



2026 Round

CANDIDATE CONSENT TO NOMINATION

For Ordinary Election, Special Election and Corresponding Membership

Consent to Nomination

- I consent to nomination for election to the Australian Academy of Science, and agree, if elected to subscribe to the '*Obligation*':
'to promote, declare and disseminate scientific knowledge, and to serve the Academy according to its Charter and Bye-Laws'.
- I understand that my name and all material submitted about me will be before the Academy for five annual elections unless I am elected, or my nomination is withdrawn, after which time my nomination will expire.
- I understand that **my nomination must be updated annually** during the period of my candidature by my proposer on my behalf, and that **I am required to provide updated material to my proposer** to facilitate this, including any details of new (or updates to) achievements, awards, or citations, and particularly in relation to substantive claims or investigations pertaining to the research integrity of my work.
- I agree to update my proposer immediately (so they can advise the Academy) should there be any changes to the information provided by me, or on my behalf by my proposer, in relation to any substantive claims or investigations that arise into the conduct of my research, specifically with regard to corrections to or retractions of my publications.
- I understand that material submitted for my nomination, including referee reports sought by the Academy about me and my work will be securely stored by the Academy and used for the purposes of conducting the election process, which includes providing the information to staff and to Sectional Committee members, the Academy's Council and referees (to verify the information about me and my work and to provide their evaluations).
- I understand that a 'list of candidates' is provided each year to the Academy's Fellows, which includes information such as: the name, position, institution, field/s of research and short citation for each candidate. I understand that 'de-identified' data from all nominations is used for the purpose of reporting on the Fellowship nomination and election process.
- I understand that the Council of the Academy has the right to refuse to consider a candidate for election to the Fellowship and may withdraw their candidature at any stage of the election process prior to the ballot being declared, if the Council has determined that: there is substantive evidence that the candidate has demonstrated unethical behaviour; failed to candidly reveal any fact in the *Candidate Declaration of Open Disclosure*; and any other matter or thing which might have a bearing on the Council's considerations.
- I confirm that to the best of my knowledge, the information provided about me, and my work is a true and accurate account, including the 'additional personal information' provided on this form.

- I confirm that, to the best of my knowledge, should I be elected as a Fellow (or Corresponding Member) of the Academy, my election would not bring the Academy's reputation into disrepute.
- I confirm that I have acted in good faith and made all necessary declarations required as part of my nomination for Fellowship of the Academy.
- I understand, that if I am elected to the Academy, I will be expected to actively engage in Academy activities to support the Academy's endeavours and interests, and that this may include volunteering my time to serve on committees, advisory panels and working groups.

Candidate to fill in and sign:

Candidate's full name:

Signature:

Date:

Name of Proposer:

Additional personal information concerning Diversity (optional)

The Academy encourages and supports diversity in all its forms. Please provide us with any personal information you wish to tell us, such as (but not limited to) cultural background, Indigenous heritage, carer responsibilities (past or present that have impacted your career) neurodiversity, or any other diversity information. (up to 200 words)