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INAS Governing Board Member – Sponsorship and Fundraising

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Thankyou for your interest in INAS and a position on the INAS Governing Board. In this pack you will find further information about the organisation and our plans for the future.

INAS

INAS is the International Federation for intellectual impairment sport. It is one of four international impairment sport organisations in membership of the International Paralympic Committee (IPC) and represents the interests of athletes with an intellectual impairment within para-sport worldwide.

INAS organises an annual programme of regional and world championship competition in 15 sports together with the four-yearly INAS Global Games – a multi-sport event attracting up to 1000 of the world's best athletes with an intellectual impairment. We also manage the eligibility process for athletes wishing to compete within the classification group and promote public and media awareness of sport for people with an intellectual impairment.



Our Vision

INAS' vision is ***a world where people with intellectual impairment achieve their highest level of excellence through sport.***

We do this by working through our member organisations and partners to change attitudes, create opportunities and develop pathways in sport to ensure that athletes with an intellectual impairment can compete at the highest possible level.

Our organisation

The organisation is registered as a charity in the UK and is supported by a growing membership (currently around 80 national organisations around the world) representing more than 300,000 athletes.

The organisation is managed by the Governing Board, a group of experts elected by the membership who meet twice a year to receive reports and determine overall strategy. The Board are supported by a number of committees including the Technical Committee (responsible for delivering the INAS sports programme), Eligibility Committee (responsible for managing the athlete eligibility process) and Anti-Doping Committee (responsible for promoting drug-free sport).



INAS is managed on a day-to-day basis by its Executive Director who is responsible for all organisational, strategic and financial management, and the successful delivery of the INAS strategic plan.



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INAS Strategic Plan 2017-2021

In 2017, the INAS General Assembly approved a number of substantial changes to the organisation. These included a new strategic plan and new priorities for the next four years, changes to membership structure and the range of sports organisations (both nationally and internationally) with which INAS will work with, and a new project to trial new eligibility groups in competition for athletes with autism and athletes with multiple impairments.



Taken together, these changes provide INAS an opportunity to work with many more athletes across the World in new sports, and reinforce our position as the International Federation for Intellectual Impairment sport.

To support these changes, a substantial review of INAS Governance was undertaken and, in April 2017, a newly structured Governing Board was established. Where before the Board comprised specific operational roles, now there is a much greater focus on skills and experience basis.

In addition, 3 'co-opted' roles were created, allowing the Board to recruit to specific specialisms.

Sponsorship and Fundraising

Following a review of Board skills and needs, the INAS Governing Board are interested to hear from individuals who can make a substantial impact on our sponsorship and fundraising activities. Working closely with the Executive Director and Fundraising and Marketing Board (a small group of volunteers who support our efforts), you will have the experience, networks and influence to lever significant new investment into a growing international not-for-profit organisation.



The Board position initially runs until April but could be extended by agreement. Within the role, you will be invited to attend Board meetings (the next is due to take place in Mexico in early December) and will advise and assist is to grow organisational income for events, projects, and our core activities. We are looking for a dedicated and enthusiastic individual with a passion for working with a growing international charity.

Any expenses arising from the post will be covered by INAS where agreed in advance.



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Expression of Interest

Expressions of Interest should be made by submitting a CV with covering letter which sets out your vision for the role and how you will help us to achieve success. Please clearly detail your previous experience in a similar role giving details of achievements.

Expressions of Interest should be sent to nick.parr@inas.org no later than Monday 14th August 2017. A phone/video conference interview will be organised, and it is expected that an appointment to the Governing Board will be made soon after.

For an informal discussion about the opportunity, or if you have any questions then please contact Nick Parr (Executive Director) at nick.parr@inas.org to arrange a phone or video call.

Advertising and recruitment companies are kindly requested not to contact INAS (unless it is on behalf of an applicant/client) as further adverts will not be placed.