



## Comhlámh

### Nominations Form for Board Elections 2008

The Board is the governing body of Comhlámh and the official board of directors of the organisation. The effectiveness of Comhlámh depends to a large degree on the leadership of the Board. Being a member of the Board is one of the most challenging and rewarding roles in the organisation, where you have the shared responsibility to contribute to the **development of the organisation.**

The Board should ideally reflect the diversity of the membership of the organisation and as a governing body is involved in determining policy and strategy, and for providing accountability to the organisation. 2008 will be particularly significant for Comhlámh as we will begin the process of developing our next Strategic Plan which will guide the organisation for the next 3-5 years.

In particular, if you have experience that you are willing to share with us in any one of the following areas of

- **international development/human rights/volunteering**
- **management, organisational development**
- **media**
- **strategic planning**
- **human resources**
- **fundraising**

and a commitment to the values and mission of the organisation then you should consider bringing these skills to the organisation as a Board member.

We would encourage members to consider standing for election, or to approach people who would be suitable candidates to ask them to stand.

**Commitment required:** 5/6 Saturday meetings through the year, plus 1 training day. Maximum term of office is three years.

Please fill in this nomination form and return it to Comhlámh office before **5 p.m. on Friday 16th May 2008.**

Name of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Proposer: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Statement from Proposer/nominee *(must be signed)*

*We are both members of Comhlámh. The person nominated is willing to put their name forward for the Executive and give their commitment to contribute to the good running of the organisation.*

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

**The Nominee should fill out the following table. (Note that this information will be used to compile the biographical note that will accompany the ballot sheets for all candidates proceeding to the election so it must be filled out in full.)**

Involvement with Comhlámh to date:	
Current memberships of Boards/Committees:	
Previous membership of Boards/Committees:	
Key skills can offer:	
Other relevant Information including any experience in development field <i>(not to exceed the space provided)</i>	

Please send completed nominations forms to AGM, Comhlámh  
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