



The Voice of Multicultural Victoria

NOMINEE STATEMENT

NOMINEE DETAILS

If there are more than 14 nominees to the available positions, an election will be conducted. To ensure electoral fairness, applicants are required to provide a brief description of relevant community involvement and experience in support of their nomination. You may attach a word document instead of completing this form if you wish.

No other documentation is required.

Name

BRUNA PASQUA

Organisation

CO.AS.IT

I have been involved in the non-government sector as a volunteer for decades.

My specific focus has been the development and provision of culturally and linguistically appropriate policies, programs and services, with a strong commitment for service delivery through ethno-specific organisations.

My professional expertise and experience include:

- Multicultural community settlement services, including community development:
- Residential/community/home-based aged care services and facilities, particularly forward planning for the escalating demand, including dementia care
- Educational (ESL & LOTE language services) for refugee and migrant women and children
- Telephone and translator services for migrant and refugee communities
- Health care provision, especially in geographical areas of limited services /high demand/high disadvantage.

Current positions include:

- COASIT
- ECCV
- VSL
- FKA.

Past Board positions include:

- National Women's Consultative Council
- The Assisi Aged Care Centre Board
- FECCA Women Deputy Chair
- FECCA Women Network Convenor
- FECCA Media Convenor
- Foundation member and Deputy Chair Association of Non English Speaking Background Women of Australia (ANESBWA)
- Kara House Migrant Women's Refuge
- Ministerial Council on Languages other than English, ESL and Multicultural Education

Qualifications

In psychology, social work, secondary teaching (University of Melbourne)

Signed

Bruna Pasqua

Date

23.10.2017