



## Southern California World Service (SCWS) 2020 Area Elections: *Quick Reference Guide*

SCWS Area Board members serve for one “Panel” (a three-year term). The current Panel began in January, 2018, and ends December, 2020. The next Panel is from January, 2021, to December, 2023. The Officers (Delegate, Alternate Delegate, Chairperson, Treasurer, Secretary) for the next Panel are elected in November of the Panel’s final, 3rd year.

We are having the elections for the next Panel’s Area Officers on November 21, 2020. The candidates for the Officer positions will submit a resume indicating their interest in standing for an Officer position. (See “Officer Resume Form Instructions”)

Our Area Coordinators will also be practicing rotation of leadership, with candidates submitting a resume for positions they are interested in. Coordinators are appointed by the incoming Area Chair (for 2021) in consultation with the newly elected Area Officers.

### **Timeline for our SCWS Area Elections:**

**August 8:** posting of Area Election information on website, including

- Officer Resume Form
- Officer Resume Form Instructions
- Officer Job Descriptions

**September 15:** Resumes due for candidates interested in Officer positions.

**October 1:** Posted on SCWS website

- Officer candidate’s resumes (without identifying/personal information)
- Area Election Procedures
- Area Election History: Delegate

**October 15:** Posting of Coordinator Position information on website, including

- Coordinator Resume Form
- Coordinator Resume Form Instructions
- Coordinator Job Descriptions

**November 21:** SCWS Area Elections for Officers

**December 1:** Resumes for Area Coordinator candidates due

**January 1, 2021:** Official start for the new Area Board (Officers & Coordinators)

**January 9, 2021:** Officer turnover meeting

**January 16, 2021:** Area Sharing of Service (SOS) Workshop

**January 24, 2021:** Board turnover meeting