



## **ELECTIONS COMMITTEE GOALS 2022-2024**

### **Goal I:**

Hold elections with a diverse slate of scholars (geographically, discipline, demographically) to choose from

### **Election 1:**

Hold an election Spring 2023 for

- a new Member-at-Large (to replace Claire Kamp Dush)

They will begin their term August 1, 2023

### **Election 2:**

Hold an election Spring 2024 for

- a new Vice-President
- a new Member-at-Large (to replace Geoff MacDonald)
- a new Publication Committee Chair (to replace Pamela Lanutti)
- a New Professional Representative (to replace interim representative)
- a new Treasurer (to replace Jessi Eckstein)

They will begin their terms August 1, 2024

### **Goal II:**

Continue to follow our usual general procedure for our elections:

- Members of the committee will submit suggestions of names by around Mid-January.
- An email will be distributed to the membership via RRN and the monthly e-blasts to request self- or other-nominations. This can be sent, for example, in the December RRN, the December and January eblasts.
- From this information, a list of names (generated from the committee and from self-nominations) with more information about each potential candidate is sent to the committee in order to obtain a rank order (sent in early February).
- The Chair will then use the rankings to guide the order in which to invite candidates to run for the positions. Those who agree to run will be asked to provide a candidate statement. As had been the practice in recent years, we had two candidates per position.
- The election is run through ElectionBuddy in April or May. Reminders will be sent at least two times for those who have not voted. Generally, about half of the eligible members receiving the ballot vote.
- The outcome of the election is announced through the e-blasts, in RRN and on the website.