The British Council for Chinese Martial Arts

c/o 110 FRENSHAM DRIVE, STOCKINGFORD, NUNEATON, CV10 9QL THE GOVERNING BODY FOR CHINESE MARTIAL ARTS IN THE UK

Notification of Annual General Meeting

The forthcoming AGM will take place at: 61-66 Russell Square, London. WC1B 5BB

On the 1st July 2017. Time 14.00 - 17-00

Please find attached the voting form along with manifestoes from each of the members wishing to stand on the BCCMA Executive for the coming term. If you will not be attending the AGM you may cast your vote by post.

The first vote is for proposed changes to the constitution. Historically the role of president has been given to those who have given exceptional service to the Council over many, many years, especially in the capacity as 'Officers' in either the IWUF or the EWUF Executives or Technical Committees. The role has previously been awarded to Ray Smith former Vice President IWUF and current President EWUF.

- The Executive would like to bestow the title of Honorary President on Peter Warr in recognition of his more than 20 years' tireless work in Europe where he has held office as Secretary, Vice Chairman and representative of the European Technical committee, responsible for the development and training of international Judges. This would require small wording changes in the constitution to reflect the new position.
- 2. Currently it is down to the Members at a Members Council (AGM or EGM) to manage how or who is entitled to the Honorary Title of 'President' of the BCCMA. The Executive would like to propose that It is given the authority to Manage the role and entitlement of the title 'of President' in its absolute discretion.

The second is to vote for members wishing to stand on the executive. We have two people wishing to stand for the new position of head of Taolu and four people standing for the "Executive Member" position. You may vote for two people.

As Soon They is already an executive member changing positions he does not need to write a manifestoes.

There was only one nominee for Head of Sanda, so Panayiotis Evagorou will automatically be appointed to the position.

Please note that only associations that are full members can vote. That means that your annual membership has been paid and you have 30 or more members.

Please print off and fill in the forms, post to the address above by the 19th June.

Please mark the envelope "BCCMA AGM Vote"

Regards

Tony Swanson BCCMA Chairman

The British Council for Chinese Martial Arts

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2017

Voting Form

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Association Name:				
Head of Association / Chief Instruct	tor			
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Head of Taolu				
Vote for 1 person Mike Donoghue Xingbo Liu				
Executive Member				
Vote for 2 people Pamella Bisson				
Lee Cronian				
Manvinder Hutchings				
David Nicholls				
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David Nicholls: Executive Member Manifesto.

I have attended the last 3 AGMs and feel I could help. I started martial arts in the mid 80s, began teaching in the 90s and still teach. Drawing on professional experience in IT training and Project Management (booking software /databases and websites) within the leisure industry, I could work with the webmaster to maximise the BCCMA website as a communication tool, enhancing its value to members and potential sponsors, combined with a strategic use of social media. Utilising a MSc. in Sports Science I could also help deliver coaching facilities offered.

Reasons for Manvinder Hutchings Nomination as an Executive Member on the BCCMA Executive Board Council.

My reasons for selecting the role of an Executive Member are to develop an understanding of how the Council operates, learning it's aims, policies and procedures. Gaining this knowledge over time will help guide and steer me in certain directions for the BCCMA's future. A strong passion for Tai Ji, under the tutelage of my SiFu David Miller for nearly 20 years.

My qualifications are; BA Hons in Law and Business, BSc Hons in TCM Acupuncture, I spent time working at Hangzhou Hospital, China, gained BCCMA Coaching to Level 2 and 3 (which I need to complete case studies for).

Mike Donoghue

I believe I am the best person to fulfil the role of head of Taolu because:

- · I have been involved in the sport of Taolu since 1986
- · I competed as an athlete on the GB team for several years
- · I have acted as coach for the British Wushu Team on many occasions
- · I have produced athletes that have won 35 medals at EWUF/IWUF level including Britain's only IWUF gold medal
- · I obtained my IWUF coaching qualifications in Beijing 2006
- · I passed my EWUF judges exam in Romania 2005
- I am a successful businessman with excellent communication, commercial and digital skills

Pamella Bisson

Manifesto



Over 8 years training Wing Chun at the Alan Winner Academy I apply Kung Fu to my entire life.

Meditation ensures I maintain a balance and carries my understanding of self and others to spiritual levels.

With over 16 years experience in the media industry (TV Radio and Online) I am skilled within my industry and have a strong network of contacts.

I can offer, event management and budgetary experience. Represent the BCCMA to gain further commercial sponsorship and or partnerships, with the aim to elevate Kung Fu and it status in the UK.

Manifesto for Nominee Master Xingbo Liu - Head of Taolu

Xingbo Liu, is a 6th Duan Chinese Martial Arts Master who trained in the Shaolin Temple, in China.

He has been studying martial arts since he was 6 years old. He was 9 years old when he became pupil to Liu Xing Zhen, a martial arts expert of Shandong Province, China. At the age of 13, he continued his martial arts training with Shi Guo Lin, the chief warrior monk of the Shaolin Temple. Shi Guo Lin currently lives in Los Angeles, where he founded 'Shaolin Temple Overseas'.

Master Xingbo successfully acquired DaHong Quan, Shaolin Style Traditional Kung Fu, Wushu, Tai Chi and Qi Gong.

At the age of 15 he was enrolled to into the biggest school in China, Shaolin TaGou Martial Arts School to study SanDaBoJi (Chinese Kick Boxing).

He took part in several martial arts competitions in the district, the province and the whole country, in which he gained excellent results.

Master Xingbo is a China National Secondary Grade Martial Arts Judge, a sixth stage player of China Martial Art San Shou and an exponent of Chinese Shaolin Gong Fu (Acrobatic Fighting).

British Council for Chinese Martial Arts (BCCMA) Executive Member Nomination Manifesto for Lee Cronian

My name is Lee Cronian, I am a Captain in the Army, the Events Coordinator of the AMAA and I would like to run for the BCCMA Executive Member committee position. I want to make a big difference to the BCCMA and carry on with the amazing work the past and present committee members have been conducting. I believe I have all the necessary skills, acquired through my work within the Army and the AMAA, which will assist in the smooth running of the BCCMA. I am very passionate about what I do and want to positively assist you all.