE RIVERS NORTH, PINE RIVERS SOUTH, REDCLIFFE, REDLANDS, ROSS, RUNCORN, SHERWOOD, SOUTH BRISBANE, SOUTH WESTERN QUEENSLAND, SOUTHPORT, SPRINGFIELD, SPRINGWOOD EAST, STANTHORPE, SUNNYBANK, TARONG, THE GAP, THOZET, THURINGOWA, TORRES STRAIT, TOWNSVILLE, UPPER GOLD COAST, WARREGO, WARWICK, WESTERN DOWNS, WHITSUNDAY, WOODRIDGE, WOOLLOOWIN, WYNNUM.

If nominating for any of the above positions, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement, including the declaration of Indigenous status if not previously provided.

## FIRST NATIONS CONTACT - TAFE BRANCH FOR 2023

Nominations are hereby called for the following First Nations Contact – TAFE Branch for the one (1) year term ending 31 December 2023: ACACIA RIDGE (SKILLS TECH), BAYSIDE, BRACKEN RIDGE, BRACKEN RIDGE (SKILLS TECH), BRISBANE SOUTH, BUNDABERG, BUNDAMBA, CABOOLTURE, CAIRNS, DARLING DOWNS, EAGLE FARM (SKILLS TECH), GLADSTONE CQU, GOLD COAST, GROVELY, MACKAY

CQU, MARYBOROUGH, MOUNT ISA, NAMBOUR, PIMLICO, QLD CENTRAL CQU, SOUTHBANK, TOOWOOMBA, TQOL.

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## FIRST NATIONS CONTACT - AREA COUNCIL

Nominations are hereby called for the following First Nations Contact – Area Council positions for remainder of the three (3) year term commencing 1 April 2022: GOLD COAST AREA COUNCIL, LOGAN REDLANDS AREA COUNCIL, METROPOLITAN CENTRAL AREA COUNCIL, METROPOLITAN NORTH AREA COUNCIL, METROPOLITAN SOUTH AREA COUNCIL, NORTH QUEENSLAND AREA COUNCIL, SOUTH QUEENSLAND AREA COUNCIL, SUNSHINE COAST AREA COUNCIL, WIDE BAY AREA COUNCIL.

If nominating for any of the above positions, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement, including the declaration of Indigenous status if not previously provided.

## AREA COUNCIL WOMEN'S CONTACTS

Nominations are hereby called for the following Area Council Women's Contact positions for remainder of the three (3) year term commencing 1 April 2022: LOGAN REDLANDS AREA COUNCIL, METROPOLITAN CENTRAL AREA COUNCIL, METROPOLITAN NORTH AREA COUNCIL, METROPOLITAN SOUTH AREA COUNCIL, METROPOLITAN WEST LOGAN AREA COUNCIL, SOUTH QUEENSLAND AREA COUNCIL.

If nominating for any of the above positions, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement

## APPLICANT REVIEW PANEL

Nominations are hereby called for two (2) QTU nominees (one each from the secondary and special education sectors) to the Applicant Review Panel for the three (3) year term beginning January 2023.

The Applicant Review Panel is a joint Union/department panel which receives applications from classified officers for relocation, as a result of either displacement or compassionate circumstances or following remote service. The panel assesses the eligibility of applicants for relocation and makes recommendations to the Vacancy Review Panel.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above positions, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **F INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC REFERENCE COMMITTEE (IMRC)**

Nominations are hereby called for up to four (4) QTU members to be endorsed as employee delegates on the Instrumental Music Reference Committee for the two (2) year term commencing on 1 July 2023.

The IMRC is a consultative body that meets at least once per term to facilitate consultation between the Department of Education, relevant employees and their unions, regarding industrial issues impacting, or which may impact upon, instrumental music teachers or instructors.

Meetings are held in Brisbane and teleconferencing facilities are available for regional delegates. All Union delegates will be required to attend a caucus meeting via teleconference prior to IMRC meetings and provide a written report to Executive after IMRC meetings.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **F QCU UNIONS FOR REFUGEES WORKING COMMITTEE**

Nominations are hereby called for one (1) QTU nominee to the Queensland Council of Union's Unions for Refugees Working Committee for the one (1) year term commencing 1 January 2023. The committee's primary objective is to advocate for the rights of refugees in line with Australia's humanitarian obligations and to develop and maintain relationships with community organisations operating within the refugee rights sphere.

Meetings may be held up to ten times per year.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **G QTU NOMINEES PROMOTION SELECTION PANELS**

The QTU is represented by nominees on all promotion selection panels for classified teaching positions.

Nominees must exhibit:

- support for QTU member working conditions and directives
- involvement in QTU activities e.g. legal seminars, QTEC training days
- involvement in QTU structures e.g. Committee member
- continuity in their QTU membership
- previous completion of QTU promotion panel training or a commitment to undertake QTU promotion panel training
- hold a promotional position.

Upon receipt of nominations, advice will be sought from QTU branches via the Organiser on the suitability of nominees, prior to the final decision on endorsement by State Council. Please note that nominating for this position does not automatically make you eligible to hold the position as of the closing date. Nominees (if endorsed by the branch and Executive) must be ratified by Council (which meets quarterly) before they are eligible to undertake the duties of a Promotion Selection Panel position holder.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **E AGENDA COMMITTEE**

Nominations are hereby called for three (3) members of the Agenda Committee for the three (3) year term commencing on May Council 2023 or such other term as determined by Council/Conference.

The Committee meets as required prior to and during meetings of Council and Conference to consider and make

recommendations to Council/Conference with respect to the order and manner of dealing with Council/Conference business.

A nominee for a position on the Agenda Committee must be a member of Council.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **E APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE**

Nominations are hereby called for six (6) members of the Appointments Committee for the three (3) year term commencing May Council 2023 or such other term as determined by Council/Conference.

The Committee meets as required to consider the appointment of Officers of the Union. A nominee for a position on the Appointments Committee must be a member of Council for the Council Representative term commencing 1 May at the time of election.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **E AWARDS COMMITTEE**

Nominations are hereby called for four (4) members of the Awards Committee for the three (3) year term commencing May Council 2023 or such other term as determined by Council/Conference. The Committee makes recommendations to Council or Executive on nomination of members or former members for Australian honours, Life Membership of the QTU and QTU Service Awards. Nominees must be members of Council.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **E EDUCATION LEADERS COMMITTEE**

Nominations are hereby called for fifteen (15) members, one of whom will be First Nations peoples where one nominates, of the Education Leaders Committee

for the three (3) year term commencing May Council 2023 or such other term as determined by Council/Conference. The Committee meets after school hours at The Teachers' Building, Milton and/or via videoconference. Every second year, the committee will meet face to face in Brisbane for a one day workshop.

The Committee monitors and provides advice, recommendations, reports and submissions to Committees, Executive, Council and/or Conference with regards to issues that impact on education leaders and schools, the implementation of departmental initiatives which directly impact on education leaders as well as advocating on issues that impact on their health and wellbeing.

Where nominations are received from the relevant classifications, representation on the ELC will include at a minimum:

- 1 x executive principal (or equivalent)
- 2 x secondary principals
- 2 x primary principals
- 1 x special principal
- 1 x P-10/P-12 principal
- 1 x teaching principal
- 1 x secondary deputy principal
- 1 x primary deputy principal
- 1 x special deputy principal/HOSES.

It is preferable that Committee members be principals or associate administrators. Members who hold a full-time paid position with any principal association will be ineligible for membership of Education Leaders Committee for the duration of their term of office with the association.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **E GANDU JARJUM – FIRST NATIONS EDUCATION COMMITTEE**

Nominations are hereby called for the following members of Gandu Jarjum (First Nations Education Committee) for the three (3) year term ending May Council 2026 or such other term as determined by Council/Conference:

Far North Queensland – three (3) delegates (one member must be a Torres

Strait Islander teaching in a Torres Strait school)

South Queensland – three (3) delegates (includes Greater Brisbane, South Coast, Redlands, Moreton, Toowoomba, Darling Downs and South West Queensland Areas)

Central Queensland – one (1) delegate

North Queensland – two (2) delegates

Sunshine Coast (including Wide Bay) – one (1) delegate

TAFE Division – one (1) delegate

General Division – four (4) delegates who are First Nations members elected to the committee following the filling of delegate positions from the relevant geographic areas and/or sector.

At least two (2) of the delegates on Gandu Jarjum must be Torres Strait Islander members.

Unless already provided, nominees for positions on Gandu Jarjum will be required to submit, along with their nomination, a declaration of their Indigenous status (see form on page two of this supplement). Members of Gandu Jarjum will be First Nations people.

The Committee will meet at least four times a year. These meetings will be face to face, however at least one or more of these meetings may be held outside Brisbane, subject to travel arrangements. Meetings will be scheduled for weekends or other non-working days. All other meetings of the Committee will be held via teleconference.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement

## **E PRIDE COMMITTEE**

Nominations are hereby called for fifteen (15) members of the Pride Committee who self identify as part of the Pride community for the three (3) year term ending May 2026 or such other term as determined by Council/Conference. One of positions will be for a First Nations person where one nominates. One of the positions will also be dedicated to a TAFE position, where a person working in TAFE nominates.

The Committee is responsible for any matters impacting or relating to LGBTIQ+ education, inclusion and advocacy and

the employment, status and conditions of Union members who identify as part of the LGBTIQ+ community.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **E PROFESSIONAL ISSUES COMMITTEE**

Nominations are hereby called for fifteen (15) members of the Professional Issues Committee, one of whom will be a First Nations person where one nominates, for the three (3) year term commencing May Council 2023 or such other term as determined by Council/Conference.

The Committee usually meets once per term after school hours. The meeting is a "hybrid" meeting held at The Teachers' Building, Milton, and via Teams. The PI committee is responsible for the development of appropriate policies in the area of curriculum, assessment, reporting, teacher registration, preservice teacher education, teacher induction and professional development. It provides advice, recommendations and reports to Executive, Council and Conference.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **E SPECIAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE**

Nominations are hereby called for fifteen (15) members of the Special Education Committee, one of whom will be a First Nations peoples where one nominates, for the three (3) year term commencing May Council 2023 or such other term as determined by Council/Conference.

The Committee will usually meet quarterly (or more frequently if required) after school hours online with one meeting being a face-to-face workshop at The QTU Milton Office. It is responsible for matters pertaining to the industrial conditions of members, workload issues, workplace consultation and other emerging issues that impact on members working conditions.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **E WOMEN TEACHERS AND GIRLS EDUCATION COMMITTEE**

Nominations are hereby called for fifteen (15) members of the Women Teachers and Girls Education Committee, one of whom will be a First Nations peoples where one nominates and one of whom will be a TAFE employee where a woman working in TAFE nominates, for the three (3) year term commencing May Council 2023 or such other term as determined by Council/Conference.

The Committee meets quarterly after school hours, once face-to-face in The Teachers' Building, Milton, and the remainder via web conference. The committee considers matters relating to the rights of women teachers and female students, including discrimination on the basis of sex, gender identity, age, relationship or parental status and it oversees the Union's policy on gender equity, feminist issues, industrial conditions that support women workers, and equity issues for girls.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **E WORKING CONDITIONS COMMITTEE**

Nominations are hereby called for fifteen (15) members of the Working Conditions Committee, one of whom will be a First Nations people where one nominates, for the three (3) year term commencing May Council 2023 or such other term as determined by Council/Conference.

The Committee will usually meet quarterly (or more frequently if required) after school hours, and is responsible for matters pertaining to the industrial conditions of members, workload issues, workplace consultation and other emerging issues that impact on members' working conditions. Teleconference facilities will be available.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **F AEU FEDERAL CONFERENCE DELEGATION**

Nominations are hereby called for fifteen (15) QTU members to be endorsed as delegates to the AEU Federal Conference for the two (2) year term commencing 1 January 2024.

Candidates must be members of the AEU General Division.

The delegates elected, together with Federal Executive members, form the AEU (Queensland) delegation to the AEU Federal Conference held in late February.

Election to be by Council. The election is subject to AEU requirements concerning the minimum number of female delegates. In the event that the AEU(Q) has a lesser entitlement, the last candidate endorsed in the Council election will have their endorsement withdrawn.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **F AEU FEDERAL CONFERENCE – ABORIGINAL & TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER DELEGATE**

Nominations are hereby called for one (1) QTU member to be endorsed as the Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Delegate for the two (2) year term commencing 1 January 2024.

The delegate elected will be part of the AEU (Queensland) delegation to the AEU Federal Conference held in late February. The candidate must be an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Island person but may be a member of either the TAFE or General Division of the AEU.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement. Nominees will be required to submit, along with their nomination, a declaration of their Indigenous status (unless previously provided) (see form on page two of this supplement).

## **F AEU FEDERAL CONFERENCE – TAFE DIVISION DELEGATE**

Nominations are hereby called for one

(1) QTU member to be endorsed as the Queensland TAFE Division delegate to the AEU Federal Conference for the two (2) year term commencing 1 January 2024.

The delegate elected will be part of the AEU (Queensland) delegation to the AEU Federal Conference held in late February. The candidate must be a member of the TAFE Division.

Election to be by TAFE Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **F AEU FEDERAL WOMEN'S CONFERENCE**

Nominations are hereby called for up to four (4) delegates to the AEU Federal Women's Conference to be held in Melbourne in October 2023 (date TBC). Together with the Vice-President and the Women's Coordinator, they will form the QTU delegation to the Conference.

Delegates have the opportunity to join in the debate and discussion on federal issues that impact on working women's lives. Elected delegates will be required to submit a report on the workshop/plenary session that they attend. Travel will be organised by the QTU/AEU as appropriate. Contact the QTU Women's Co-ordinator for more information.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

Please note: QTU policy states that the QTU delegation to the AEU Federal Women's Conference shall include at least one Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander member when at least one nomination is received.

## **F AEU TAFE COUNCIL EXECUTIVE**

Nominations are hereby called for one (1) QTU TAFE member to be endorsed for the AEU TAFE Council Executive for the two (2) year term commencing 1 January 2024.

The AEU TAFE Council Executive consists of representatives from each state/territory affiliate. Policy matters are discussed and new policy formulated in

preparation for the AEU Conference. The AEU TAFE Council Executive meets three times per year in Melbourne.

Election to be by TAFE Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement

## **F AEU NATIONAL TAFE DIVISION COUNCIL**

Nominations are hereby called for two (2) QTU TAFE candidates to be endorsed for the AEU TAFE Division Council (in addition to the AEU-TAFE Council Executive member) for the two (2) year term commencing 1 January 2024.

The AEU-TAFE Division Council is a national meeting of representatives from affiliates of the Australian Education Union. Under AEU rules, at least two of the TAFE Division Council members (including the AEU TAFE Council Executive representative) must be women when sufficient women nominate.

Election to be by TAFE Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **F AEU NATIONAL PRINCIPAL COMMITTEE**

Nominations are hereby called for one (1) candidate to be endorsed by the QTU for election to the AEU National Principal Committee for the two (2) year term commencing 1 January 2024. The candidate must meet the requirements for election to the committee.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **F AEU NATIONAL EARLY CHILDHOOD COMMITTEE (GENERAL DIVISION)**

Nominations are hereby called for one (1) candidate to be endorsed by the QTU for election to the AEU National Early Childhood Committee (General Division) for the two (2) year term commencing 1 January 2024. The candidate must meet the requirements for election to the committee.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement.

## **F YALUKIT YULENDJ (AEU NATIONAL ABORIGINAL & TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER EDUCATION COMMITTEE) (GENERAL DIVISION)**

Nominations are hereby called for one (1) QTU candidate of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent to be endorsed for the AEU National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education Committee for the two (2) year term commencing 1 January 2024.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement. Nominees will be required to submit, along with their nomination, a declaration of their Indigenous status (unless previously provided) and may be required to submit supporting documentation in line with that approved and used by peak Indigenous councils (see form on page two of this supplement).

## **F YALUKIT YULENDJ (AEU NATIONAL ABORIGINAL & TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER EDUCATION COMMITTEE) (TAFE DIVISION)**

Nominations are hereby called for one (1) QTU TAFE candidate of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent, to be endorsed for the AEU National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education Committee (TAFE Division) Federal Delegate for the two (2) year term commencing 1 January 2024.

Election to be by TAFE Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page eight of this supplement. Nominees will be required to submit, along with their nomination, a declaration of their Indigenous status (unless previously provided), see form on page two of this supplement.



**If applying for more than one position, separate nomination forms must be submitted or they will be ruled out of order.**

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**PLEASE INDICATE BELOW [TICK ONE BOX ONLY] WHICH POSITION TYPE YOU ARE APPLYING FOR.**

**Acknowledgement sent via email.**

**A** UNION REPRESENTATIVES IN SCHOOLS/ WORKPLACES

**C** BRANCH POSITIONS

- Branch President
- Branch Vice-President
- Branch Secretary
- Branch Women's Contact

**D** AREA COUNCIL WOMEN'S CONTACTS

**E** UNION STANDING COMMITTEES

**F** QTU REPRESENTATIVES ON OUTSIDE BODIES

**G** QTU NOMINEES: PROMOTION SELECTION PANELS

**I** TAFE DIVISION: BRANCH POSITIONS

- Branch President
- Branch Vice-President
- Branch Secretary
- Branch Women's Contact

**K** TAFE DIVISION: UNION REPRESENTATIVES

**L** ABORIGINAL AND/OR TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER CONTACTS (including declaration of Indigenous status)

- branches
- TAFE branches
- Area Councils

**CANDIDATE: (ALL POSITIONS)**

I, \_\_\_\_\_  
(Insert full name in BLOCK LETTERS)  
a financial member of the Queensland Teachers' Union, am a nominee for the position of (print clearly the position sought and include branch, school or workplace where applicable)

and DO HEREBY AGREE to act if elected.

\_\_\_\_\_ (signature of candidate)

My preferred name is: \_\_\_\_\_

My membership no. is: \_\_\_\_\_ My branch is: \_\_\_\_\_

My work e-mail address is: \_\_\_\_\_

My preferred e-mail address is (if different from work): \_\_\_\_\_

My home number is \_\_\_\_\_ My mobile number is \_\_\_\_\_

**NOMINATORS (C, D, E, F, G, I, L ONLY)**

Nominations must be in writing in the following form and must be signed by two (2) or more financial members of the Union and by the candidate. Nominators for branch positions (C,I,L) must also be financial members of the branch. Nominators for Area Council Women's Contact and Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Contact must also be branch delegates to Area Council and/or members of Gandu Jarjum.

We, the undersigned, financial members of the Queensland Teachers' Union, DO HEREBY NOMINATE the above member.

Member No. (if known)	Signature of nominator	Full Name (BLOCK LETTERS)
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**CANDIDATE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: (E, F, G ONLY)**

It would be appreciated if candidates would provide a resumé (attach separately) of Union activities (maximum 250 words) under the following headings where applicable: (1) Present teaching position (2) Academic qualifications (3) Union experience at (a) branch or Area Council level; (b) Council level; (c) Committee level; (d) Executive level; (e) and, if the candidate wishes, a "policy" statement.

**Declaration of Indigenous status, if applicable (please tick):**

attached  previously provided

I FURTHER AGREE to:

- follow Union policy and directives if elected
- that should I cease to be a member of the Union or should I be requested by a decision of the Council of the Union to resign from the position, I will resign.

\_\_\_\_\_ (signature of candidate)

**CANDIDATE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: (G ONLY)**

My support for the QTU has been demonstrated through the following (please tick):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Followed all past QTU directives                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Involvement in QTU State Council |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Strong supporter of the QTU at school and/or district level | <input type="checkbox"/> Involvement in QTU Committee     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Attended QTU branch meetings                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Involvement in QTU campaigns     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Involvement in QTU Area Council                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) _____     |

Nominations must be lodged with the Returning Officer, Queensland Teachers' Union on or before **noon on Monday 13 March 2023.**

Postal address: PO Box 1750, Milton QLD 4064 or email: qtu@qtu.asn.au

**(Signed) Kate Ruttiman, Returning Officer**