

MONASH ACADEMIC BOARD
ANNUAL ELECTIONS
Thursday 15 May – Thursday 22 May 2025

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The following positions are to be elected at the Monash Academic Board Elections as required by the Monash University (Council) Regulations:

Monash University Australia	
Faculty or faculty grouping	Number of vacancies to be filled
Art, Design and Architecture	1
Arts	1
Business and Economics	1
Education	1
Engineering	1
Information Technology	1
Law	1
Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences	2
Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences	1
Science	1

The term of office for these positions is 1 July 2025 to 30 June 2027.

These elections are conducted using optional preferential voting, and run in accordance with the [Monash University Academic Board Election Procedures](#) and the [Monash University \(Council\) Regulations](#). You should also read the [Campaign Principles](#) prior to submitting your nomination.

Academic Board is the pre-eminent body responsible for setting and upholding some of the most important standards in education and research at Monash. Academic Board considers and approves academic policies, procedures and practices of Monash and academic staff members are a vital part of this, contributing their broad experience and perspectives to Academic Board. Your faculty and staff group needs to be represented - get involved!

Nominations and Eligibility

A candidate must be eligible as per the following stipulations as outlined in the [Academic Board - Election Procedures](#).

Election eligibility for Monash University Australia

4.1 To be eligible for election as an academic staff member of the University, a person must:

- 4.1.1** at all times during the period of twelve months prior to the date of commencement of the person's term of office be employed by the University and hold a continuing or fixed-term appointment of at least 0.5 equivalent full-time (EFT); and
- 4.1.2** reside in Australia.

Nominators and voters must be academic staff of Monash University.

To nominate, you must complete the nomination via this [google form](#), however if you require a soft copy version of the nomination form to submit, please contact the Returning Officer on the email listed below.

Nominations open at 9.00am on Tuesday 29 April 2025 and close at 5.00pm on Wednesday 7 2025.

Candidate Statements

Candidates may submit supporting statements of up to 250 words with their nomination. Statements submitted after 5:00pm Wednesday 7 May will not be accepted.

Important Documents

- [Information about the role of the Academic Board Members](#)
- [Academic Board Membership Information](#)
- [Academic Board Election Procedure](#)
- [Principles governing campaigning by election participants for student and staff elections to University Council and the Academic Board](#)

Voting

If more valid nominations are received than the number of vacancies for any faculty, a ballot will be conducted for that faculty by secure online electronic voting. Eligible voters will be able to vote through a secure online voting link sent to their staff email. Polling for the Monash Academic Board elections will be from 9.00am on Thursday 15 May to 5.00pm on Thursday 22 May 2025.

Note: All times referred to in this document are Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST).

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