

Scientific and Technical Review Panel (STRP) of the Convention on Wetlands

**Nomination of candidates for appointment to the STRP
for the 2025-2028 triennium**

*Please note that the final version of this form will only be made available once the draft resolution
on the future implementation of scientific and technical aspects of the Convention for 2025-2028 (*[*COP15 Doc.23.10*](https://www.ramsar.org/document/cop15-doc2310-draft-resolution-future-implementation-scientific-technical-aspects)*) has been adopted.*

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| **Nominee form** |

The nominee form, together with the nominee’s curriculum vitae and nomination letter, should be attached to the online form for making the nomination to the Scientific and Technical Review Panel.

It is recommended that all parts of this form are completed by the candidate being nominated.

**The closing date for nominations is 29 August 2025 (pending confirmation)**.

More information on the nomination process is outlined here:

<https://contacts.ramsar.org/form/ml/strp-nominations>

If you have any queries, please contact Filip Aggestam (aggestam@ramsar.org).

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| Please note the roles and responsibilities of Panel members is described in **Resolution XII.5**: New framework for delivery of scientific and technical advice and guidance on the Convention ([here](https://www.ramsar.org/sites/default/files/documents/library/cop12_res05_new_strp_e_0.pdf)) in Annex 1: How the Scientific and Technical Review Panel works).Thematic work areas and high priority tasks are described in the resolution on the **draft** **future implementation of scientific and technical aspects of the Convention for 2023-2025** ([here](https://www.ramsar.org/document/cop15-doc2310-draft-resolution-future-implementation-scientific-technical-aspects) – **pending adoption**). |

1. **Personal information**
2. Full name

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1. Current position:

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1. **Background and specific scientific and technical experience related to STRP thematic work areas (TWAs) for the 2025-2028 period**.
2. Briefly list the main responsibilities in your current position (e.g., Managing and coordinating the [*insert research topic/programme/project*] at the [*insert organization*]; Supervisor of [*insert number*] PhD students).

See the resolution on the [draft future implementation of scientific and technical aspects of the Convention for 2025-2028](https://www.ramsar.org/document/cop15-doc2310-draft-resolution-future-implementation-scientific-technical-aspects) (**pending adoption**) for more details on the TWAs.

Please limit your answer to 250 words.

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1. Have you familiarized yourself with the roles and responsibilities of STRP member (as described in [Annex 1 - How the Scientific and Technical Review Panel works – of Resolution XII.5](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xii5-new-framework-delivery-scientific-technical-advice-guidance-convention)) and are you able to contribute to the work of the panel in line with this?

[ ]  Yes

[ ]  No

1. Do you have the agreement of your institution or employer that you can commit to the work of the Panel, including participation in all meetings and intersessional work of the Panel?

[ ]  Yes

[ ]  No

1. **Describe your expertise in relation to the five TWAs for the 2025-2028 period, including the high priority tasks.**

Please outline your previous and current involvement in activities relevant to the TWAs (e.g., development of guidelines, research, participation in scientific and technical bodies) at different scales (globally, regionally and/or nationally).

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1. **TWA 1. Wetlands of International Importance, development of the Site network and application of criteria**.

Please limit your answer to 250 words.

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1. **TWA 2. Tools for wetland assessment, mapping and monitoring, and development of inventories**.

Please limit your answer to 250 words.

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1. **TWA 3. Direct and climate-change-related pressures on wetlands, their impacts and responses**.

Please limit your answer to 250 words.

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1. **TWA 4. Wise use, sustainable management and restoration of wetlands in the wider landscape/seascape**.

Please limit your answer to 250 words.

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1. **TWA 5. Cross-cutting issues, supporting functions, and synergies with other multilateral environmental agreements (MEAs).**

Please limit your answer to 250 words.

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1. Please give a brief description of your experience with the Convention on Wetlands (e.g., participation in STRP, STRP National Focal Point, CEPA National Focal Point, National Wetland Committees or equivalent, etc.) as well as other multilateral environmental agreements and international scientific and technical bodies.

Please limit your answer to 250 words.

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1. Do you have proficient comprehension\* of at least one of the three official languages of the Convention? (select one or more languages as appropriate)

[ ]  English

[ ]  French

[ ]  Spanish

\* For a reference on the criteria for listening, reading, speaking and writing in the respective languages, please see Level C1 [here](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Common_European_Framework_of_Reference_for_Languages).

1. Will you require financial assistance to attend meetings of the Panel and/or any relevant working groups it may establish?

[ ]  Yes

[ ]  No