**General Meeting on 20-22 October 2022**

**Candidate Form**

**Representatives to the ILGA World Women Steering Committee**

**Extended deadline: Wednesday 12 October 2022 (23:59 CEST)**

By virtue of ILGA World’s Constitution and Standing Orders, the General Meeting of the European and Central Asian Region is permitted to elect five (5) representatives to represent the region in the ILGA World Steering Committee(Bisexual, Intersex, Trans, Women and Youth).

Eligibility criteria:

* All representatives should be coming from a Full Member organisation.
* For the Women Committee, the candidate must identify as a woman.

These committees will comprise people from all 6 regions and will meet virtually.  The World Conference shall elect a representative to chair each of the relevant Committees and also be a member of the ILGA World Executive Board. It is the responsibility of the Chair of the relevant Committees to coordinate the work of that Committee which is to:

1. Collect and co-ordinate information/visibility world-wide on lesbian, bisexual, intersex and trans women, in close co-operation with the Executive Board;
2. Collect and co-ordinate information/visibility world-wide on each of the relevant Committee intersectional standards;
3. Initiate articles on bisexual, intersex, trans, women’s and youth issues for ILGA World publications;
4. Attend relevant conferences within and outside ILGA World and make policy inputs to international organisations and agencies;
5. Co-operate with other international bisexual, intersex, trans, women’s and youth organisations;
6. Co-ordinate and arrange bisexual, intersex, trans, women’s and youth caucuses and workshops in co-operation with the group planning for a World Conference;
7. Carry out tasks allocated to it by ILGA World Conferences.

More information can be found here: <https://ilga.org/steering-committees>

**Personal information:**

Name:

Member Organisation:

Country:

Contact e-mail:

Gender Identity:

*Please specify how you wish your gender identity to be described on your application form which will be distributed to members (e.g. female, male, do not identify as male or female, etc.).*

**Skills and talents:**

1. Briefly describe your past achievements (e.g. as a board member, employee, volunteer in an international or national organisation or company). You could include details about your role, main tasks, responsibilities, duties etc. Focus on those areas which are most relevant to the work of ILGA-Europe and ILGA World.

*(No more than 250 words)*

1. What can you contribute to the ILGA World Steering Committee you chose to run for?

*(No more than 200 words)*

1. What is your motivation for running?

*(No more than 200 words)*

1. Any other information you would like to add that you feel is relevant?

*(No more than 200 words)*

**Video presentation**

This year, candidates will have the opportunity to present themselves in person to members attending the Annual Conference in Sofia. However, as the General Meeting will take place in a hybrid format to ensure the maximum participation of membership in the governance, candidates will also be asked to submit a short video presentation. Instructions on the format and duration of the video will follow.

**Please send the completed form by e-mail to** [**chairingpool@ilga-europe.org**](mailto:chairingpool@ilga-europe.org)

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