American Association of Directors of Psychiatric Residency Training

Seeking Nominations for AADPRT Steering Committee Leadership Track (2029 Program Chair)

As the AADPRT past president and chair of the Nominating Committee (NC), I would like to solicit your nominations for the AADPRT Steering Committee (SC) leadership track (2029 program chair). Read on for details and the link (at the end) to nominate.

Leadership Track (2029 Program Chair)
The nominee selected for the leadership track will serve on the SC for six years from March, 2027 through the Annual Meeting in March, 2033. The leadership track is a yearly progression -- program chair-elect, program chair, secretary/treasurer, president-elect, president, and past president. This six-year path ensures that the president has substantial experience with, and knowledge of, the workings of the organization and has the benefit of their predecessors' experience. Please **click here** for a description of the roles of the various leadership positions and the program chair timeline.

Eligibility
To be eligible, you must be a psychiatrist who is an AADRPT individual or emeritus member. In addition, you must have served within the past five (5) years as a training director (TD) or assistant/associate training director (ATD). This allows leadership opportunities for members who have been in training director roles within the five-year period, but who have moved on to other leadership roles within their AADPRT affiliated organization. Current members of NC cannot be nominated for program chair.

Selection Process
Once nominee names have been identified, NC will reach out to nominees requesting a CV and personal statement outlining why they want to help lead AADPRT, a description of their AADPRT involvement, key leadership experiences outside of AADPRT, and a brief description of their short- and long-term career goals. A 30-minute Zoom interview with at least three NC members will be scheduled to explore:

- Vision
- Motivation
- AADPRT contributions and service
- Leadership
- Bandwidth
- Potential to advance equity

The selections will be announced at the 2027 Annual Meeting in Nashville! To read more about the NC process, **click here.** NC members will be determined once the Leadership Track nominees have been identified.

Nominations will be accepted through Thursday, October 29, 2026, 5pm ET. We encourage you to self-nominate or nominate someone you feel has the skill set, experience, and interest to help lead our organization.

Please reach out to me if you have any questions about the process and submit your nomination via the link below.

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Past President
Chair, 2026-2027 Nominating Committee

Submit Steering Committee Leadership Track (including 2029 Program Chair) Nomination