



ALHR ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

29 April 2019

SECRETARY'S REPORT

1 Membership of ALHR

- 1.1 ALHR launched paid membership in April 2015. There are now five categories of membership.
- 1.2 Membership has decreased from 938 last year to 614 this year. This is a decrease of over 34%.

2 Social Media

2.1 Facebook

Page likes/followers: 5,679 (5,167 last year) (62% women and 36% men: Melbourne: 1.1K Sydney: 1.1k Brisbane: 715 Adelaide: 301 Perth: 265 Canberra: 192 Gold coast: 91 Newcastle: 80 Hobart: 76 Lahore Punjab Pakistan: 53 - other small numbers all over the world!

Peak post reach over last 12 months: 9,674 (9,896 last year)

Messages received and responded to over last 12 months: 305

3 Twitter

4,150 followers (3,620 last year)

2,320 Tweets

4 Membership of National Committee

- 4.1 Last year's annual general meeting was held on 30 April 2018. The following people were elected to ALHR's Executive Management Committee at that meeting:

- (a) President: Kerry Weste
- (b) Vice-president: Jarrah Ekstein
- (c) Secretary: Nathan Kennedy

- (d) Treasurer: Katherine Hinton
- (e) Ordinary members (Governance):
 - (i) Khanh Hoang
 - (ii) Benedict Coyne
 - (iii) Nicholas Stewart
 - (iv) Madeleine Bridgett
 - (v) Kathryn Cramp
 - (vi) Vacant

4.2 The state and territory convenors and sub-committees were confirmed as follows:

- (i) Business and Human Rights
 - (A) Lauren Zanetti
 - (B) Madeleine Bridgett
- (ii) Disability Rights
 - (A) Susan Peukert
- (iii) Freedoms
 - (A) Tamsin Clarke
- (iv) Human Right Act
 - (A) Benedict Coyne
- (v) Indigenous Rights
 - (A) Sonali Seneviratne
 - (B) Johanna Byrne
- (vi) LGBTI
 - (A) Nicholas Stewart
- (vii) Refugees
 - (A) Scott Cosgriff
- (viii) Women and Girls
 - (A) Rita Shackel
 - (B) Anna Kerr

- (b) State and Territory Committees
 - (i) ACT
 - (A) Sangeeta Sharmin
 - (ii) New South Wales
 - (A) Sera Mirzabegian
 - (iii) Northern Territory
 - (A) [No nomination received]
 - (iv) Queensland
 - (A) Inez Botta-Stanwell
 - (v) South Australia
 - (A) Esther Pearson
 - (B) Raffaele Piccolo
 - (vi) Tasmania
 - (A) Johanna Byrne
 - (vii) Victoria
 - (A) Hector Sharp
 - (viii) Western Australia
 - (A) Megan Healy

5 Nominations

5.1 The Rules require that all members of the Executive Management Committee (EMC) must retire at the AGM and the positions fill through election. The following nominations have been received:

- (a) President
 - (i) Kerry Weste
- (b) Vice-president
 - (i) Natalie Wade
- (c) Secretary
 - (i) Sangeeta Sharmin [late nomination]
- (d) Treasurer
 - (i) Katherine Hinton [late nomination]

- (e) Ordinary members (Governance) Nominations
 - (i) Anthony Hallal [late nomination]
 - (ii) Nicholas Stewart
 - (iii) Madeleine Bridgett [late nomination]
 - (iv) Jessica Bayley [late nomination]
 - (v) Khanh Hoang [late nomination]
 - (vi)

5.2 In accordance with ALHR's Rules all members of the National Committee other than member of the EMC are to be recorded as members of the incoming National Committee. The following are confirmed as members of the National Committee:

- (a) Thematic subcommittee nominations
 - (i) Business and Human Rights
 - (A) Madeleine Bridgett
 - (ii) Child Rights
 - (A) Rita Shackel
 - (B) Kerry Weste
 - (iii) Disability Rights
 - (A) Natalie Wade
 - (B) Susan Peukert
 - (iv) Economic Social and Cultural Rights
 - (A) Charlie Faulder
 - (v) Freedoms
 - (A)
 - (vi) Human Right Act
 - (A) Emma Phillips
 - (vii) Indigenous Rights
 - (A) Sonali Seneviratne
 - (B) Johanna Byrne
 - (viii) LGBTI

- (A) Nicholas Stewart
 - (B) Georgia Burke
- (ix) Refugees
 - (A) Jessica Bayley
- (x) Women and Girls
 - (A)
- (b) State and Territory Committees
 - (i) ACT
 - (B) Naomi Gould
 - (ii) New South Wales
 - (A) Sangeeta Sharmin
 - (B) Nameeta Chandra
 - (C) Manny Zhang
 - (D) Sarah Schwartz
 - (iii) Northern Territory
 - (A) Anneke Bossard
 - (iv) Queensland
 - (A) Inez Botta-Stanwell
 - (v) South Australia
 - (A) Alexandra Lontos
 - (vi) Tasmania
 - (A)
 - (vii) Victoria
 - (A) Bethany Moore
 - (B) Adaena Sinclair-Blakemore
 - (viii) Western Australia
 - (A) Megan Healy
 - (B) Alexandra Bishop

Nathan Kennedy
Secretary
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