



AIBA ATHLETES' COMMISSION ELECTION PROCEDURE

(Approved by the Election Committee on 11 April 2019)

1. Overall Election Schedule

#	Actions	Dates
1	The Election Committee publishes the approved <i>AIBA Athletes' Commission Election Procedure</i>	On 16 April 2019
2	Calls for Nominations	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ From 25 April 2019 to 5 June 2019▪ National Federations shall submit the required documents by email to Commissions@aiba.org under the subject <u>Nomination for Athletes' Commission Election</u>▪ The application email received after midnight on 5 June 2019 (GMT+2) will not be considered.
3	The list of candidates selected as per AIBA bylaws published on AIBA Web	By latest 3 July 2019
4	Election dates and venues	<p>A. September 6 – 9, 2019 Yekaterinburg, Russia at AIBA Men's World Boxing Championships 2019</p> <p>B. September 29 – October 2, 2019 Ulan-Ude, Russia at AIBA Women's World Boxing Championships 2019</p> <p><u>The time periods for voting will be further specified.</u></p>

2. The Mission

The mission of the Athletes' Commission is to represent the views and opinions of boxers, to ensure that boxers' voices are heard within AIBA, to inform boxers regarding AIBA's activities and requirements (as, for example, AIBA's educational programs and tools, AIBA's rules and regulations, AIBA's qualification requirements and guidelines, etc.), to work with and support AIBA's mission to develop and promote the sport of boxing, and to support the elevation of a boxing athlete to membership in the IOC Athletes' Commission.

3. The Composition

The Athletes' Commission shall be composed of ten (10) members. Each of the five Confederations shall be represented on the Athletes' Commission by one male and one female member.

4. Voting Process

- (1) The members of Athletes' Commission shall be elected by the registered boxers in attendance at the AIBA Men's and Women's World Boxing Championships.



- (2) The male and female members of the Athletes' Commission from each Confederation shall be elected by the eligible athlete voters from all Confederations.
- (3) The male and female candidate from each Confederation with the highest number of votes shall be elected.
- (4) Each election shall be conducted by a secret ballot. The Athletes' Commission Election Committee shall decide if electronic or paper ballots shall be used.

5. The Nominations

Each National Federation shall propose one or two potential candidates for the election, it being specified that in order to propose two candidates, there shall be one male and one female nominee. Each such nominee must:

- (1) be not less than 19 years of age at the time of his or her nomination (Born before and including 30 June 2000);
- (2) have competed in an AIBA-owned boxing event, or in an Olympic boxing tournament, within eight (8) years prior to his or her nomination (Attached a list of AIBA owned events and Olympic Boxing Tournaments between June 2011 to June 2019); and
- (3) have never been sanctioned for any breach of the AIBA Anti-Doping Rules, the AIBA Code of Ethics or the AIBA Disciplinary Code.

Eligible Member Federations shall submit the Nomination by email to Commissions@aiba.org under the subject Nomination for Athletes' Commission Election by the following documents:

- a. Nomination Form (signed by the affiliated National Federation)
- b. Application Form (signed by the applicant/nominee)
- c. Letter of Clearance stating that the Nominee(s) have not been sanctioned of an Anti-Doping violation signed by either the NADO or the Organisation in charge of Anti-Doping matters in your country, or if not applicable, signed by the President of the National Boxing Federation.
- d. Up to two (2) pages summary in English outlining the nominee's suitability for the role, language skills in one of the AIBA Official Languages, educational background and experience. Attached with relevant supporting documents i.e. scanned copies of diploma for the education, language certification levels, certificate of Athletes' Commission Membership at the National or Continental levels.
- e. A Passport Copy
- f. A Headshot (in jpeg, png, pdf, or tiff format)

Only the nominations containing all of the documents listed in a, b, c, d, e and f will be reviewed by the AIBA Athletes' Commission Election Committee.



6. The AIBA Athletes' Commission Election Committee

The AIBA Athletes' Commission Election Committee is composed of three members ("the Election Committee").

The Members of the Election Committee for 2019 are:

- Mr Jost Schmid, Ethics Commission
- Mr Dennis O'Connell, Disciplinary Commission
- Mdm Hana Agnes Kendi, Women's Commission

7. The Selection of Candidates

The Election Committee shall select from among such nominees four male nominees and four female nominees from each of the five Confederations coming from different National Federations to stand as candidates in the election. In selecting such candidates, the Election Committee shall consider:

- (1) the level of experience of each of the nominees
- (2) whether each nominee has competed in an Olympic boxing tournament and, if so, whether he or she has won any Olympic boxing medal or medals;
- (3) whether each nominee is, or has been, a member of the Athletes' Commission of his or her National Federation or Confederation or National Olympic Committee;
- (4) the desirability of having the members of the Athletes Commission come from as wide a geographic spread of National Federations within each Confederation as is practicable; and
- (5) whether a nominee is fluent in one of the AIBA official languages
- (6) such other consideration or considerations as the Election Committee may deem appropriate.

8. The Election Committee shall additionally be responsible for:

- (1) making any necessary determinations regarding the eligibility of boxers to vote in Athletes' Commission elections;
- (2) reviewing the credentials of all candidates for election to the Athletes Commission, and determining the eligibility of each such candidate to stand for election to such Commission;
- (3) ensuring that election processes for Athletes' Commission elections take place in accordance with AIBA Bylaws, and certifying the results of each such election;
- (4) providing information and clarification as required with respect to all aspects of the election processes for Athletes' Commission elections; and
- (5) resolving any other issues which might arise during, or in connection with, elections to the Athletes' Commission.