

## **TAGT Executive Board Election Information**

The second page below lists the slate of candidates selected by the TAGT Elections Committee for the 2010 Executive Board. In accordance with the TAGT Elections Procedures, any TAGT member in good standing may declare himself or herself a candidate for an open position on the TAGT Executive Board. Self-declared candidates must submit a letter postmarked no later than June 15 to the Elections Chair at the TAGT Headquarters address along with the following:

- a) A Candidate Application Form (last page following)
- b) Twenty-five letters of endorsement from active TAGT members

If a member self-declares so that the office or position becomes contested, the Executive Director shall prepare and mail the ballots to the total membership or the contested region(s) no later than July 15. If no one self-declares, then the slated candidates will become members of the 2010 Executive Board effective at TAGT's Annual Business meeting on December 4, 2009.

Completed ballots must be postmarked on or before August 15 and received by an independent accounting firm no later than August 20. For contested positions, the accounting firm will tally ballots with results reported to the Executive Director, and Ann Studdard, as Elections Committee Chair, no later than September 1. Within seven working days, the Elections Committee Chair and Executive Director will canvass all ballots, with results certified to the President and President-Elect. When winners of the elections are declared, all persons on the ballot will be notified of election results by first class mail.

All queries should be directed to the Executive Director [Quentin@txgifted.org](mailto:Quentin@txgifted.org).



**2010 Executive Board Slate**  
**Texas Association for the Gifted and Talented**  
May 22, 2009

**Officers**

President-Elect	Michelle Swain Round Rock
First Vice President	Linda Phemister Rowlett
Third Vice President	Len AVECILLA Keller

**Regional Directors**

Region I	Merrill Hammons Brownsville
Region III	Mary Lea Pfenninger Victoria
Region V	D'Lana Barbay Silsbee
Region VII	Vikki Bowling Hideaway
Region IX	Bronwen Choate Graham
Region XI	Mary Chancellor Corinth
Region XIII	Raine Maggio Lake Travis
Region XV	Dianne Fowler Brownwood
Region XVII	Vowery Carlile Sundown
Region XIX	Mary Ann Clark El Paso



# SELF-NOMINATION FORM TAGT Executive Board Positions

Elections will be held in Summer 2009 to fill openings for Regional Director and Officer positions on the TAGT 2010 Executive Board. Individuals elected to the Board will take office in December 2009.

**Regional Director Positions to be Filled:** Regions I, III, V, VII, IX, XI, XIII, XV, XVII, XIX  
**Requirements for Regional Director Positions:** Current TAGT membership; must reside in the region where a vacancy exists.

**Officer Positions to be Filled:** President-Elect, First Vice-President and Third Vice-President  
**Requirements for Officer Positions:** Current TAGT membership; served at least one year on the Executive Board or on a TAGT Standing Committee or Advisory Board

To be considered for nomination to the TAGT Executive Board, please complete the information below and return by **June 15, 2009** to: **TAGT Elections Committee, 1524 S. IH 35, Suite 205, Austin, TX 78704.**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-Mail:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Region:** \_\_\_\_\_

**I. Position for Which You Wish to be Considered:** \_\_\_\_\_

**II. Previous and/or Current TAGT Service (if applicable):**

Officer on the TAGT Executive Board: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Office Dates of Service

Regional Director on the TAGT Executive Board: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Office Dates of Service

TAGT Standing Committee: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Committee Dates of Service

**III. Current Position and Affiliation:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(district/campus, university, business, parent, etc.)

**IV. Formal Education:**

Degree(s) Special Certificates/Endorsements Credentialing Institutions

**V. List five current or past activities, jobs, offices, etc. (professional or volunteer) which you believe will contribute to your success in carrying out the obligations of the position for which you wish to be considered:**

**VI. On a separate sheet of paper, provide a statement of 50 words or less indicating what you hope to accomplish, should you be elected to the TAGT Executive Board. Your statement, or a portion of it, will appear in the June/July issue of the TAGT Newsletter.**

**VII. Attach a brief resume or curriculum vita (not to exceed two typewritten pages.)**