

Report for Nominations of Experts for Database of Consultants

Aimed at enhancing the database of consultants for use by national systems or institutions in various areas of quality assurance in tertiary education and seeking nominations from its member organizations, APQN Secretariat has sent all members an email “Call for nominations of experts for Database of Consultants” on January 2020. Thanks to all members’ warm cooperation and careful consideration, APQN Secretariat has collected 51 submissions in March, which contributes a lot to the further development of the database of consultants.

APQN encourages each APQN member to nominate qualified candidates and show great passion for all nominations. After collecting those submissions, a special-established APQN Review Committee has reviewed the Consultant Database of the above all applications in April. APQN Review Committee is composed of Prof Dr. Jianxin Zhang, Prof Dr. Galina Motova, Dr. Jagannath Patil, Ms I-Jung Grace Lu, Ms Farida Nurmanbetova, Prof. Deepthi C. Bandara and Ms Pingping Liu. After being reviewed by all the members of the Committee, the final decision was made. 46 from 51 submissions stands out and are qualified nominees according to the review committee.

The consultants are focused on the following three areas to strengthen a global database: (1) general quality assurance consultants; (2) consultants in institutional quality assurance; (3) consultants for programmatic quality assurance

We appreciate it very much that all members and review committees devote quite much to the whole process.

You can find information in details in APQN website:

<https://www.apqn.org/services/consultants>

Congratulations to the following consultants!

Table 1: 46 New Consultants in Consultant Database

#	Name	Country	Current Position	Organization
1	Farida Nurmanbetova	Kazakhstan	Adviser of ECAQA	ECAQA - Eurasian Centre for Accreditation and Quality Assurance in Higher Education and Health Care
2	Lyazzat Yeraliyeva	Kazakhstan	Member of ECAQA; Deputy Director for Clinical and Academic Affairs	National Scientific Center of Phthisiopulmonology of the Republic of Kazakhstan” of the Ministry of Health of the Republic of Kazakhstan
3	Deepthi Chandrika Bandara	Sri Lanka	Senior Professor	University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka
4	Cloud Bai-Yun	Britain	CEO	ECCTIS Ltd [UK NARIC]
5	James	Britain	Senior Analyst	ECCTIS Ltd [UK NARIC]

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6	Fabrizio Trifiro'	Italy	Head of Quality Benchmark Services	ECCTIS Ltd [UK NARIC]
7	V. Ariya Sumanasinghe	Sri Lanka	Retired Professor	Univeristy of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka
8	PRATHIBA ARUNI WEERASINGHE	Sri Lanka	Senior professor	RAJARATA UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA
9	Asha Sajeewani Karunaratne	Sri Lanka	Professor	Sabaragamuwa University of Sri Lanka
10	Jahfer Athambawa	Sri Lanka	Professor and Head of Department of Accountancy and Finance	South Eastern University of Sri Lanka, Sri Lanka
11	Charmalie Anuradhe Dona	Sri Lanka	Professor	University of Sri Jaywardenepura, Sri Lanka
12	Dayalatha Lekamge	Sri Lanka	Retired Professor	Was at the Open University of Sri Lanka till July 2019
13	Gunasingham Mikunthan	Sri Lanka	Director/CQA, Dean/Graduate studies, Director/Well-Being Centre, Chairman/Board of Management	University of Jaffna
14	Fathuma Hansiya Abdul Rauf	Sri Lanka	Professor in Management	South Eastern University of Sri Lanka
15	Perera	Sri Lanka	Chair Professor & Dean (Until April 2020)	University of Colombo
16	Jayasinghe Mudiyansele Pushpa Kumara	Sri Lanka	Emeritus Professor	NA
17	Shanmugalingam Nagalingam	Sri Lanka	Professor Emeritus Sociology/Visiting Professor in Sociology	University of Jaffna
18	Nanda Wipula Bandara Balasooriya	Sri Lanka	Senior Lecturer	University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka
19	Ranjith Mahanama Kariyawasam Ranaweera	Sri Lanka	Senior Professor Dean/Science	University of Colombo
20	Ruwan Duminda Jayasinghe	Sri Lanka	Professor	Univeristy of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka
21	Sepalika Chandrani Jayamanne	Sri Lanka	Professor Cum, Dean/Animal Science and EYesport Agriculture	Vice Chancellor/Uva Wellassa University
22	Sudhira Yasapriya De Silva	Sri Lanka	Senior Lecturer (Gr. I)	University of Ruhuna
23	Prof P Vinobaba	Sri Lanka	Senior Professor in Zoology	Vice-Chancellor, Eastern University
24	Nimalakith	Sri Lanka	Senior Lecturer (Grade-I)	Sabaragamuwa

	Gnanaseeli Samarakoon Jayasekara Mudiayanselage			University of Sri Lanka
25	Muhammad Arif	Pakistan	Director Quality Enhancement Cell	Institute of Business Management(IoBM)
26	Abigail Jones	Britain	Head of International Projects	UK NARIC
27	Ahmadullah Hilali	Afghan	Lecturer	Ministry of Higher Education
28	Vasily Makolov	Russia	Head of Quality and Accreditation Office	Russian State University for Humanities
29	Aleksey Kuzmin	Russian Federation	Associate Professor, Head of department	Baltic state technical university "VOENMEH" named after D.F.Ustinov
30	Salman Saif	Pakistan	Registrar	National TeYestile University
31	Lisa Collett	British	Director / Technical EYespert / Senior Researcher	Cotswold Research Consultancy
32	Oksana Matveeva	Russia	Deputy Head of Accreditation Office	NCPA - the National Centre for Public Accreditation
33	Timur Tabishev	Russia	Head of Licensing and Accreditation Department	Federal State Budgetary Educational Institution of Higher Education «Kabardino-Balkarian State University named after H.M. Berbekov»
34	Vladimir Zorin	Russia	Head of Department	Moscow Automobile and Road State Technical University
35	Svetlana Pesina	Russia	Head of Department of English	Nosov Magnitogorsk State Technical University
36	Natalya Filimonova	Russia	Head of department «Economy and Organization of Agricultural Production»	Krasnoyarsk State Agrarian University
37	Mikhail Berengarten	Russia	Professor	Moscow Polytech University
38	Natalia Tarkhanova	Russia	associate professor	South Ural state University (research University)
39	Elena Savinykh	Russia	Head of Methodology Office,	NCPA - the National Centre for Public Accreditation
40	Natalia Borozinets	Russia	Director Of the resource center for training disabled people	North Caucasus Federal University
41	Nikolay Tarasevich	Russia	Vice-rector for educational and methodological work	State Federal-Funded Educational Institution of Higher education Moscow State P.I. Tchaikovsky Conservatory
42	Ekaterina Egorova	Russia	Head of EYespert and Analytics Management Department	Moscow Pedagogical State University
43	Svetlana Panasenko	Russia	Head of the basic Department of trade policy	Plekhanov Russian university of economics
44	AleYesandr Kurylev	Russia	Head of research and educational center of professional competencies	Astrakhan State Technical University
45	Marina	Russia	Manager of the	National Centre for Public

	Kurdiumova		International Relations Office	Accreditation
46	Sergei Shirobokov	Russia	Director of Public Relations and Associate Professor of Education	Omsk State Pedagogical University

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