

**BOARD CANDIDATE NOMINATION FORM
EQUINET AGM ELECTIONS 2015**

Please return this form to:
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Deadline for nominations: 8 September 2015

Member Organisation / Equality Body:	National Commission for the Promotion of Equality
Country:	Malta
Name of Candidate: <i>(Firstname SURNAME)</i>	Maria, BORG FILLETTI
Position in the Member organisation:	Manager
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Year of joining Member Organisation in your country:	Observer status from 2006 Member Organisation from 2008

Please note that a candidacy form will only be valid with page 2 (overleaf) fully completed and accompanied by a CV/profile in English. Please hand-sign and date the form below.

The Secretariat will also need to receive a picture of the candidate (see page 4 of Elections guide).

Your CV/profile may contain only information that you deem relevant to the position of Board Member (e.g. professional experience) and is NOT required to include personal data (e.g. date of birth, personal address)

Date:

4th September 2015

Signature:



Please note that your candidacy information will be made available to Members prior to AGM and access to this information will be restricted to Equinet Members only.

My motivation for becoming a member of the Equinet Executive Board: (please explain why you would like to sit on the Equinet Executive Board)

Being on the board of Equinet would allow me to contribute at a strategic level to Equinet's work. If elected, I will have the opportunity to put to further use the knowledge and experience I have gained working within the National Commission for the Promotion of Equality at the technical, administrative, and managerial level. I hope to be able to further my work in the field not only at a national but also at a European level.

I have been involved in equality and human rights work for approximately 15 years, from the time I was in school and all throughout my university days, which included volunteering with various NGOs and also founding a university human rights and equality NGO which is still in action till today. All the experience I gathered from that time coupled with my Masters in Human Rights and Democratisation allowed me to apply for and be chosen to work for NCPE – the national equality body in Malta, where I have worked for the past 8 years.

During this time I was fortunate enough to touch upon all the various aspects of the Commission's work, including training, research, awareness raising, public relations, equality and gender mainstreaming, investigations, EU co-funded projects, policy formulation and review as well as various other work.

I believe in the work of Equinet and the important and strategic role the network plays. Specifically in bringing together equality bodies from across Europe to share experience, knowledge and best practice and also its role as a point of reference for equality bodies and institutions. If elected, I look forward to being able to contribute to this work at this strategic level.

Additional note or other relevant information relating to your application (if any):

Letter of support from KNPD (equinet member) for my nomination.

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