

## Call for EMC Society Board of Directors Nominations



## New Form, New Process: Nominations Due May 30, 2010

Candidate nominations are now being accepted for the 2010 IEEE Annual Elections ballot for Director-at-Large positions on the IEEE EMC Society Board of Directors for a three year term, beginning January 1, 2011. In accordance with the bylaws, nominations may be made by the Nominations and Appointments (N&A) Committee or by petition by individual voting members.

To be eligible for consideration as a candidate by the N&A Committee, a nomination supported by signatures of at least fifteen (15) EMC Society higher-grade members (i.e., excluding those of students and affiliates) in good standing (i.e., dues paid), excluding the candidate, must be submitted and accompanied by a BoD Candidate Nomination Form available on line at www.emcs.org.

Individual voting members may also propose, by petition, names to be added to the EMC Society annual election ballot for positions of Director at-Large to be elected by the voting members of the EMC Society for the coming term. Such petitions shall carry a minimum of 82 names of Society higher-grade members in good standing.

A secure on line petition web site will be set up for each eligible candidate (a hyperlink to all the nominee sites will be on the EMCS web site, www.emcs.org). Nominees may alternatively submit paper-form petitions. Only signatures submitted electronically or original signatures on paperform petitions shall be accepted. Facsimiles, or other copies of the original signature, will not be accepted.

Candidates who plan to run should contact the N&A Committee Chair as soon as possible (e-mail: eb.joffe@ieee.org) and provide their full name, IEEE membership number and grade, as well as their pre-ferred manner for petition submission.

Nominees should possess professional stature and significant technical skills in electromagnetic compatibility. They must have adequate financial support outside the Society and have the approval of their organization or employer to actively participate in the Board meetings and contribute to its activities. Duties include attendance at three (3) of four (4) Board meetings per year and participation on committees, both of which require telephone, fax, mail and e-mail communications.

Nominees must be full, higher grade members of the IEEE and members of the EMC Society of good standing. Elected Directors must serve a three-year term commencing January 1, 2011. Attendance at the last meeting of the 2010 year is also desirable. No member can serve more than two (2) consecutive three-year terms, including partial terms.

Nominations shall be submitted to the N&A Committee. All candidates willing to run and serve are required to submit to the N&A Committee, in addition to the petition, the **BoD Candidate Nomination Form** including the following elections material for inclusion in the ballot:

- 1) Personal biography Technical and Professional Experience, not to exceed 125 words in length, intended to round out the profile of the Nominee's experience outside the IEEE and EMCS activities.
- 2) Factual summary of IEEE/EMCS activities, not to exceed 150 words in length, intended to summarize the Nominee's current and past service to the IEEE and the EMC Society.
- 3) A candidate photograph taken within two years of 1 August 2010. A digital photograph may be submitted electronically in either TIF or high-quality JPEG format. The photo should be the original digital file, 300 dots per inch (dpi) resolution.
- 4) Statement of candidacy, not to exceed 150 words in length.

A Microsoft Word template for the petition and BoD Candidate Nomination Forms are available on line, at the EMC Society web site www.emcs.org.

Please submit the elections material, including the nomination form with digital photograph, to the Nominations and Appointments Committee Chair:

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Qualifying nominations and all supporting documentation shall be provided to the N&A Committee with a date-tag of no later than May 30, 2010.

For answers to any question, please contact Mr. Joffe or any member of the Board of Directors.