

### **Election and Term in Office**

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The term of the International Division Councilor is four (4) years. Executive Council member terms begin at the adjournment of the Annual Members Business' Meeting.

### **Role and Qualifications as Defined by the SIR Bylaws and Executive Council**

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SIR is committed to growing and strengthening IR as a specialty for patients worldwide. The International Division Councilor is charged with creating and maintaining affiliations and implementing educational, networking, and other collaborative programs designed to increase IR visibility and patients access to care by promoting global excellence for IR professionals.

Qualifications as outlined by the SIR Bylaws include (As approved by the SIR Executive Council February 28, 2007.):

- Shall have been an active member or fellow in good standing for at least three years
- Shall have shown commitment to the Society by active service on an SIR committee or task force as a member or chair for a minimum of three years
- Shall be actively practicing interventional radiology or have practiced a minimum of 10 years
- Shall have experience and/or interest in the area of Council work for the specific Council position

### **Specific Duties of the Position**

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The International Division Councilor, is responsible for monitoring, managing, and prioritizing the structure and activities of the Division and establishing and creating accountability toward specific divisional achievements. The Councilor will also serve as an SIR Representative and advocate to the international community, at specified international meetings, and during liaison meetings between the Society and international society leaders.

Additional duties of the Councilor include:

- Lead the development and implementation of SIR International Strategy.
- Serve in an advisory capacity to the committees of the International Division to ensure that SIR's international efforts are integrated and effectively meeting the needs of SIR's membership.
- Advise and support the development of educational content for SIR international members, affiliates and stakeholders.
- The International Division Councilor is expected to devote the necessary time for Society business during his/her term. The Councilor is expected to attend three in-person Executive Council meetings a year, the Annual Members' Business Meeting, at least one Operations Committee call, and other meetings and conference calls as necessary.
- The International Division Councilor receives no compensation for serving. Travel expenses for approved SIR travel are reimbursed per the SIR Travel Policy.

## **Responsibilities of All Board Members**

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- Serve as strategic leader who understands the SIR mission, vision, and can link the activities with the strategic goals.
- Serve as the primary contact for Society and Foundation inquiries relating to their division or area expertise.
- Be willing and able to devote the necessary time throughout the entire appointed term of service for Society business.
- Possess the highest ethical standards and be recognized and respected by peers as a leader in interventional radiology.
- Be free of any significant conflict of interest that would prevent him/her from serving objectively, and disclose all conflicts in advance.
- Have an email address and web access so committee business can be conducted virtually.
- Possess the highest ethical standards and be recognized and respected by peers as a leader in interventional radiology.
- Adhere to the SIR's Conflict of Interest, Ethics, Fiduciary, and Antitrust Policies.