

## HUPO 2019 Executive Committee Self Nomination Form

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**\* Which Executive Committee Position are you nominating for?**

Vice President (2020-2021)

**\* Name**

Charles Pineau

**\* Position or Title**

Research Director Inserm

**\* Institution/Affiliation**

Inserm Unit 1085

**\* Please describe in 300 word or less why you are a suitable candidate for the HUPO Executive Committee.**

Dear fellow members,

I submit my nomination for election as HUPO Vice President. HUPO has built a robust foundation for proteomics and the quest of the human proteome. The expanding membership yet represents a diverse community of scientists. Recognition of the society is growing and I think this fundamental building blocks require more investment. HUPO has now started to focus, among other exciting goals, on promoting its activities among scientists and catching the interest of the general public and sponsors.

I am honored to be considered for the HUPO Vice President position. I was member of the Council in 2015-2016 and now serve on four committees. I am a Research Director at the French National Institute of Health and Biomedical Research (Inserm) with a joint appointment as Head of a national Proteomics facility. For more than 35 years, my research interests addressed various aspects of male reproduction. A major emphasis of my laboratory is to decipher the testicular proteome and characterize those proteins playing a key role in spermatogenesis.

With my experience as past president of the French proteomics society, and as a member of the Council, I shall work to bridge the diverse scientific communities within our discipline. As a Vice President, I shall act as a communicator between HUPO members and the EC Council and feedback ideas from members to the council. I shall contribute to keep our statuses and any other records up-to-date. I shall work with the treasurer and secretary general with the aim to increase the visibility of our society towards scientists, the public and also decision-makers. In my job I love the opportunities to integrate values and knowledge from many different disciplines and to learn from colleagues. As a VP, I shall bring the same enthusiasm and experience to the EC and its meetings.

**HUPO Activities: List any relevant experience serving on a HUPO committee or involvement with HUPO congresses.**

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2015-2016: Council member

2016-2017: Chair of the Website and Social Media sub-committee. Major achievement = HUPO website revamping

Present: Education & Training committee member

Present: Publication committee member

Present: Chair of Marketing committee

2019: Local organizer and Chair of the 21st C-HPP symposium, 11-14 May 2019 Saint-Malo, France