Call for ESS Board of Director Nominations

The Equine Science Society is seeking nominations for Board of Directors, Officers, and a Graduate Student Representative to the Board of Directors. Please refer to the ESS Constitution (http://www.equinescience.org/constitution.pdf) for descriptions and responsibilities for Director and Officer positions. Individuals must be willing to comply with expected requirements and responsibilities of the position to which they are nominated. Individuals can be nominated by themselves or others.

The Graduate Student Representative position serves as a graduate student voice to the Board of Directors. The person nominated must be willing to serve for a period of two years and must be enrolled in graduate school for at least the first year of their term. The Graduate Student Representative will be elected by ESS member graduate and undergraduate students during the student professional development or social programs at the 2017 meeting.

Nominations should be no more than 1 page in length (single spaced) and written in narrative form. The narrative should include following: a brief biosketch, a description of participation and involvement in past ESS functions, and the nominee’s vision for future directions of the Society. If possible, please include a clear head-shot photo of the nominee. Please note: nomination materials will be posted to the ESS conference website for viewing by members.

Please send your nominations to the Chair of the ESS Nominating Committee, Dr. Brian Nielsen via email at bdn@msu.edu. Please include “ESS Director Nomination” in the email subject line. Nominations should be submitted as Microsoft Word files. The deadline for receiving nominations for posting to the conference website is April 30, 2017. Nominations will also be solicited from the floor at the ESS General Business Meeting, scheduled for June 2, 2017 in Minneapolis, Minnesota.