



ARCHITECTURAL INSTITUTE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

2019/2020
Council Elections 

STATEMENT FORM

Instructions: Council nominees are to fully complete each section of the form below. The Nominee Statement Forms will be provided to the Nominations Review Committee and posted on aibc.ca for eligible voters to view as part of the 2019 council election process. A current résumé or C.V. is requested to be submitted with this Statement Form, as per the Nominee Information and Process Guide.

First Name* Robert Last Name* Chester AIBC Reg. # L 03622

Year of Registration* 2005 Place of Residence* Vancouver, British Columbia

Previous or present AIBC Council office held* council member

(Name as per official AIBC registration) *Per Council Rules 4, section 2.5

Why I am seeking a position on AIBC Council and, if elected, what I believe I can contribute to council and the Institute:

Certificate of Registration - Register Number 2624

I believe the AIBC practice of selecting candidates for endorsement cannot be legitimized by any means, and must cease.

I am seeking a position on AIBC Council because I wish to serve as a council member; I will serve if elected and; I can contribute the necessary time and attention to council and the institute.

Skills, Experience, and Competencies

Listed below in alphabetical order are the areas of competency desired of AIBC council members. They are intended to balance professional experience, contextual knowledge and personal attributes and skills. The competencies with a particular emphasis for 2019 are indicated with the asterisk (*) in the table below.

Instructions: For each competency listed below, describe in the space provided your level of experience and understanding of the topic. For each competency, also indicate whether your experience and understanding is Significant, Moderate, or Limited/none (tick one box only in each topic area).

Business Management Skills:

Describe your skills and experience with business management and your understanding of the drivers of conducting good business. For example, experience in a leadership, management or stewardship role (CEO, President, Managing Partner or equivalent).

I offer 'no response' to this section.

☐ Significant ☐ Moderate ☐ Limited/None

***Fiduciary, Governance Skills:**

Describe your experience with governing councils/board in the private, public, and/or voluntary/non-profit sector, and your understanding of their mandate and individual fiduciary responsibilities.

I offer 'no response' to this section.

☐ Significant ☐ Moderate ☐ Limited/None

***Finance Skills:**

Describe your experience and understanding of accounting or financial management, and monitoring of financial performance.

I offer 'no response' to this section.

☐ Significant ☐ Moderate ☐ Limited/None

Personal Effectiveness Skills:

Describe your personal effectiveness skills and experience. Personal effectiveness is described as an ability to communicate persuasively, effectively and respectfully, be open to another point of view, while also be willing to ask the tough question or express a contrary view in a manner that encourages open dialogue.

I offer 'no response' to this section.

☐ Significant ☐ Moderate ☐ Limited/None

***Regulatory - Professional Conduct:**

Describe your level of experience with regulatory investigations, discipline, consensual resolution or, more generally, professional conduct, either with the AIBC or another regulator.

I offer 'no response' to this section.

☐ Significant ☐ Moderate ☐ Limited/None

Regulatory - Professional Practice:

Describe your level of expertise in the regulatory requirements of practice, and any dealings with Authorities Having Jurisdiction.

I offer 'no response' to this section.

☐ Significant ☐ Moderate ☐ Limited/None

***Regulatory - Registration & Licensing:**

Describe your level of experience with regulatory registration policies and processes, including the AIBC's various programs and agreements.

I offer 'no response' to this section.

☐ Significant ☐ Moderate ☐ Limited/None

Strategic Thinking Skills:

Describe your strategic thinking skills and experience. Strategic thinking is described as an ability to contribute meaningfully and knowledgeably to strategic future-oriented discussions, provide insight and ask value-added and appropriately timed questions, and actively contribute to the development and review of policies that advance the long-term goals of organization.

I offer 'no response' to this section.

☐ Significant ☐ Moderate ☐ Limited/None

Teamwork Skills:

Describe your teamwork skills and experience. Teamwork is described as an ability to build trust and respect among peers, manage conflict constructively, carry at least his/her share of the load, accept responsibility and accountability for decisions and behaves in alignment with those decisions outside the boardroom.

I offer 'no response' to this section.

☐ Significant ☐ Moderate ☐ Limited/None

I take exception to the following:

"By submitting this Nominee Statement Form, I agree to fully participate in the nominations review process as described in the Nominee Information and Process Guide. "

Nominee Name: ROBERT G. CHESTER Architect AIBC

Date: MARCH 6, 2019

Robert G. Chester