

REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT ELECT

-QUALIFICATIONS: Speak English, which is the language used in IPSO. Be willing to commit to 4 years in IPSO (2 as VP Elect and 2 as VP), and willing to commit to travel 2-3 times per year in order to attend IPSO events – those organized in the Region, the IPSO World Congresses, and the IPSO Business meetings. Actively participate in online Executive Committee (EXCOM) meetings. Plan on working IPSO matters 1-4 hours per week depending on the projects being worked.

-IPSO REPRESENTATION: Attend the IPSO events with the aims of increasing awareness of IPSO and recruiting IPSO Reps & members; promoting IPSO events/programs; and speaking and socializing with colleagues to enhance group work and collaboration in the ExCom and in all of IPSO.

-TRAINING: Realize that it will require some time, experience, and mentorship to fully learn the position. For this reason, it is required to attend the EXCOM Orientation at the IPSO World Congress, and to follow the Regional VP Training Plan (e.g. participate in online meetings during the year, help the regional VP organize IPSO events, and help with regional submissions to the IPSO Newsletter)

-PROJECTS:

--Be in charge of the Visiting Candidate Program (VCP)

--Be a member of the Congress Planning (COPLAN) team and actively participate in the organization of the IPSO World Congress. When his/her/their region hosts the IPA Congress, the VP Elect will be especially involved in the organization of the IPSO Congress scientific and social programming, which includes gathering a group of local IPSO members in a team who will work on the IPSO Congress program with him/her/them

--Be a member of the Web-Page Committee, chaired by the Editor, and participate in discussion regarding the contents to be published on the IPSO website and the IPSO social media channels, e.g. regional events and other information about IPSO

--Other projects as requested by the VP or EXCOM

- COMMUNICATION: Communicate regularly with the regional VP, EXCOM, Reps, and members; share planning, information and materials with Reps; exchange ideas and projects through email, WhatsApp, and online and in-person meetings. Be responsible, under the supervision of the VP, for submitting information to the editors for publication on the IPSO website and social media channels.
- REPORTS: Provide inputs to reports as requested by the VP.
- FINANCIAL: Provide inputs to the regional budget as requested by the VP; assist with IPSO dues as requested by the VP.

- ASSIST THE VP AS NEEDED