

This is a fillable PDF. Please download the form (do not try to fill it out online); then fill it out using Adobe Acrobat (or any other free PDF viewer), save it with filename "[CANDIDATE NAME] Board Nomination Form", and send it to jobs@americanhiking.org with "Nomination of [CANDIDATE NAME] to the Board" in the subject line.

# American Hiking Society Board Nomination Form

Self-Nomination

Nomination for someone else

Prospect is aware of the nomination

## 1 CONTACT INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATE

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NAME

MOST RECENT PROFESSIONAL OR VOLUNTEER AFFILIATION & TITLE (including homemaker/caregiver/etc.)

**CONNECTION TO AMERICAN HIKING (if applicable)**

**PREFERRED ADDRESS:**

**PREFERRED PHONE:**

**PREFERRED EMAIL:**

**If applicable, please provide the following:**

LINKEDIN

TWITTER

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INSTAGRAM:

FACEBOOK

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**WEBSITE:**

## 2 CONTACT INFORMATION FOR NOMINATOR (skip if self-nomination)

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**NAME:**

MOST RECENT AFFILIATION AND TITLE

**CONNECTION TO AMERICAN HIKING (if applicable)**

**PREFERRED ADDRESS**

**PREFERRED PHONE**

**PREFERRED EMAIL**



### 3 QUALIFICATIONS OF CANDIDATE

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#### SPECIAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCIES (Check all that apply)

Business Management	NextGen Engagement
Education	Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion
Fundraising/Development	Advocacy and/or Lobbying
Networking/PR/profile-raising	Communications/Media
Board Governance	Public Policy
Health Sector	Nonprofit Consulting
Finance/Accounting	Volunteer Programs
Legal	Creative Arts/Dance/Theater/Music
Marketing/Public Relations	Other skills (please list)
People with Disabilities	
Personnel/Human Resources	

#### PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND (Check all that apply)

For-profit business	Retired?
Nonprofit organization	Retired?
Government	Retired?
Self-employed	Retired?
Other, please specify	Retired?

#### EDUCATION and TRAINING (Optional)

Some college coursework  
Associate's or Tradeschool Degree  
Undergraduate Degree  
Some graduate coursework  
Graduate Degree  
Other Education or Training (please specify)

#### AFFILIATIONS WITH OTHER NONPROFIT AND PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS (Please list all previous and current professional and volunteer experience, and please highlight any prior Board service.)

#### PROFESSIONAL LICENSES OR CERTIFICATES (Please include applicable jurisdiction(s) and whether current.)

**WHAT WOULD MAKE THIS CANDIDATE AN EXCELLENT AMERICAN HIKING BOARD MEMBER (including, but not limited to, candidate's interest in hiking and/or other outdoor recreation and their commitment to Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion in the outdoors)?**

## 4 DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION (OPTIONAL)

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American Hiking does not discriminate on the basis of gender identity or expression, sexual orientation, race, creed, religion, age, ability, or any other identifier. In order to track the effectiveness of our recruiting efforts and to ensure we consider the needs of all our board members, please consider the optional questions below. If this is not a self-nomination, please only fill-out this information if you have expressly discussed it with the candidate -- do not make any assumptions.

### HOW DOES THE CANDIDATE IDENTIFY THEMSELVES (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY)?

#### GENDER

Male  
Female  
Non-binary/Third Gender  
Prefer not to specify  
Prefer to self-describe

#### RACE or ETHNICITY

White  
Hispanic/Latinx  
Black/African  
Native American/Indigenous  
Asian  
Pacific Islander  
Prefer not to specify  
Other/Prefer to self-describe

#### PRONOUNS

He/Him/His  
She/Her/Hers  
They/Them/Theirs  
Prefer not to specify  
Prefer to self-describe

#### DISABLED?

Yes  
No  
Prefer not to specify  
Anything else you'd like us to know?

#### SEXUAL ORIENTATION

Heterosexual  
LGBTQIA2-S  
Prefer not to specify  
Prefer to self-describe

#### AGE

18-30  
31-40  
41-60  
60+  
Prefer not to specify

### IS THERE ANYTHING ELSE THE CANDIDATE WOULD LIKE TO SHARE ABOUT THEIR IDENTITY?

**We typically communicate via email and do interviews via Zoom or Google Meet. If you anticipate needing any accommodations during this process, please let us know here:**

