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IRBA ACCREDITATION COMMITTEE

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

The Independent Regulatory Board for Auditors (IRBA) is a statutory body established in terms of Section 3 of the Auditing Profession Act (Act No. 26 of 2005), as amended. As part of its functions, the IRBA considers and decides on any accreditation applications by professional bodies. After its consideration, the IRBA then grants such accreditation either in full or in part, as set out in Section 5(b) and Section 32 (2) of the Act. Accordingly, the IRBA then establishes the Accreditation Committee (ACCOM) as an ad hoc subcommittee of the Education and Transformation Committee (EDCOM).

The IRBA now calls for nominations for members to serve on ACCOM to evaluate applications by professional bodies that seek accreditation. The applications will be evaluated against the requirements of the IRBA's [Accreditation Model](#).

ACCOM shall undertake its functions in line with the IRBA Code for Board and Committee Members as well as the principles outlined in Section 4 of the IRBA's Accreditation Model.

As the IRBA strives to ensure that members of its committees are independent, ACCOM requires members who are objective.

In making its decision on who should serve on ACCOM, EDCOM shall consider, among others, the following:

- Independence in mind and appearance;
- Qualifications;
- Professional affiliations;
- Race;
- Gender;
- Geographical representation; and
- Skills and experience.

ACCOM shall consist of a minimum of eight (8) members who have expertise, experience and interest in the field of **education, training and the professional development of professional accountants and auditors**. Of those eight:

- At least one member must be a practising academic.

- At least one member must have experience in practical experience/training programmes.
- At least one member must have experience in accreditation processes.

The committee members' term of office shall come to an end on completion of the project relating to the applications for accreditation.

Eligible persons who meet the criteria, and who wish to be considered for appointment, are invited to submit their applications by email to:

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Each application must include a curriculum vitae detailing the applicant's knowledge, experience and suitability as a committee member and a completed nomination form, which can be downloaded from the IRBA website at www.irba.co.za.

After the closing date, applications that meet the criteria set out above will be evaluated by a task team drawn from the Education and Transformation Department. The task team will then give its recommendations to EDCOM, the committee that will make the final decision.

For any further queries regarding the nomination process, please call or email the department using the abovementioned contact details.

The closing date for applications is 15 January 2020.