

THE IEEE FELLOW NOMINATION PROCESS

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FOUR QUESTIONS TO ASK ABOUT A POTENTIAL NOMINEE

- What special, unique, significant contribution has the individual made as (1) an application engineer/practitioner **or** (2) an educator **or** (3) a research engineer/scientist **or** (4) a technical leader?
- How has the contribution been documented so that others have been made aware of the contribution?
- How has the nominee been previously recognized for his/her contribution?
- What current IEEE Fellows are aware of the nominee and his/her contribution and can provide a positive reference supporting the nominee's contribution?

KEY PLAYERS IN NOMINATING A CANDIDATE FOR IEEE FELLOW

- A nominee whose career can be characterized by quality answers to the four questions on the previous slide.
- A nominator who has the time, patience, and drive to complete the numerous details of submission of a nomination. ← KEY PLAYER
- Five to eight current IEEE Fellows who can serve as references and address the nominee's technical contributions in a positive manner.
- Up to three endorsers who can support the nomination in a positive manner (normally IEEE leaders familiar with the nominee's professional involvement)

THE FELLOW NOMINATION FORM (Table Discussion Handout #1)

- 1. Nominee Information**
- 2. Nominator Information**
- 3. Education**
- 4. Professional History**
- 5. Individual Contributions**
- 6. Evidence of Technical Accomplishments**
- 7. IEEE Activities**
- 8. Non-IEEE Activities**
- 9. Proposed Citation**
- 10. Evaluation by IEEE Society/
Technical Council**
- 11. References**
- 12. Endorsements**

ADDITIONAL TABLE DISCUSSION DOCUMENTS

- **The Players (Handout #2)**
- **The Process (Handout #3)**
- **Fellow Committee Scoring (Handout #4)**