

Report of the Nominating ASI Nominating Committee
Fiscal Year 2024- 2025

Members of the Committee:

Marlene Smurzynski (co-chair)

Ann Shanks Etter (co-chair)

Elissa Best

Theo Griffin

Lizzy Xu

The committee met to determine candidates for the roles being filled this fall. We were able to speak with all candidates on Island this summer and received a “yes” from each of the listed candidates for the roles for which they have been nominated.

Executive Committee- Original 3-year Term

Chelsea Easter

Scotia Miller

Financial Aid Committee- Original 3-year Term

Hope Thurlow

Governance Council- non-former-chair- Original 3-year Term

Roe Hendrick

Treasurer- Original 3-year Term

Cory Easter- Cory will shadow David Yermack this year and take over next fiscal year

Secretary- Original 3-year Term

Peter Winarsky

These candidates replace Gabby Prochaska, Shelley Powsner, Gabby Trudeau, John Doty, and Katy Biron, who have all come to the end of their two possible 3-year terms of service. We thank them for their dedication to the conference and hope they will welcome future requests from the committee.

The committee is in the process of accepting nominations for the Children’s Program Coordinators and the Housing Coordinator. We note that there was discussion many years ago about bringing the Housing Coordinator position into line with other positions in the conference to a limit of two 3-year terms. We ask guidance from the GC regarding this. It is our understanding the Children’s Program Coordinator position is unlimited 3-year terms. We ask

that the GC confirm this. It is important to have this information as we consider filling both positions.

Nominations for the positions are being solicited at this time. If you nominate someone without speaking to them first, please let us know so we can reach out to them to make sure they are okay with being considered. Self-nominations are definitely welcome.

We thank Deb Walton for her many years of extraordinary service in both roles and remember Tom for his many many years as Children's Program Coordinator alongside Deb. The new volunteers in each role can expect to shadow Deb in 2026-27 and take over in 2027-28. We hope Deb will enjoy some porch time in the summer of 2028!

Respectfully Submitted by the Nominating Committee co-chairs