



South African Council for the Landscape Architectural Profession

RE-ADVERTISEMENT

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC TO BE APPOINTED AS MEMBERS OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN COUNCIL FOR THE LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURAL PROFESSION (SACLAP) FOR THE TERM 2021 - 2025

The South African Council for the Landscape Architectural Profession (SACLAP) is one of six Councils for the Built Environment Professionals (CBEP) in South Africa.

In December 2000, the State President assented to the Landscape Architectural Profession Act, Act no 45 of 2000, herein after referred to as the Act, providing for the establishment of the South African Council for the Landscape Architectural Profession. The Council was established in August 2001 and replaced the previous statutory board for the profession. The Council registers professionals and candidates in the landscape professions, accredits educational institutions, upholds professional conduct, identifies the functions of the profession, and promotes regional and international recognition of such.

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

In terms of the Act and the Rules for the Procedure for Nomination of Council Members (Board Notice 66 of 2018 published in the Government Gazette in May 2021), nominations are invited from members of the general public to serve on the SACLAP Council. The Council members are appointed on a four-year term by the Minister of Public Works and Infrastructure.

As the SACLAP is still relatively small, but a growing organization, which however is not generating a lot of funds, nominees must be willing to serve on the Council on a voluntary basis and contribute in areas such as education, accounting, human resources, legal and corporate governance.

Each nomination must be in writing and contain the following information in the detail required by the Recommendation Panel:

- i. A Nomination and Acceptance Form duly completed and signed both by the nominator and nominee, the template of which can be found on the SACLAP website www.saclap.org.za.
- ii. A short Curriculum Vitae of the nominee, not exceeding two pages completed on a prescribed template. The template can be downloaded from the SACLAP website www.saclap.org.za.
- iii. Certified copies of SA ID and Academic Qualifications including Matric certificate and any relevant professional certificates.

Candidates will be subjected to a security screening process.

In terms of Section 6(1) of the Landscape Architectural Profession Act, a person may not be appointed as a member of the council if that person-

- a. Is not a South African citizen and ordinarily resident in the Republic;
- b. Is an un-rehabilitated insolvent;
- c. Has been convicted of an offence in the Republic, other than an offence committed prior to 27 April 1994 associated with political objectives, and was sentenced to imprisonment without an option of a fine, or, in the case of fraud, to a fine or imprisonment or both;
- d. Subject to subsection (3), has been convicted of an offence in a foreign country and was sentenced to imprisonment without an option of a fine or in the case of fraud, to a fine or imprisonment or both;
- e. Has, as a result of improper conduct, been removed from an office of trust: or
- f. Has in terms of this Act been found guilty by the disciplinary tribunal or the council of improper conduct.

A copy of the Act as well as all other relevant documentation can be accessed from www.saclap.org.za

All nominations, duly completed and signed, must be emailed to the Registrar no later than **25 October 2021**. The email subject heading must read **Council Nominations 2021-2025**

(Incomplete nominations and nominations received after this date will not be considered.)

Please note that this a re-advertisement and therefore those who have submitted their nominations before need not re-submit.

Attention: The Registrar
Email: registrar@saclap.org.za