



Nomination Template
Vice President
2023-2026

Nominee:	
Name:	Winnie SHIU
Member Association:	National Society of Professional Surveyors
Country:	United States
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Age/birthday:	61
Educational background & Qualifications:	MSc in Public Administration and Development, UK BSc (Hons) in Surveying and Mapping Sciences, UK Fellow, The Hong Kong Institute of Surveyors, HK Authorized Land Surveyor, Land Surveyor Authority, HK Registered Professional Surveyor (Land Surveying), Surveyors Registration Board, HK Certified BIM Manager, Construction Industry Council, HK Member, Hong Kong Institute of Building Information Modelling, HK Member, Hong Kong Geographic Information System Association, HK Member, National Society of Professional Surveyors, US Fellow, The Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors, UK Member, The Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, UK
Field of surveying discipline	Land and Engineering Surveys, Photogrammetry, Aerial Survey, Cadastral Survey, Hydrographic Survey, Geographic Information System, Building Information Modelling



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History of Employment: - Current position - Previous position(s)	Principal Adviser, Hong Kong SAR Government (since 2021)
	Assistant Director/Survey & Mapping, HKSAR Government (2020-2021) Chief Land Surveyor, HKSAR Government (2016-2020) Senior Land Surveyor, HKSAR Government (2003-2016) Land Surveyor, HKSAR Government (1991-2003) Senior Digital Cartographer, Mason Land Surveys, UK (1989-1991) Land Surveyor, JA Story and Partners, UK (1987-1989)

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Position of Trust: - Current position(s) - Previous position(s)	Adjunct Professor, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology Honorary Adviser, Hong Kong Geographic Information System Association Director, HKIS Charitable Foundation Assessor, Assessment of Professional Competence, Hong Kong Institute of Surveyors and Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors Assessor, Certified BIM Manager, Construction Industry Council Hong Kong Convention Ambassador, Hong Kong Tourism Commission Member, members'CARE@Hong Kong Jockey Club Volunteer Team Trustee, International Ethics Standards Coalition
	President, Hong Kong Institute of Surveyors (2019-2020) Chairman, HKIS Charitable Foundation (2019-2021) Chairman, Surveyors Registration Board (2018-2019) President, Hong Kong Geographic Information System Association (2017-2019)



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	Executive Member, Chinese Society of Geodesy, Photogrammetry and Cartography, China (2013-2021)
FIG Positions/Responsibilities:	
- Current position(s)/responsibilities	Chair, FIG Commission 1 'Professional Standards and Practice' (2009-2022)
- Previous position(s)/responsibilities	Personal Assistant to FIGVP (2002-2006) Congress Director, FIGWW 2007 in Hong Kong Co-chair: Working Group 1.1 Changing Nature of Work and the Role of a Surveyor (2011-2014) Member, FIG Task Force on Review of Commissions Structure (2015-2017) Vice Chair, FIG Commission 1 'Professional Standards and Practice' (2015-2018) Co-Chair, FIG Commission 1 Working Group on 'Women in Surveying' (2015-2018) Board of Director, FIG Foundation (2018) Advisory Committee of Commission Officers Representative to FIG Council (2019-2020)
Other activities in FIG	Work with the working group under Commission 1 and launched a FIG publication on International Boundaries on Unstable Ground for supporting UNSDG 16 on Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions in 2021 Chair, FIG Commission 1 Workshop on Professional Standards and Practice on Surveying and Mapping along the Belt and Road Routes in China 2020 Experience sharing of woman in the surveying industry in FIGWW2016 in New Zealand Chairs and rapporteurs of technical sessions; speakers and delegates in various FIGWW and Congress



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Nominee's statement	
My motivation to be FIG Vice President:	<p>The roles of FIG VP would range from steering the Commissions, managing the finance and administration, mentoring young surveyors, steering the organisation of FIGWW and Congress, promoting the development of surveying, liaising with members and the international bodies on how to serve the surveying community better.</p> <p>Having involved in various activities of FIG since 2002 in different capacities with the current position as Chair of Commission 1, I have a thorough understanding of the vision, roles, organisation structure of FIG and the importance of regular contacts with the member associations, national mapping agencies, academic institutions, corporate members, affiliate members, international bodies like UN, UN-Habitat, UNGGIM, WB, FAO, IAG, ISPRS, INTERGO, CLGE etc. Serving the FIG Foundation as the member of the Board of Directors has made me firmly believe the need to support emerging countries and to nurture the younger generation as future surveyors.</p> <p>My motivation to take up the role of a FIG VP is to assist the President in various roles for achieving FIG's aims and objectives with continuous review for improvement so as to serve the members better. Senior members of FIG, and indeed the profession as a whole, have a moral responsibility to pass on their experience and wisdom to younger members. I aim to nurture a future generation of impactful, energetic, world-changing young surveyors with the aim of sustainably growing our industry and its positive impacts to society.</p> <p>Surveyors are important professionals who play an irreplaceable role in the society. Working together with all FIG members and international bodies is essential to achieve a common goal and aim, i.e. one heart, one vision and to promote professional development.</p>
What I can offer in support of FIG's aims and objectives:	I have a proven record of committed leadership and competent experience in my years of service to the surveying profession. Whether that be in the public sector or through various professional institutes such as FIG, the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS), the Hong Kong Institute of Surveyors



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	<p>(HKIS), HKIS Charitable Foundation, Chinese Society of Geodesy, Photogrammetry and Cartography, to name a few.</p> <p>Having taken up positions in many all levels of FIG and similar institutes, I have shown an ability to cater for and mediate between different stakeholders, I have been successful in fundraising considerable contributions to events, and I have pushed and attained official/government recognition for our profession.</p> <p>To provide some recent examples, as Vice President and Chair of the 2018 Annual Dinner Organising Committee of HKIS, I successfully broke the record for funds raised for our Annual Dinner. As President of HKIS, I successfully pushed for subsidies to the construction and real estate industry in Hong Kong, resulting in a 50% government subsidy to newly graduated trainee surveyors which secured countless jobs. And currently, as Principle Adviser at the Food and Health Bureau, Government of Hong Kong SAR, I coordinate resources from various government departments and an non-governmental organisation in our fight against COVID-19. Using GIS technology, we rolled out a live and publicly accessible dashboard that spatially showed COVID-19 cases across the territory within 3 days. Our immediate response at the start of the outbreak provided invaluable information to the general public and has won praises from the highest levels of government, major businesses in Hong Kong, and even local foreign consulates as well.</p> <p>As an additional note, I was the Congress Director of FIG Working Week 2007, held in Hong Kong where we maintained a good account and achieved a surplus for FIG, creating additional benefit and value for our members.</p> <p>My long association with professional institutes and non-governmental organisations has provided me with in depth knowledge of the challenges, issues, and limitations they face. I have also been able to see how good leadership can produce wonderful results as well.</p> <p>These experiences, my energy, and my dedication to serve FIG and our profession will certainly enable me to successfully and effectively serve FIG, a non-governmental organisation recognised by the UN, to achieve its vision and role as the premier international representative of surveyors interests worldwide.</p>
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<p>My key skills for the Vice Presidency and FIG Council:</p>	<p>Experience in leading national-level non-governmental organisations.</p> <p>Leadership in public administration and management in large organisations.</p> <p>Being tri-lingual (English, Cantonese, and Mandarin) allows me to better connect with a wider number of members of the surveying community.</p> <p>Over 35 years of industry and professional experience.</p>
<p>Any other supporting information:</p>	<p>I received The Chief Executive's Commendation for Government / Public Service of the HKSAR Government received in 2020 for outstanding contribution on the use of GIS technology in the fight against COVID-19. The development of an interactive map dashboard in 3 days through collaboration with various bureaux, government departments and a non-governmental organisation to keep the citizens informed of the latest situation of the coronavirus was of utmost need. I am committed to excellence and my capability in bringing the best of humanity together warrants me to serve FIG better.</p>

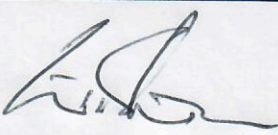
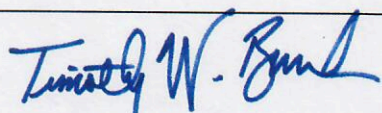
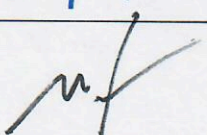


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Nominator	
Name of Member Association:	National Society of Professional Surveyors
Name of Proposer:	Timothy Burch, PLS
Position in Association	Executive Director
Contact address:	5119 Pegasus Court, Suite Q. Frederick, MD 21704, US
Email address	tim.burch@nsps.us.com / tburch67@gmail.com
Proposer's Statement	
Why the Association wants to propose the Nominee	Winnie has proven herself a worthy candidate for leadership within FIG by her significant contributions to many professional associations and working groups throughout her career. Her passion for the surveying profession is quite evident throughout her efforts in all association gatherings and activities. Winnie is a role model for not just women in surveying, but for professional surveyors worldwide.
What support (financial, administrative and others) can the Association provide to the Nominee if elected Vice President	NSPS will provide the necessary support to allow Winnie to continue with her personal drive and passion she brings to the profession. We are proud that she is a member of our organization, and we will help her achieve even more success as an officer of FIG.
Any other supporting information:	With supporting letter from NSPS.
Name of Seconder:	Mark C. Sargent, LS
Position in Association	President
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Signed I hereby certify the above is true and correct*	
Nominee	
Proposer:	
Seconder:	
Date:	24 Feb 2022

* Nominee is requested to initial every page of the nomination template

Clarifying Notes:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Nominator (Proposer and Seconder) must be principal officers of the FIG Member Association (by principal officers, it is construed as President or Chairperson, Deputy or Vice President/Chairperson, Secretary General or Chief Executive Officer or equivalent position)• The Nomination Template must be accompanied by a letter of support from either the President or the Principal Officer of the nominating FIG Member Association• Nominating FIG Member Association should ascertain the availability of the nominee over the duration of the term of office• Nominee should preferably have prior or current responsibilities within and working knowledge of FIG, its activities, aims and objectives• Nominee and Nominator are requested to pay attention to the Nominee's Statement and the Proposer's Statement
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