



## **CALL FOR NOMINATIONS: ONE (1) EXPERT APPOINTED TO THE COUNCIL ON THE BASIS OF THEIR EXPERTISE AND EXPERIENCE IN LAW**

Sefako Makgatho Health Sciences University (SMU) plays an important role in addressing the human capital development needs of South Africa and the rest of the African continent in both health care and science & technology fields. The Council of the SMU is the governing body of the University, and has, as part of its fiduciary duty, a responsibility to determine the strategic direction of the University. **One (1) vacancy** in the category of experts who are appointed to the Council on the basis of their expertise and experience in Law, has arisen, necessitating the call for nominations. In terms of paragraph 20(6) of the SMU Statute, organizations, interest groups and individuals are invited to nominate qualifying candidates to fill the following two vacancies:

Nominated candidates must:

- a. have worked in the legal field for a minimum period of fifteen (15) years, and five (5) years of which must be at an executive or senior management level in the legal field.
- b. be admitted attorneys/advocates of the High Court in South Africa;
- c. be a member of the Legal Practice Council or Bar Council - an association of advocates affiliated with a number of other Bars in the General Council of the Bar of South Africa;
- d. be qualified with a minimum of a Bachelor's degree at NQF level 8 or equivalent,
- e. have more than 5 years Board or Board equivalent or Board Committee experience; and
- f. be committed and available to serving SMU fully as Council members and members of the SMU sub-committees as determined by the Council from time to time.

The requirements above notwithstanding, experience of a Nominee as a Senior Counsel may be an added advantage.

Each nomination should be accompanied by a comprehensive Curriculum Vitae of the nominee and must be signed by the nominator. In addition, the nominee must indicate his/her acceptance of the nomination in writing. Nomination forms are available from the Office of the Registrar and/or on the SMU website. Nominations must reach the Registrar's Office no later than **16:00 on Friday 14 July 2023**. A Council member thus appointed will serve on the Council in his or her personal capacity and not as a representative of any interest group. **Please direct all enquiries and nominations to Mr Henno Croucamp (Deputy Registrar: Governance and Records Management), Office of the Registrar, Clinical Pathology Building, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor via email to [nominations.elections@smu.ac.za](mailto:nominations.elections@smu.ac.za)**. The nomination form is also available and accessible at [www.smu.ac.za](http://www.smu.ac.za)

**Since this call for nominations is being re-advertised, those who have already responded to the call that closed on Monday, 17 April 2023 need not to be re-nominated as their nominations will be considered.**

Should you not hear from the University within 60 days of the closing date please accept that your nomination has been unsuccessful.

# NOMINATION FORM

MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL WITH EXPERTISE IN LAW

## NOMINATION FOR A PERSON TO SERVE ON THE SMU COUNCIL

Nominee's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's acceptance: YES/NO

Signature of the nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

TICK THE EXPERTISE TO WHICH THE CANDIDATE IS NOMINATED:

**LAW:** \_\_\_\_\_

**[The Nominee's comprehensive Curriculum Vitae should be attached to this form]**

## NOMINATED BY

First and last name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ and Date \_\_\_\_\_

~END~