The Congress Steering Committee (CSC) is seeking three applicants to join the committee. All members from WSAVA General Member Associations are invited to consider applying.

The CSC works to ensure that the WSAVA World Congress provides exceptional continuing education to all of our members. The World Congress is the flagship of the WSAVA brand and also provides significant finances to support the programs of WSAVA. This committee works closely with the Scientific Committee, the WSAVA Secretariat, Kenes International and all Local Host Committees for the World Congresses.

Committee Structure
The committee is composed of one chairperson and 4 committee members who are veterinary practitioners from around the world. The CSC tries to ensure that our membership structure reflects the 3 WSAVA Global regions. Find out more about the CSC here.

Responsibilities and Expectations
Member roles, responsibilities and expectations include:

- Attend the World Congress yearly and participate in 2-3 meetings as part of the CSC.
- Participate in virtual meetings which normally occur 3-4 times per year
- Review, score, and comment on bids for the World Congress
- Review the current model of Continuing Education delivery at the World Congress and collaborate on methods to improve and change the current delivery model.

Term of Office
- Hours/week: typical time requirement is 1-2 hours per week
- Term: 3 years, with the possibility to renew once. Ideally, the successful applicant will be able to attend the WSAVA World Congress and participate in the CSC meetings.

Professional Requirements
Desired skill sets and professional requirements:

- Experience with private practice, industry, and delivery/organization of continuing education is an asset
- Access to reliable internet for teleconferences
- Ability to respond promptly to committee work
- Knowledge of web-based education, telecommunication, distance education is an asset
Application Process

- Applicant must provide:
  - Curriculum Vitae
  - Letter of Intent
  - Application Form (completed)
  - Photograph
  - Letter of Support from WSAVA Member Association*

- Applications should be sent to the WSAVA Secretariat [admin@wsava.org]
- Applications should be submitted before May 24th, 2020.

*All nominees for membership of any WSAVA committee/group are required to provide a letter of Good Standing from the WSAVA member organisation of which they are a member. This requirement does not apply to nominees who are not members of a WSAVA organisation (e.g. non-veterinarians) whose expertise may be necessary for specialist committees/groups. A person of Good Standing is defined as someone who has complied with all explicit obligations of the association and who is not subject to any form of sanction, suspension or disciplinary censure. This letter is not a recommendation from the association that the nominee is the best person for the position. WSAVA committee positions are not chosen by member organisations - the Committee Chair ultimately decides on the best candidate for the position and the choice is ratified by the Leadership and Nominations Committee and the Executive Board. This letter indicates only that the WSAVA member association has no objection to the nomination.