

Nomination Procedure for the ARMA Future Leaders

Nomination

- Any member of ARMA can nominate a candidate as a Future Leader. Self-nomination is acceptable.
- The nomination package should include –
 - from the candidate:
 - a short curriculum vitae (up to two pages)
 - a personal statement (up to one page) describing, 1) highlights of their technical achievements, 2) past volunteering experiences including but not limited to ARMA involvements as well as his/her motivation to become a Future Leader, and 3) the time commitment they are willing to put forward as a Future Leader of ARMA.
 - from the nominator: supporting statement on how the candidate could contribute as a Future Leader.
- Winner of the Best Ph.D. Thesis Award (Cook Award) from the previous year and winners and runner-ups of the Rocha Medal, who are ARMA members or based in North America and are willing to join ARMA, are automatically invited to join the group of the Future Leaders.
- Eligibility
 - The candidate is an ARMA member regardless of country of origin.

Deadline for nomination – 10 January.

Selection

- A nomination committee consisting of the current Future Leaders will evaluate the packages from the candidates.
- The nomination committee selects about 7-8 candidates each year.
- Evaluation of the candidates will be based on the candidates' technical qualification and their willingness to actively assist and participate in ARMA activities such as serving as a reviewer, organizing and chairing sessions, volunteering in other ARMA activities.
- The selection process will seek a balance in representation for all ARMA disciplines including civil, mining and petroleum related fields.
- The whole group of Future Leaders then votes to either approve or disapprove the slate of candidates selected by the nomination committee according to a majority rule.
- Deadline – end of February

Final Ratification

- The slate of candidates will be ratified by the Board of ARMA.
- The candidates must attend the Future Leaders Luncheon at the following ARMA Symposium.