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members of the Bureau

Election of members of the Bureau: nominations received by the secretariat

Note by the secretariat

At its seventh session, the Plenary of the Intergovernmental Science-Policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services will be invited to elect a new Bureau. In accordance with rule 22 of the rules of procedure for the Plenary of the Platform, the secretariat of the Platform, in notification EM/2018/19 dated 12 September 2018, invited members of the Platform to submit written nominations of appropriate candidates, along with their curricula vitae, no later than 4 January 2019. The Plenary can accept late nominations at its discretion. The names of the individuals whose nominations the secretariat received by 4 March 2019, along with links to their curricula vitae, are available at [www.ipbes.net/nominations/bureau/ipbes7](https://www.ipbes.net/nominations/bureau/ipbes7) and in the annex to this document, which is presented without formal editing. Nominations received after 4 March 2019 will be posted on the IPBES website.

Annex

Nominations for Bureau membership received by 4 March 2019

**African States**

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| *Nominated by* | *Name* | *Affiliation* | *Gender* | *Link to curriculum vitae* |
| Ethiopia | Sebsebe Demissew Woodmatas | Addis Ababa University | Male | [https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/ files/sebsebe\_cv\_2018\_complete\_with\_books\_journals\_etc.pdf](https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/files/sebsebe_cv_2018_complete_with_books_journals_etc.pdf) |
| Gabon | Jean Bruno Mikissa | Ministry of Water and Forests in charge of Environment and Sustainable Development, Gabon | Male | [https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/ files/cv-mikissa-2018\_1.pdf](https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/files/cv-mikissa-2018_1.pdf) |
| Sudan | Asia Mohamed | Institute of Environmental Studies, University of Khartoum | Female | <https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/files/curriculum_vitae_asiap44049787.pdf> |
| Togo | Aboudou Raoufou Radji | Ministry of Higher Education and Research, Togo | Male | [https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/ files/radji\_cv\_ipbes\_2018.pdf](https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/files/radji_cv_ipbes_2018.pdf) |

**Asia-Pacific States**

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| India | Vinod Mathur | Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, India | Male | <https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/files/curriculum_vitae_dr._vinod_b._mathur_ipbes_bureau_member.pdf> |
| Republic of Korea | Youngbae Suha | University of Seoul | Male | <https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/files/cv_youngbae_suh.pdf> |

**Eastern European States**

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| *Nominated by* | *Name* | *Affiliation* | *Gender* | *Link to curriculum vitae* |
| Bosnia and Herzegovina | Hamid Custovic | Faculty of Agricultural and Food Sciences, University of Sarajevo | Male | [https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/ files/cv-hamid\_custovic.pdf](https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/files/cv-hamid_custovic.pdf) |
| Slovakia | Rastislav Rybanič | Independent Biodiversity and Environment Consultant | Male | [https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/ files/cv-europass-20190102-rastislav\_rybanic-en.pdf](https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/files/cv-europass-20190102-rastislav_rybanic-en.pdf) |

**Latin American and Caribbean States**

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| Colombia | Ana Maria Hernandez Salgara | Alexander von Humboldt Biological Resources Research Institute | Female | [https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/ files/cv\_ana\_maria\_hernandez\_salgar\_january\_2018\_0.pdf](https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/files/cv_ana_maria_hernandez_salgar_january_2018_0.pdf) |
| Trinidad and Tobago | Floyd Homer | Ministry of Planning and Development, Trinidad and Tobago | Male | [https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/ files/cv\_fhomer\_ipbes\_bureau1r\_dec2018\_0.pdf](https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/files/cv_fhomer_ipbes_bureau1r_dec2018_0.pdf) |

**Western European and other States**

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| *Nominated by* | *Name* | *Affiliation* | *Gender* | *Link to curriculum vitae* |
| France | Julia Marton Lefèvre |  | Female | [https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/ files/cv\_bureau\_julia-marton-lefevre\_2019.pdf](https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/files/cv_bureau_julia-marton-lefevre_2019.pdf) |
| United States of America | T. Douglas Beard | United States Geological Survey | Male | [https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/ files/doug\_beard\_cv\_revised\_october\_2018.pdf](https://www.ipbes.net/sites/default/files/doug_beard_cv_revised_october_2018.pdf) |

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