



Board Members: 1 Appointed

Organisation:	Gymnastics New Zealand
Website:	www.gymnasticsnz.com
Location of applicant:	Any location, 8 meetings held in Auckland and virtually
Duration of appointment:	2 years
Time commitment:	7 meetings per year
Remuneration:	Unpaid (expenses covered)
Incumbents Restanding:	No
Application closes:	3 July 2024

Background

As an International Gymnastics Federation member, Gymnastics New Zealand is the national governing body for gymnastics in New Zealand. We look after the sport across all codes from grassroots, through to high-performance athletes.

Our codes include both men's and women's artistic gymnastics, rhythmic, aerobics, trampoline, and GNZ parkour.

With the vision of becoming New Zealand's first choice of sport, whether people take the foundation skills they learn into other sports or stay in one of our codes the organisation has continued to experience good growth in participation and competitive numbers.

Gymnastics New Zealand's Board consists of four elected and three appointed members. Under the terms of the constitution, a Board Appointments Panel has been established to seek candidates for the elected and appointed positions that becomes available at the AGM in June 2024. Candidates for the elected positions will be sought through a club nomination process and the appointed board member candidates through an open process.

Skills/Competencies

The successful applicants will have a strong interest in sport and through your professional and personal experiences, demonstrate an understanding of how to utilise your knowledge and expertise, combined with your business and/or sporting networks to add value, knowledge, and insights to the board. Thereby assisting Gymnastics NZ make a difference



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to the many experiences that New Zealanders engage with through our Gymnastics New Zealand clubs, events and programmes.

The ideal candidate the Board Appointments Panel is seeking, will have a broad range of experience. This may include experience in senior-level management roles as well as governance experience as a director, trustee, or some similar governance role in either the commercial or not for profit sectors. Candidates with previous sport governance is advantageous.

The criteria that applicants will be judged against include, but is not limited to the following criteria

- Experience as a director, trustee or in other governance roles.
- Knowledge of, and experience in sport at a high performance or community level
- Experience and skills (commercial or non-commercial) in the following fields: finance,
- marketing, or business generally.
- Strategic ability and stakeholder focus.

Gymnastics NZ, places significant importance on succession planning for roles. Therefore, an important attribute the Board Appointments Panel will be looking for in candidates, is their ability to take the step into a governance leadership role. The leadership roles envisaged may include chairing our board or one of our standing committees.

Diversity

We particularly encourage applications from women, tangata whenua, a broad range of ethnicities, younger members of the community and provincially based individuals.

To Apply

Applications close at 5pm on Wednesday 3 July.

If you believe you fulfill the above criteria, please send a CV and cover letter to the Chair of the Board Appointments Panel (BAP) – office@gymnasticsnz.com.

