

Eligibility criteria for staff

- (1) A member of the staff of the University is eligible for nomination as a candidate for election to the Council as the elected staff member of the Council if the staff member—
 - (a) is employed by the University under a continuing or fixed term contract on at least a 0.5 full-time equivalent basis; and
 - (b) has been employed by the University under a continuing or fixed term contract on at least 0.5 full-time equivalent basis for at least 12 consecutive months immediately prior to nomination.

- (2) Despite subsection (1) and without limiting anything contained in section 5(1), the following persons may not be nominated for or elected to a position on the Council under this Division—
 - (a) the Vice-Chancellor;
 - (b) the Senior Deputy Vice-Chancellor;
 - (c) the Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Research);
 - (d) the Vice-President (Administration);
 - (e) the Chief of Staff;
 - (f) the Chief Financial Officer;
 - (g) a Pro Vice-Chancellor.

A staff member may not be eligible for nomination for a position on Council under certain circumstances outlined in the Council (Elections) Regulations 2016:

- a person who, at the time of the election, is serving a term of imprisonment, whether in Victoria, elsewhere in Australia or overseas;
- a person who, at the time of the election, is an insolvent under administration;
- a person who is or ever has been disqualified from managing corporations under a law of any jurisdiction;
- a person who is a member of a municipal council anywhere in Australia.