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## 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 there are not sufficient positions available and where a school already has an allocation of additional Union Representatives, or the General Secretary determines not to grant an additional allocation, an election will be held between the current Union Rep team and those nominated.

In such circumstances, the General Secretary will advise the existing Workplace Reps of the nominations of Representatives more than the school's allocation and of their intention to conduct an election.

Should existing representatives, or any duly nominated representatives, wish not to participate in the election, the General Secretary will treat this advice as a request to resign from the position, or to withdraw their nomination.

Following this process, members at the workplace will be advised of the intent to conduct an election for the representative team.

The rule requiring at least 50 per cent of the Union Representatives in a workplace to be female; and a First Nations member (should one nominate) will continue to apply in these circumstances.

Elections caused under this section will only occur once in a three-year period.

Where ballot is necessary, the optional preferential method of voting shall be used.

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. attendance at branch meetings where possible,
- continuity in their QTU membership.

If nominating for the above position, please complete and sign the form on page four.

## K UNION REPRESENTATIVES IN TAFE BRANCHES

Nominations are hereby called for Union Representatives in TAFE branches.

The members 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.

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

If nominating for the above position, please complete and sign the form on page four.

#### BRANCH OFFICERS FOR 2025

Nominations are hereby called for the following Branch Officer positions for the one (1) year term commencing 1 January 2025:

**BALONNE:** President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BARRON: President, Vice-President. 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: President, Vice-Secretary, Women's President, Contact; BLACKWATER: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact: BORDER: President, Vice-President. Secretary, Women's BRISBANE **CENTRAL:** Contact; Vice-President, President, Secretary, Women's Contact: BROWNS PLAINS: President, Vice-President. Secretary, Women's **BUNDABERG** Contact NORTH: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact: BUNDABERG SOUTH: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CABOOLTURE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's



Contact; CAIRNS: President, Vice-President. Secretary, Women's Contact CALLIDE & DAWSON VALLEYS: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CALLIUNGAL: President, Vice-Secretary, President. 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: President, Vice-President. Women's Secretary, Contact: CASSOWARY COAST: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; CENTENARY: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact: CENTRAL HIGHLANDS: Vice-President, 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. Women's Secretary, Contact: DARLING **DOWNS** President, **CENTRAL:** Vice-Women's President, Secretary, Contact; DARLING **DOWNS** NORTH: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact: DARLING **DOWNS** SOUTH: Vice-President, President, Secretary, Women's Contact: DECEPTION BAY: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact: EAST BRISBANE: President. Vice-President, Secretary, Women's FASSIFERN: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; FERNY GROVE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact FITZROY: President, Vice-President. Secretary, Women's Contact: 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: President. Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact GYMPIE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; HERVEY BAY: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact: HINCHINBROOK: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; INALA DISTRICT: President, Vice-President, Women's Secretary, Contact: CENTRAL: President. IPSWICH 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-

#### .....(insert name) DO SOLEMNLY AND SINCERELY DECLARE THAT: 1. I am of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander\* descent; and 2. Lidentify 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. 5. Country or Language group (\* 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\_\_\_

Nominees for First Nations positions are required to submit, along with their nomination, a declaration of

#### QTU/AEU(Q) Collection Statement

- 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.
- You may gain access to personal information about you, held by the QTU.
- The information is collected to ascertain your eligibility to be elected to an identified position.
- The Union will not disclose this information to any outside bodies.

(title of person before whom the declaration is made e.g. School Principal, Justice of the Peace, Commissioner for Declarations, solicitor or other profession as listed in the Oaths Act 1867)

#### QTU/AEU(Q) Collection Statement

Before me

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

(signature of person before whom the declaration is made)

DECLARATION OF FIRST NATIONS STATUS

their First Nations status (unless previously provided) as follows:



President. Secretary, Women's Contact; LOGAN WEST: President, Vice-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 MAROOCHYDORE: Contact: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact: MARYBOROUGH: President, 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; MT GRAVATT: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact MULGRAVE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; NAMBOUR: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact: NARANGBA VALLEY: President, Vice-President, Women's Secretary, Contact; NERANG: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact: NOOSA DISTRICT: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; NORTH **BURNETT:** President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; NORTH EAST BRISBANE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; **NORTH KENNEDY:** President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; **NORTHERN** TABLELANDS: President. Vice-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-Secretary, President, Women's Contact; PORT CURTIS: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's REDCLIFFE: President, Contact; 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-Secretary, Women's President, Contact: SOUTH WESTERN OUEENSLAND: 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; THE GAP: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; THOZET: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; THREE PINES: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; THURINGOWA: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; TORRES STRAIT: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; TOWNSVILLE: President, Vice-President. Secretary, Women's Contact; UPPER GOLD COAST: President, Vice-President, Contact; Secretary, Women's WARREGO: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's

Contact: WARWICK: President. Vice-President, Secretary, Women's **WESTERN** Contact; DOWNS: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; WHITSUNDAY: President, Vice-President. Secretary, Women's Contact; WOODRIDGE: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; WOOLOOWIN: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; WYNNUM: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact.

If nominating for any of the above positions, please complete and sign the form on page four.

#### TAFE BRANCH OFFICERS TAFE DIVISION 2025

Nominations are hereby called for the following Branch Officer positions for the one (1) year term commencing 1 January 2025:

ACACIA RIDGE (SKILLS TECH): Vice-President. President, Secretary, Women's Contact: BAYSIDE: President. Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; BRACKEN RIDGE (SKILLS TECH): President, Vice-President, Women's Secretary, Contact: BRISBANE SOUTH: President, Vice-Secretary, President, 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: 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: MACKAY COU: President, Vice-President, Women's Contact; Secretary, MARYBOROUGH: President, Vice-President. Secretary, Women's Contact; NAMBOUR: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; PIMLICO: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; QUEENSLAND CENTRAL COU: President, Vice-President, Women's Contact: Secretary, SOUTHBANK: President, Vice-Secretary, President, Women's Contact; TOOWOOMBA: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Women's Contact; TQOL: President, Vice-Secretary, President, Women's Contact.

If nominating for the any of the above positions, please complete and sign the form on page four.

## FIRST NATIONS CONTACT - BRANCH FOR 2025

Nominations are hereby called for the following First Nations Contact - Branch positions for the one (1) year term commencing 1 January 2025:

BAWI BALONNE, BARRON, YUMBIN, BEAUDESERT, BEENLEIGH, BLACKWATER, BENOWA, BRISBANE BORDER, CENTRAL, BROWNS PLAINS, BUNDABERG NORTH, BUNDABERG SOUTH, CABOOLTURE, CAIRNS, CALLIDE & DAWSON VALLEYS, CALLIUNGAL, **CAMP** HILL. CALOUNDRA. CAPALABA, CAPE AND GULF, CASSOWARY COAST, 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, GUGINGIN, 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, NORTHERN TABLELANDS, **PEAK** DOWNS. PINE RIVERS NORTH, PINE RIVERS SOUTH, PORT CURTIS, REDCLIFFE, REDLANDS, ROSS, RUNCORN, SHERWOOD, SOUTH BRISBANE, SOUTH WESTERN QUEENSLAND, SOUTHPORT. SPRINGFIELD. SPRINGWOOD EAST, STANTHORPE, SUNNYBANK, THE GAP, THOZET, PINES, THREE THURINGOWA, TORRES STRAIT, TOWNSVILLE, UPPER GOLD COAST, WARREGO, WESTERN WARWICK. DOWNS. WHITSUNDAY, WOODRIDGE. WOOLOOWIN, WYNNUM.

If nominating for any of the above positions, please complete and sign the form on page four. Nominees will be required to submit, along with their nomination, a declaration of their First Nations status (unless previously provided).

## FIRST NATIONS CONTACT - TAFE BRANCH FOR 2025

Nominations are hereby called for the following First Nations Contact - Branch positions for the one (1) year term commencing 1 January 2025: ACACIA RIDGE (SKILLS TECH). BAYSIDE. **BRACKEN RIDGE** (SKILLS TECH), BRISBANE SOUTH, BUNDABERG, BUNDAMBA. CABOOLTURE, CAIRNS, DARLING DOWNS, EAGLE FARM (SKILLS TECH), **GLADSTONE** CQU. GOLD COAST, MACKAY CQU, MARYBOROUGH, NAMBOUR, PIMLICO, QUEENSLAND CENTRAL CQU, SOUTHBANK, TOOWOOMBA, TOOL.

If nominating for any of the above positions, please complete and sign the form on page four. Nominees will be required to submit, along with their nomination, a declaration of their First Nations status (unless previously provided).

## FIRST NATIONS CONTACT - AREA COUNCIL

Nominations are hereby called for the following First Nations Contact - Area Council positions for the three (3) year term commencing 1 April 2025:

CENTRAL **OUEENSLAND** AREA COUNCIL, FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND AREA COUNCIL, GOLD COAST AREA COUNCIL. LOGAN **REDLANDS AREA** COUNCIL, **METROPOLITAN** CENTRAL AREA COUNCIL. METROPOLITAN NORTH AREA COUNCIL, METROPOLITAN SOUTH AREA COUNCIL, METROPOLITAN WEST LOGAN AREA COUNCIL, NORTH QUEENSLAND **AREA** COUNCIL, SOUTH QUEENSLAND AREA COUNCIL, SUNSHINE COAST AREA COUNCIL, WIDE BAY AREA COUNCIL.

A nominee for First Nations Contact of an Area Council must hold the position of Branch Delegate to the respective Area Council. If nominating for any of the above



positions, please complete and sign the form on page four. Nominees will be required to submit, along with their nomination, a declaration of their First Nations status (unless previously provided).

### AREA COUNCIL WOMEN'S CONTACTS

Nominations are hereby called for the following Area Council Women's Contact positions for the three (3) year term commencing 1 April 2025:

**CENTRAL QUEENSLAND** AREA COUNCIL, FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND AREA COUNCIL, GOLD COAST AREA COUNCIL, LOGAN **REDLANDS AREA** COUNCIL, **METROPOLITAN** CENTRAL **AREA** COUNCIL, METROPOLITAN NORTH AREA COUNCIL, METROPOLITAN SOUTH AREA COUNCIL, METROPOLITAN WEST LOGAN AREA COUNCIL, NORTH QUEENSLAND **AREA** COUNCIL, SOUTH QUEENSLAND AREA COUNCIL, SUNSHINE COAST AREA COUNCIL, WIDE BAY AREA COUNCIL.

A nominee for Women's Contact of an Area Council must hold the position of Branch Delegate to the respective Area Council. If nominating for any of the above positions, please complete and sign the form on page four.

# PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS COMMITTEE OF THE QUEENSLAND COLLEGE OF TEACHERS

Nominations are hereby called for one (1) QTU Representative on the Professional Standards Committee of the Queensland College of Teachers for the three (3) year term commencing 1 January 2025. The activities of the committee are:

- the Professional Standards for Teachers
- monitoring and accreditation of pre-service teacher education courses
- the CPD Framework
- monitoring national initiatives
- certification of highly accomplished and lead teachers
- policies and guidelines for returning to teaching programs and to endorse appropriate programs
- provide advice to the Board of the College on policy issues.

In addition, the Professional Standards Committee establishes appropriate working parties, taskforces or sub-committees to support it in responding to its terms of reference.

The committee meets once a month for half a day.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page four.

#### PRIDE COMMITTEE

Nominations are hereby called for one (1) member of the Pride Committee who self-identify as part of the Pride community for the remainder of the three (3) year term ending May 2026 or such other term as determined by Council/Conference.

The Committee is responsible for any matters impacting on 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 four of this supplement.

### PROFESSIONAL ISSUES COMMITTEE

Nominations are hereby called for one (1) member of the Professional Issues Committee for the remainder of the three (3) year term ending May Council 2026 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 four of this supplement.

## QCU UNIONS FOR REFUGEES WORKING COMMITTEE

Nominations are hereby called for two (2) QTU nominees to the Queensland Council of Union's Unions for Refugees Working Committee for the one (1) year term commencing 1 January 2025. 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 with the refugee rights sphere. Meetings may be held up to ten times per year.

Election to be by Council.



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If nominating for the above position, please complete and sign the form on page four.

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE, JAMES COOK UNIVERSITY (TOWNSVILLE CAMPUS)

Nominations are hereby called for one (1) Union representative on the Professional Experience Advisory Committee, James Cook University (Townsville Campus) for the remainder of the two (2) year term ending 31 December 2025.

The committee meets approximately four times per year to advise and review policy and procedures for the school experience program and to maintain close liaison and facilitate integration between schools, the university and employing authorities.

Election to be by the relevant Area Council.

If nominating for the above position, please complete and sign the form on page four.

# 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 as the AEU National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education Committee (TAFE Division) Federal Delegate for the remainder of the two (2) year term ending 31 December 2025.

Election to be by TAFE Council.

If nominating for the above

position, please complete and sign the form on page four. Nominees will be required to submit, along with their nomination, a declaration of their First Nations status (unless previously provided).

## REMOTE AREA TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAM (RATEP) MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Nominations are hereby called for one (1) QTU nominee to the RATEP Management Committee for the one (1) year term commencing 1 January 2025. DoE partners with TQN TAFE and JCU for this community based program, which aims to increase the number of qualified First Nations teachers and paraprofessionals employed in Queensland schools. The committee meets three (3) times per year alternating between JCU Townsville and TQN TAFE, Cairns. A QTU nominee has been included on the committee to provide advice and oversee the implementation of RATEP.

Election to be by Council.

If nominating for the above position, please fill out the form on page four.

## 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. attendance at branch meetings

- 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.

Members wishing to be considered for promotion panel nomination are invited to nominate by completing and signing the form on page four.

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 undertake the duties of a QTU representative on a promotion selection panel 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 panels position holder.

If nominating for the above position, please complete and sign the form on page four.

### ANNA STEWART MEMORIAL PROJECT

Nominations are hereby called for two (2) women activists who are QTU members to participate in the Anna Stewart Memorial Project (ASMP). At least one of these activists will be from a rural, remote or regional centre should one nominate.

Nominees must:

- identify as a woman
- hold a delegate's role, including but not limited to: Union Representative, Branch Delegate, Area Council Delegate, State



Council Delegate, committee member

- engage in union activities
- have involvement in QTU campaigns at a school, branch, regional or state level
- demonstrate leadership
- possess appropriate skills as an activist to a high level, e.g. communication, interpersonal, organisational
- have not participated in previous ASMPs for the QTU or other unions within Australia.

This is a two week program generally conducted in Term 3. The successful candidates will need to be absent on industrial relations education (IRE) leave from their school/workplace for the entire two week period.

The QTU will also meet travel and accommodation expenses for country participants. Successful participants are required to submit a report to the QCU at the conclusion of the project.

Election to be by Council.

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

## EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST – ACTING ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS 2025

Expressions of interest are sought from QTU members who are interested in acting as a Union officer in 2025. Members interested in acting Administrative Officer opportunities are required to submit a maximum two-page Curriculum Vitae and maximum two-page statement of suitability outlining their degree of Union involvement, professional experience, suitability for acting administrative officer positions. If there is a specific position members wish to express interest in, please include this as part of the statement of suitability.

For more information, please see "QTU Policy A – Structures Services and Procedures", Section 25.

If nominating for the above position, please email your supporting statement outlining which acting positions you are interested in and your suitability and maximum two-page resume to gtu@qtu.asn.au



### Nomination form for QTU positions $\lambda$



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

1 Nov	ember 2024	■ CANDIDATE: (ALL POSITIONS)	
PLEASE INDICATE BELOW [TICK ONE BOX ONLY] WHICH POSITION TYPE YOU ARE APPLYING FOR.  Acknowledgement sent via email.		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.	
		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	
□A	UNION REPRESENTATIVES IN SCHOOLS/ WORKPLACES	decision of the Council of the Union to resign from the position, I will resign.  (signature of candidate)	
□C	BRANCH POSITIONS	My <u>preferred</u> name is:	
	Branch President	My membership no. is:My branch is:	
	<ul><li>Branch Vice-President</li><li>Branch Secretary</li></ul>	My work e-mail address is:	
	<ul> <li>Branch Women's Contact</li> </ul>	My <u>preferred</u> e-mail address is (if different from work):	
	AREA COUNCIL WOMEN'S	My home number is My mobile number is	
ΔD	CONTACTS	■ NOMINATORS (C, D, E, F, G, I, L ONLY)	
DΕ	UNION STANDING COMMITTEES	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 First Nations	
□F	QTU REPRESENTATIVES ON OUTSIDE BODIES	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.	
⊐G	QTU NOMINEES: PROMOTION SELECTION PANELS	Member No. (if known) Signature of nominator (BLOCK LETTERS)	
<b>□</b>	TAFE DIVISION: BRANCH POSITIONS		
	Branch President		
	<ul><li>Branch Vice-President</li><li>Branch Secretary</li></ul>		
	Branch Women's Contact	■ CANDIDATE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: (E, F, G ONLY) It would be appreciated if candidates would provide a resumé (attach separately) of Union activities	
□K	TAFE DIVISION: UNION REPRESENTATIVES	(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 First Nations status, if applicable (please tick):	
□L	FIRST NATIONS CONTACTS (including declaration of First Nations status)	□ attached □ previously provided	
	Branches	■ CANDIDATE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: (G ONLY)  My support for the QTU has been demonstrated through the following (please tick):	
	TAFE branches	☐ Followed all past QTU directives ☐ Involvement in QTU State Council	
	Area Councils	□ Strong supporter of the QTU at school □ Involvement in QTU Committee □ Involvement in QTU campaigns □ Attended QTU branch meetings □ Other (please specify) □ Involvement in QTU Area Council	

Nominations must be lodged with the Returning Officer, Queensland Teachers' Union on or before noon on Friday, 29 November 2024. An additional closing date for Union Representatives in schools **only** is noon on Friday, 14 February 2025. Postal address: PO Box 1750, Milton QLD 4064 or email: qtu@qtu.asn.au (Sianed) Kate Ruttiman, Returning Officer (Signed) Kate Ruttiman, Returning Officer