

Board Member Candidate's e-flyer

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Why do you want to become an ASAF Board member?

I want to go beyond being an ordinary member, thus, I am offering to join the board membership to enable me to contribute to the growth and increased awareness about ASAF in the continent. The current board has done so well, and that is why ASAF is still standing strong today and attracting interest from some of us. I believe there is a lot more we can do going forward by increasing our visibility amongst alumni, intending students and other relevant professionals. I want to be in that group of energetic crusaders that will make these laudable ideas come to fruition. As a way of giving back to the organisation that has done so much for me, I want the success to go round for other future beneficiaries. Furthermore, I want to contribute to fostering a sense of community and promote networking platforms, while improving my own leadership skills and international collaborations.

What is your vision for ASAF?

ASAF is positioned to achieve quality education and global integration towards the sustainable development of Africa. As of present, the current board has taken it to an enviable level, my vision is to join hands with other board members to improve upon

this by taking the message to every potential student in Africa regarding international mobility opportunities, and contribute to members development through capacity building within the provision of ASAF mandate.

What skills do you bring to the position and what contributions do you want to make?

I am a physician-scientist with great interest in research. I have established contacts across the continent and can negotiate passionately for the success of ASAF objectives. I teach very well, coordinate research groups, do data analysis, write manuscript for publication, and have a good dexterity of Microsoft word, excel, powerpoint, and access.

I intend to bring all these qualities to the board if given the opportunity to serve, towards the achievement of ASAF goals and objectives.

Why should you be elected as an ASAF Board member?

I am familiar with the vision and mission of ASAF, I understand the task to be done and I have what it takes to deliver.