



BRITISH ACADEMY
OF FILM AND TELEVISION ARTS
Los Angeles

BOARD OF DIRECTORS APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Application form is available to download from www.baftala.org.

Alternatively, please call the office at (323) 658-6590 for an application form.

Your application must be received no later than 12:00 Noon on Monday, October 28, 2019 via email to office@baftala.org. Alternatively, completed forms may be delivered by hand or by mail to the BAFTA Los Angeles offices providing they are delivered before this deadline.

BAFTA Los Angeles will elect two Members via Membership Election to the Board of Directors to serve 3-year term commencing January 2020. These individuals will become part of the 12-member Board.

Any current Full Voting Member of BAFTA Los Angeles who has (a) been a Full Member in good standing during the past year of BAFTA, and (b) has not been suspended for between 1-30 days in the two years prior to the effective date of the election, and (c) has not been suspended for more than 30 days at any time, is eligible to run. Members are not eligible to serve on the Board of Directors for more than six years in aggregate, whether consecutive or not, except for circumstances the Board may permit per section (3)(f)(3) of the BAFTA Los Angeles Bylaws.

Each candidate is required to complete an Application For Board Membership providing detailed information about their current occupation, professional or trade background and listing not-for-profit organizations, if applicable, with which they have worked. Please be advised that applications will be checked for accuracy.

Candidates will be asked to indicate their particular skills in support of their application highlighting how their contribution and commitment as a Board member would enhance BAFTA Los Angeles' mission. Board Members are also expected to contribute to the fundraising efforts of the organization including a give-or-get obligation. Candidates will also be invited to include an optional, simple headshot for inclusion in the election papers. Photographs are not mandatory though.

Applications will be reviewed by the Election Oversight Committee and, if eligible, submitted to the general membership for voting beginning in November 2019. Voting will be conducted online and the tabulation of votes handled by an independent election service.

BAFTA LA's nomination procedures afford all nominees a reasonable, equal and fair opportunity to communicate their qualifications to the members. Prospective candidates are expected to conduct themselves in a collegial manner consistent with the spirit of the organization. Candidates may be provided with a designated opportunity to meet and talk with Members during the election period (the venue and date to be confirmed). The official election documents distributed by BAFTA and any hosted event that may be scheduled represent the extent of the candidate's election exposure.

Procedures do not permit the campaigning or soliciting of votes by any other means, including but not limited, the wearing or distributing of badges, social media postings, email or written solicitations, the use of events to solicit votes from members, or the dissemination of any visual or written materials.

The penalty for contravention of these procedures by or upon authorization of a candidate will be the immediate withdrawal of that candidate's name from the election.