



AIBA ATHLETES' COMMITTEE ELECTION

1. Overall Election Schedule

#	Actions	Dates
1	Calls for Nominations	<ul style="list-style-type: none">From 27th September 2021 to 11th October 2021National Federations and/or Boxers shall submit the required documents by email to Committee@aiba.org under the subject <u>Nomination for Athletes' Committee Election</u>The application email received after midnight on 11th October 2021 (GMT+2) will not be considered.
2	Publication of the list of eligible candidates	By latest 22 nd October 2021
3	Election dates	Opening of the votes: 24 October 2021 (first day of AIBA Men's World Boxing Championships 2021) Closing of the votes: TBD (last day of AIBA Women's World Boxing Championships) <u>The voting process will be further specified.</u>

2. The Mission and term of office

The mission of the Athletes' Committee is described in the Athletes Committee Regulations and includes: (i) ensuring that the views and opinions of boxers are heard within AIBA, (ii) providing a forum for AIBA to communicate to boxers regarding AIBA's programs and policies, and (iii) working with and support AIBA's mission to develop and promote the sport of boxing, and (iv) supporting the appointment of boxers to membership of the IOC Athletes' Committee. The term of office of the Athletes Committee members shall exceptionally be until the World Championships 2023.

The Chairperson of the Athletes Committee, and another member of the Athletes' Committee, elected by the Athletes' Committee, are voting members of the AIBA Board of Directors.

3. The Composition

The Athletes' Committee shall be composed of ten (10) members, i.e. 5 male members and 5 female members. Each of the five Confederations shall be represented on the Athletes' Committee by one male and one female member. The Chairperson of the Athletes Committee shall be the member, who got the highest number of votes at the election. If the person so appointed as Chairperson is male, then the Vice Chairperson must be the female member who got the most votes at the elections. If the person so appointed as Chairperson is female, then the Vice Chairperson must be the male member who got the most votes at the elections.

4. Election Process

- (1) The male and female members of the Athletes' Committee from each Confederation shall be elected by the registered boxers from all Confederations in attendance at the AIBA Men's and Women's World Boxing Championships. Each Boxer has one vote.
- (2) The male and female candidate from each Confederation with the highest number of votes shall be elected.
- (3) Each election shall be conducted by a secret ballot. AIBA shall decide if electronic or paper ballots shall be used. Further instructions will be issued in due time.

5. The Nominations and applications

Each National Federation may 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.

When proposing candidates, National Federations shall have regard to:

- (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' Committee of his or her National Federation or Confederation or National Olympic Committee;
- (4) whether such nominee is fluent in one of the AIBA official languages
- (5) such other consideration or considerations as the Election Committee may deem appropriate.

Boxers may also apply on their own motion without being nominated by their NF.

Each such nominee/candidate must:

- a) Be at least 18 years old at the moment of their election.
- b) Have competed in an AIBA-owned boxing event, or in an Olympic boxing tournament, within five years prior to his/her election.
- c) Never have been sanctioned / not be the subject of a current or pending proceeding for a breach (except for minor breaches, such as a breach of the Rules of the Games or a breach occurring with no fault or with a very light negligence) of the AIBA Constitution, the AIBA Code of Ethics, the AIBA Disciplinary Code, the IOC's Code of Ethics and anti-doping regulations adopted pursuant to the World Anti-Doping Code (including the AIBA Anti-Doping Regulations).
- d) Never have been convicted / not be the subject of a current or pending prosecution for the commission of a serious criminal offence punishable by a term of imprisonment
- e) Not be bankrupt or otherwise insolvent under the law of the candidate's



place of domicile

- f) Not be the subject of any current order made under the law of the candidate's place of domicile declaring him or her to be insane or of unsound mind
- g) Have no ongoing legal procedures against AIBA
- h) Have a minimum of conversational capability in one of the AIBA official languages.

Boxers and eligible Member Federations shall submit the Nomination by email to Committee@aiba.org under the subject Nomination for Athletes' Committee Election by filing the following documents:

- a. Application Form (signed by the candidate)
- b. Up to two (2) pages curriculum vitae in English outlining the candidate'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' Committee Membership at the National or Continental levels.
- c. A Passport Copy
- d. A Headshot (in jpeg, png, pdf, or tiff format)

Only the nominations and applications containing all of the documents listed in a, b, c, d will be admissible.

6. Verification of eligibility of Candidates

The Ethics Committee shall verify the eligibility of the candidates.

The list of eligible candidates will be published by AIBA and sent to all stakeholders before the start date of the Men's World Boxing Championships 2021.

[Please consult the Athletes Committee Regulations to know more](#)