

Purpose of Job

To uphold the mission and vision of DONA International

To govern, establish and oversee policy, direct the activities of leadership, committees and management, and approve all actions pertaining to the business of DONA International

To promote and represent DONA International to the membership and world at large

Duties/Major Areas of Responsibility

Provide organizational leadership and advisement Formulate and oversee policies and procedures

Adopt, review and fulfill strategic initiatives

Determine, regularly evaluate and monitor DONA International's programs and services

Attend all Board of Director meetings and participate in teleconference meetings

Provide oversight of the board, committees, management and others involved in the governance, leadership and administration of DONA International's business, finances and programs

Evaluate committee structure to meet current and future organizational needs

Submit semi-annual reports pertaining to activities within the respective department(s)

Ensure necessary resources for the health and development of DONA International

Additional Duties/Major Areas of Responsibility

Assist the President in the discharge of duties as requested

Direct the activities of standing committees

In the absence or inability of the President to act, perform the President's duties

Work closely with the President to gain insight and understanding into tasks and responsibilities of the role of the President

Serve on the Executive Committee

Oversee the implementation of the Advocacy Committee

Responsible to:

Members

Board of Directors

Required qualifications

Completed one (1) full term on the Board of Directors

DONA certified doula in good standing for one full recertification period

Leadership and management experience, preferred

Excellent organization and communication skills

Commitment to serve Members world-wide

Phone, email and Internet capability

Loyally serve DONA International as a certified doula and member in good standing

Duration of term

One (1) one (1) year term, followed by one (1) one (1) year term as President and one (1) one (1) year term as Immediate Past President, for a total of one (1) three (3) year collective term

Time needed (per week)

Variable according to position: 10+/- hours

Application procedure

1. A resume' or curriculum vitae
2. A one (1) page letter of intent, which covers the applicant's goals for the position, demonstrates a working knowledge of the time commitment and responsibilities of the position; expresses a desire to serve DONA International and explains why the applicant is the right person for the position
3. Reference phone and email contact information from two (2) professional references and one (1) personal reference who can attest to the applicant's qualifications
4. List of your doula community involvement, connections and contact information
5. Disclosure of any potential conflicts of interest should be made with the application
6. Signed Confidentiality/Non-Disclosure Agreement

Email completed application packet to:

Nominations@DONA.org

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