



Pennsylvania - Delaware Chapter
Association for the Education and Rehabilitation
of the Blind and Visually Impaired
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Call for Nominations – Board of Directors

Penn-Del AER is currently soliciting nominations for the Board of Directors.

Current openings include seven (7) Directors-at-Large positions for the four regions.

Professionalism in the field of visual impairment is synonymous with AER, the ONLY membership organization in the United States for professionals serving individuals of all ages who are blind or visually impaired.

If you are interested in sharing your talents, motivated to make a positive difference through professional service, want to help AER grow and thrive, and wish to become a more active Penn-Del AER member, please consider running for a board position or nominating an individual you think would make an excellent board member.

Commitment:

- Term of office for Directors: July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2022
- The Penn-Del AER Board meets four times a year (July, October, January, and April). Two of the meetings are in person and two are via online video conference. Meetings are under four hours in length.
 - Attendance and active participation in all four (4) yearly board meetings and/or
 - Serving as a chair or lead for a subcommittee, and/or
 - Active participation on a Board committee
 - Recruiting new Penn-Del AER members
 - Mentoring new members and/or Board members

Nominations Process:

- Nominations must be received by **March 8, 2019**.
- Bio's accompanying the nomination should include: current position and brief description of past work history; academic background; any voluntary contributions to AER; a statement as to why you want to serve as a Board Member; and contact information including email address.
- The nominations slate will be voted upon during the Annual Meeting at the Penn-Del AER Conference on April 25, 2019.
- Please direct questions and your nomination recommendation(s), including a brief bio, to Dr. Rebecca Renshaw at rensshaw@lavelleschool.org.

The Pennsylvania-Delaware Chapter of the Association for the Education and Rehabilitation of the Blind and Visually Impaired (AER) supports professionals who provide education & rehabilitation services to people with visual impairments.