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2027 Nomination Form

Qualifications for each office are listed in The SCEA Elections Handbook on the website at www.thescea.org.

NOMINEE _____
(Please print or type your name as you want it to appear on the ballot)

During this election cycle, The SCEA members will elect an NEA Director, District Directors for The SCEA (7) UniDistricts, and 15 state delegates to the NEA Representative Assembly.

NEA DIRECTOR

Candidates for this office shall have been an active member of a local, where eligible and available, state, and the National Education Association for at least three (3) years immediately preceding the election. The NEA Director shall maintain active membership in the United Education Profession (UEP) at the local, state and national levels.

NEA Director

_____ (3-year term) 2027 – 2030

DISTRICT DIRECTORS

All candidates for district directors must have at least three (3) years membership in The SCEA immediately preceding the election. All district directors shall maintain active membership in The UEP at the local, state, and national levels.

District Director Vacancies: (check one) Members must be Active (FT) or ESP (FT) to run for office in the district where they work.

UniDistrict 1 (Abbeville, Anderson, Greenville, Laurens, Oconee, Pickens, Spartanburg)

_____ (3-year term) 2027 – 2030

UniDistrict 2 (Cherokee, Chester, Chesterfield, Darlington, Fairfield, Kershaw, Lancaster, Marlboro, Union, York)

_____ (3-year term) 2027 – 2030

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UniDistrict 3 (Aiken, Edgefield, Greater Lexington, Greenwood, Lexington /Richland 5, McCormick, Newberry, Palmetto-Unified, Saluda)

_____ (3-year term) 2027 – 2030

_____ (2-year term) 2027 - 2029

UniDistrict 4 (Dillon, Florence, Horry, Marion)

_____ (3-year term) 2027 – 2030

_____ (2-year term) 2027 - 2029

UniDistrict 5 (Calhoun and Richland)

_____ (3-year term) 2027 – 2030

_____ (2-year term) 2027 - 2029

_____ (1-year term) 2027 - 2028

UniDistrict 6 (Berkeley, Charleston, Clarendon, Dorchester, Georgetown, Lee, Summerville, Sumter, Williamsburg)

_____ (3-year term) 2027 – 2030

UniDistrict 7 (Allendale, Bamberg, Barnwell, Beaufort, Colleton, Hampton, Jasper, Orangeburg)

_____ (3-year term) 2027 – 2030

NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION REPRESENTATIVE ASSEMBLY STATE DELEGATES

All candidates for NEA/RA State Delegate shall be active members at the time of nominations. The term of office is one (1) year. All NEA/RA State Delegates shall maintain active membership in The UEP at the local, state, and national levels.

NEA/RA State Delegates: (check one) Members must be Active (FT) or ESP (FT) to run for a delegate seat.

_____ Certified/Non-Certified _____ Administrator

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Consent of the Nominee

I agree to be a candidate for the office as indicated and I certify that I am a member in good standing of the United Education Profession (UEP) and have been for at least three (3) years (if running for NEA Director or District Director). I also certify that I am not a member of a competing organization. I further certify that this nomination meets the requirements as set forth in The SCEA Constitution and Bylaws.

_____ _____

Signature of Nominee Date

_____

Complete Address (including zip code)

_____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Home Email _____

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2027 Biographical Data

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE)

Name _____

School_____

Candidate for: _____

Number of consecutive years of membership in United Education Profession (UEP) preceding this election_____

Educational background: College(s) and degree(s). List only three (3).

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Work experience: List only three (3).

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Professional Association memberships (organizations, positions held): List only three (3).

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Photograph

If you desire to have your photograph placed on the website, please send a head and shoulder photo along with the forms to the staff contact for elections. Photos are not kept on file at The SCEA.

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2027 Candidate's Platform

A platform is mandatory for candidates for NEA Director (150 words) and District Directors (75 words. No platform is needed for candidates for NEA/RA Delegate. Platforms that exceed word limits shall be cut to the specified number.

The Nomination Form, Biographical Data and Platform (for specified candidates) must be sent to the Elections Committee Chairperson:

Jacqueline Simmons
247 Durant Drive
Lake City, SC 29560
or send an email to homey2u@hotmail.com

A copy must be sent to the staff contact for Elections:

The SCEA
Attn: Elections
2999 Sunset Boulevard, Suite 200
West Columbia, SC 29169
or send an email to cpayne@thescea.org.

The Deadline is Friday, December 11, 2026, at 11:59 PM.