

WATER POLO AUSTRALIA HALL OF FAME SELECTION CRITERIA

- 1) Candidates will be considered and elected to the Hall of Fame biennially
- 2) Candidates must ;
 - be Australian Citizens,
 - be superior achievers at the highest level of water polo competition as players over a period exceeding 6 years or persons who have made an exceptional contribution over an extended period to water polo as administrators, coaches, referees or in another capacity, and
 - have the support of their peers.
- 3) Player Candidates will not be considered for election until at least 2 years after their retirement from the highest level of competition.
- 4) In addition to their competitive achievements a player Candidate's integrity, sportsmanship and character shall be considered in the selection process.
- 5) A maximum of 3 Candidates may be inducted in each biennial period
- 6) The process for the election of Candidates to the Hall of Fame shall be as follows:
 - i) A Selection Committee shall be formed to select successful candidates for induction into the Hall of Fame in accordance with the selection criteria
 - ii) The Selection Committee shall comprise 5 members who have been nominated by the Board of WPA and who are Hall of Fame Members and the President of WPA (or his/her nominee). WPA shall consider gender and geographical diversity in nominating the Selection Committee
 - iii) Candidates for consideration by the Selection Committee may be nominated by financial State Members of WPA (as defined by the WPA constitution).
 - iv) The decision of the Selection Committee regarding successful candidates shall be final provided the selection criteria have been followed
 - v) To be eligible for consideration, nominations are to received by WPA by the 31st July in each alternate year, commencing in 2016
 - vi) WPA shall act as secretariat for the Selection Committee