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Nominations are now open for those wishing to stand for the FLS executive committee.

Vacancies

On 31 March, there will be three vacancies on the FLS executive.

Erin Ebborn (Christchurch) will retire on rotation after completing her first three-year term.

Kathryn Crooks (Whanganui) and Kirsty Swadling, Deputy Chair (Auckland) will also complete their first terms after being appointed to fill the remainder of Dr Allan Cooke and Catriona Doyle's terms.

All three members are eligible to stand for re-election.

Criteria

- Individuals may nominate themselves or another person (with that person's consent) – only one nomination per member is allowed
- Nominated persons are required to be full, paid up members of the FLS
- Nominations close at 5:00pm on Monday 6 March 2017 – no nominations are able to be accepted after this time

How to make a nomination

There is no prescribed form. If you wish to stand for the FLS executive, please email your nomination to the FLS manager, Kath Moran at kath.moran@lawsociety.org.nz – all that is required is an email to say "I nominate Jo Brown to stand for the FLS Executive.....". The nomination must also include a brief profile (no more than 200 words) and a digital photograph of the candidate. Your profile might like to include why you are interested in serving on the executive.

If you are nominating another FLS member, please copy that person into your email so they are aware they have been nominated.

If more than three nominations are received, an electronic election will be held between 16 March and 24 April.

Current FLS executive committee

Michelle Duggan (Nelson) – Chair

Kirsty Swadling (Auckland) – Deputy Chair

Traecy Norton (South Auckland) - Te Hunga Rōia Māori o Aotearoa representative -
Treasurer

Kathryn Crooks (Whanganui)

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