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### To the MILSET members:

SUBJECT: Recruitment call

**New members of the MILSET Executive Committee** 

Dear members,

The MILSET since its birth has built its strength and its values in the commitment of volunteers who have contributed to its development in a decisive way.

As announced at the General Assembly during ESI 2023 in Puebla, over the next four years, four members of the MILSET Executive Committee will complete their terms and retire from the committee. Today, there is one vacant position; three more will open in 2025, 2026 and 2027.

Our Strategic Plan for 2024-2029 requires MILSET to achieve systematic renewal of governance leadership. While the organisation has historically elected, appointed, or promoted Executive Committee members from a relatively small pool of dedicated and familiar volunteers, achieving this goal requires a broader, more inclusive approach.

Thus, we are launching an open call for new MILSET Executive Committee members. We ask all member organisations to circulate this call broadly and encourage the nomination of candidates.

This is an opportunity for people from your organisation to lead, influence and contribute to better future for MILSET. Executive Committee members work with MILSET's international team of STEAM leaders and gain significant experience solving global issues.



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To take part in the call of candidatures, we ask you to submit:

- A cover letter from member organisation or regional office.
- Candidate's CV (in English).
- A letter from the Candidate describing their:
  - o interest in serving on the MILSET as a member of the Executive Committee;
  - knowledge, skills, and experience relevant to the governance of a global youth STEAM organisation;
  - o a critical analysis regarding the vision for the development of MILSET and achievement of the six strategic priorities in the 2024-2029 Strategic Plan.

Applications will be accepted until **June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024**, after which the Executive Committee will implement its nominating process to appoint a member for 2024. In subsequent years, the process will identify one or more candidates for election by the General Assembly.

The application documents should be sent to: carole.charlebois@milset.org

### Please note that:

- The applications for all eligible candidates will be retained for consideration in future years. In the meantime, candidates may be approached to serve on committees or act as key volunteers for global programmes and activities.
- All the proposals related to the Strategic Plan could be analysed and considered by MILSET Strategic Planning Committee. So do not hesitate to put forward your ideas!

We look forward to receiving your applications, and we thank you in advance for your important contribution to the future of MILSET.

Sincerely yours,

Roberto Hidalgo President

### Attachments:

- Criteria Candidates' selection
- MILSET Strategic Plan 2024-2029
- MILSET Executive Committee Roles



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## Criteria for candidates' selection to the MILSET Executive Committee

### **General Criteria:**

- Visionary.
- Leadership.
- Credibility recognized by peers.
- Ability to work in team, listen and value other's opinions.

## Specific criteria with reference to MILSET:

- Support of MILSET's values.
- Interest in the promotion of STEAM.
- Experience in association governance.
- Fluent in English.
- Ability to contribute time to volunteer work in the EC (participates in regular meetings, review documents, make proposals, etc.)
- Representation of all regions (but not nominated or elected by the Regional Offices).

## Required Skills to complete the expertise of the actual EC members:

- Governance.
- Strategic Planning.
- Fundraising.
- Marketing & Communications.
- Financial Management.