

This form must be filed with the OEA Secretary-Treasurer and received at the OEA Headquarters no later than March 15, 2017. A written confirmation of your filing will be sent upon receipt of your form. Contact the Carol Price, Conference/Elections Coordinator at 800-282-1500, ext. 3169 prior to March 15, 2017 if you do not receive a confirmation letter. **FAX COPIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!**

**DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY  
HIGHER EDUCATION DELEGATE  
NEA REPRESENTATIVE ASSEMBLY  
JUNE 30 - JULY 5, 2017 ~ BOSTON, MA**

OEA 10-DIGIT INDIVIDUAL ID # \_\_\_\_\_  
(As it appears on your OEA Membership Card)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print or Type Name as it appears on the OEA Membership Records)

NAME YOU WOULD LIKE TO APPEAR ON BALLOT \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
(Number and Street) (City) (Zip) (County)

EDUCATIONAL POSITION \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

LOCAL ASSOCIATION \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_ HOME TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
a/c a/c

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|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> First Time Delegate     | <input type="checkbox"/> Green Participant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Building Representative | <input type="checkbox"/> Email Restrict    |

The NEA Constitution contains provisions for encouraging equitable representation of members of ethnic minority groups at all governance levels of the Association. If you are a member of one of the groups specified below you may, but are not required to, check the appropriate box.

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|-----------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian    | <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaskan Native   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Black    | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander |
| <input type="checkbox"/> White    | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Racial or Ethnic Minority  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown                          |

**NOTE:** I attest that the biographical information contained on the reverse side of this Declaration of Candidacy form is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

(THIS FORM MUST BE FILED NO LATER THAN MARCH 15, 2017.  
OEA funding is available for Higher Ed State At-Large Delegates)

**Please return form to:**  
Carol Price, Conference/Elections Coordinator  
Ohio Education Association  
P.O. Box 2550  
Columbus, OH 43216

**PLEASE COMPLETE BIOGRAPHICAL  
INFORMATION ON REVERSE SIDE  
OF THIS FORM**

**THIS FORM MAY BE REPRODUCED**

OEA Board of Director Policy 800.01 (BIOGRAPHICAL DATA) requires that:

*"Space is to be provided on the back of the Declaration of Intent Form for NEA At-Large delegates for biographical data **limited to 35 words or less** \* and that the biographical data submitted by the candidates be sent to the district associations for distribution."*

In addition, the May 1986 OEA Representative Assembly delegates passed a New Business Item which states that the OEA include a copy of the biographical information submitted by candidates in the OEA and NEA At-Large elections along with the ballots sent to local associations.

The December 1992 Representative Assembly delegates passed a New Business Item which states that when the biographies of both OEA and NEA at-large delegate candidates are distributed to the local associations, they will include the name of the candidate's local (spelled out in full) and will have abbreviations spelled out in full (except NEA/OEA/district abbreviations).\*

**\*Any abbreviated committees will be spelled out in full and each committee will be counted as one word, i.e. DLAMC will appear in the biographical information as Doris L. Allen Minority Caucus.**

The following is an example of how the biographical profile should be structured:

*Teacher - 30 years  
Past Local President/Vice-President/Treasurer  
Educators' Political Action Committee Chair  
UniServ Chair  
OEA: Legislative Committee  
Board of Directors  
NWOEA/OEA/NEA Delegate - 15 years  
Negotiations Team*

**\*NOTE: OEA RESERVES THE RIGHT TO EDIT BIOGRAPHICAL DATA OVER 35 WORDS.**

Biographical Data:

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