

SECTION 1: Identifying Information

**All fields in section 1 are mandatory.*

Name*:	Ann Findlay
Current administrative role*:	Principal, North Nova Education Centre
Previous administrative roles*:	Vice-Principal, North Nova Education Centre
Region/School Board*:	Chignecto Central Regional Centre for Education

SECTION 2: More About You

Share a bit about yourself! What makes you the right person to represent your peers on the PSAANS Board of Directors? Please comment on the following:

Experiences

Governance, negotiations, prior experience serving on a board of directors, PSAANS or a committee, etc.

I have a broad range of experiences, having worked in schools of various configurations. My involvement at the provincial level has given me the opportunity to understand the big picture items in our education system. However, I pride myself on remaining grounded in the reality of our schools, keeping the best interest of our students and staff at the forefront.

Provincial Experience:

- NSSAF Board of Governors (2016-present)- representative for Northumberland Region
- Principals' Forum Standing Committee Member (2017-2019) - CCRCE representative on provincial committee. Representing administrative voice from the region and giving input on provincial policies and provincial initiatives.
- Principals in Focus Organizing Team (2015-2017) – supported the development of provincial professional development for elementary, middle, and high school principals.

Skills & Qualities

Highlight those that best prepare you to be a Board Member

I have demonstrated leadership within my school, community, and region. Over the past ten years I have worked with CCRCE as an administrator and have the skills needed to be an advocate for our PSAANS members. I will listen, be informed and be our voice with professionalism.

- Over 20 years working in public education
- 10 years in school administration
- Team focused through ensuring collaboration with various stakeholders in education
- Dependable, hard-working, and organized

Other

Final thoughts

PSAANS is our avenue, as members, to advocate for our needs and the needs of our schools in a professional manner. We need to have strong voices that are grounded in practice. I can effectively represent our member's voices as a member of the board of directors. I am always willing to listen, take ideas forward and help to support our association as it aims to best represent our members and our members' needs.

SECTION 3:

The fine print

Additional information that WILL NOT be circulated or published as part of the election communications may be included in Section 4 (page 4) of this document.

To be official, this Nomination Form must be signed by the person named above indicating their acceptance of the nomination.

I submit this Nomination Form for the position of Member of the PSAANS Board of Directors for the region indicated above.

I confirm that I am a permanent and active member of PSAANS.

I understand that this is a volunteer position.

I consent to this Nomination Form being published on the PSAANS website.

Ann Findlay

Signature (Electronic)

Date: September 13, 2020

When signed, this Nomination Form is to be emailed to nominations@psaans.ca. It must be submitted as a .pdf.