# **ELECTIONS 2023**

# **CANDIDATES FOR**

**PRESIDENT** 



#### **BPAC AGM 2023 & ELECTIONS**

#### **NOMINATION FORM - EXECUTIVE BOARD 2023-2027**

#### Nominations

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Proposing Member Association	Federación Deportiva Peruana de Badminton
Which Position? – President OR Deputy President OR Vice President	President

Name of Nominee
(Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms/Dr) – first
name(s) - family name in CAPITAL
LETTERS

Nominee's Email Address

Armandobruni7@gmail.com

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Nominee's Telephone No.

Home +503 7871 5171

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Nominees Date of Birth	April 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 1989
Nationality	Salvadoran
Languages Spoken / Written	Spanish

a. Brief statement of nominee's qualifications / experience.

Lawyer and Notary of the Republic of El Salvador, with an executive Master's degree in management of sports organizations, recognized and endorsed by the International Olympic Committee.

President of the Olympic Committee of El Salvador.

With experience in management, administration and planning of sports institutions; president of the Salvadoran Badminton Federation, vice president of the Ibero-American Badminton Confederation, director of the board of directors of the Municipal Institute of Sports and Recreation of San Salvador

#### b. Badminton experience and involvement.

- SALVADORAN BADMINTON FEDERATION.

President.

Period 2017 - 2025.

- IBEROAMERICAN BADMINTON CONFEDERATION.

Vicepresident by Centralamerica.

### c. Other sporting, commercial, management or professional experience or relevant qualifications.

- OLYMPIC COMITTE OF EL SALVADOR.

President.

Period 2021 - 2024

 ORGANIZING COMMITTEE OF THE CENTRAL AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN GAMES SAN SALVADOR 2023.

Vicepresident.

- MUNICIPAL INSTITUTE OF SPORTS AND RECREATION.

San Salvador City Hall.

Alternate Director of the Board of Directors.

Period 2018-2021.

- CENTRAL AMERICAN SPORTS ORGANIZATION.

Vicepresident.

- PANAM SPORTS.

Member of the Training and Education Commission.

Member of the Follow-up Commission of the Barranquilla 2027 Pan American Games.

 Among other experiences as a sports leader, I was a member of the El Salvador National Sports Tribunal, and a member of the Justice and Honor Commission of the El Salvador Olympic Committee. d. Statement on behalf of nominee on how he / she can assist Badminton Pan Am Confederation.

My main support is based on 4 main axes or pillars that are 1.- Good Governance (Good governance is both a necessity and an obligation for the different associates to grant credibility and respect to this autonomy), 2.- The Strengthening of support and training programs for coaches and judges (We must reinforce the continental base of our sport in order to advance more evenly and solidly in our continent), 3.- Rapprochement between countries and equal opportunities (It is important to create conditions so that all the zones of the Confederation are integrated, each one working under the conditions of their countries, but in an articulated way and that that sense of identity and belonging to the Confederation is generated and to improve the rapprochement) and 4.- The position of the Confederation vis-a-vis to sports Institutions regarding other sports (The idea is that badminton in America, Europe, Aisa, Africa and Oceania is positioned as other sports are in the games of the Olympic cycle, work hand in hand with the BWF, the IOC, Panam Sports, Centro Caribe Sports, ODESUR, CANOC, ORDECA, ODEBO, COMEBA and any other organization that organizes sporting events).

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Name of Person Completing this form (please use CAPITAL letters)	GONZALO MARIO CASTILLO GUZMÁN	
Title/Position	President	
Telephone No.	+51986650447	
Email Address	gcastillo@badmintonperu.com	
Signature	Hyper 1	

Official Stamp of the Member:

Date:

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20th March 2023



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Proposing Member Association	JAMAICA BADMINTON ASSOCIATION
Which Position? – President OR Deputy President OR Vice President	PRESIDENT

Name of Nominee (Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms/Dr) – first name(s) - family name in CAPITAL LETTERS	ZARKO CUKIC  zcukic17@gmail.com	
Nominee's Email Address		
Nominee's Home Address	Ca. J. Lara 260 SAN ISIDRO, LIMA	
Nominee's Telephone No.	Home +51 987 964970 Office	

Nominees Date of Birth	01/06/1953	
Nationality	PERUVIAN	
Languages Spoken / Written	ENGLISH, SPANISH, SERBO.CROATIAN	

#### a. Brief statement of nominee's qualifications / experience.

Executive with more than 40 years of experience in private companies.

Specialization in corporate business management, planning, strategic negotiation and organizational structure, sales and marketing, financial structures, consulting and execution of infrastructure projects.

Orientation towards strategic planning and project group leadership through motivation and teamwork.

#### b. Badminton experience and involvement.

- Coordinator of Badminton Club Regatas Lima 2008.
- President of the Peruvian Badminton Federation 2009-2012
- President of the Peruvian Badminton Federation 2013-2016.
- FDPB VENUE management: National Stadium with 4 courts and offices.

La Videna High Performance Center with 12 courts.

- Management and start of the program for the Federation Academy 2013.
- Management and start of the program for Para Badminton 2014.

### c. Other sporting, commercial, management or professional experience or relevant qualifications.

- President of the Organizing Committee of the Continental Qualifying event for I YOG Singapore 2010.
- President of the Organizing Committee of the Bolivarian Games 2013.
- President of the World Junior Championships 2015 Organizing Committee.
- President of the Junior Pan Am Championships 2016 Organizing Committee.
- President of the Organizing Committee for Pan Am Circuit events in Peru 2009-2016.
- President of the Organizing Committee for Peru ParaBadminton International 2016.

- Vice President of Pan American Badminton Confederation 2011-2015
- Vice President of Pan American Badminton Confederation 2015-2019
- Pan American Badminton Confederation Events Chair 2015-2019
- Chair of Administration of Pan American Badminton Confederation 2019-2023
  - Events Deputy Chair of Pan American Badminton Confederation 2019-2023

# d. Statement on behalf of nominee on how he / she can assist Badminton Pan Am Confederation.

I ratify my commitment to our sport in continuing to promote its growth and development in our associations, the desire to continue working closely with everyone and make the necessary management for this purpose.

Continue with good communication with BWF through our office and be able to meet the objectives set out in the Strategic Plans of our institutions for the next 4 years and be able to contribute to the improvement of performance of the corresponding programs, including Air Badminton.

Support the growth of our athletes, coaches, and technical officials, both conventional, ParaBadminton, in order to achieve its positioning worldwide and continentally.

Develop the potential of our continental office for better monitoring of programs, activity applications and benefits for our athletes.

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Name of Person Completing this form (please use CAPITAL letters)	SHELDON TOWNSEND	
Title/Position	PRESIDENT	
Telephone No.	(876) 816-1873	
Email Address	sheldon.townsend@badmintonjamaica.org	
Signature	Marine 1	

Official Stamp of the Member:

Date: March 15, 2023

BPAC AGM & Elections 2023 Proposal Executive Board form



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Proposing Member Association	Canada
Which Position? – President OR Deputy President OR Vice President	President, Badminton Pan-Am Confederation, AND Vice- President BWF

Name of Nominee (Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms/Dr) – first name(s) - family name in CAPITAL LETTERS	Mr. Anil Kaul
Nominee's Email Address	Anil.kaul@shaw.ca Anil.kaul@badminton.ca
Nominee's Home Address	315 Brock Street Winnipeg, Manitoba, CANADA R3N 0Y8

Nominee's Telephone No.	Home 204-885-0141	Office: 204-999-4722
Nominees Date of Birth	December 25, 1964	
Nationality	Canadian	
Languages Spoken / Written	English	

#### Brief statement of nominee's qualifications / experience.

Mr. Anil Kaul has contributed to the sport of badminton as a player, coach, administrator, volunteer, as a Board member of Badminton Canada and as Deputy President of Badminton Pan Am. Anil has supported the growth of our sport at the regional, national and international level in a multitude of ways. He is proud of the substantial growth of badminton in Canada under his leadership and that there are now many more athletes, coaches and volunteers involved in our sport in Canada.

Under Anil's leadership, Badminton Canada has undergone substantial growth. Some examples of his success include:

- 1. Revenues increased by over 300%
- 2. Increase in Badminton Canada Membership by almost 400%
- 3. The hosting of the World Junior Championships in 2018
- 4. The hosting of numerous Pan Am Championships (Junior, Senior, & Team)
- 5. The Hosting of the Canadian Para International
- 6. Canada qualifying 9 athletes to the Olympic and Paralympic Games in Tokyo in 2021

Badminton Canada believes this is the right time for Anil to use his passion and experience to help grow our sport. The Pan Am zone will once again host the Olympic and Paralympic Game in 2028 and we believe that Anil has the leadership skills and business acumen to fully leverage and maximize the benefits of these Games for the greater good of Pan Am Badminton.

When not dedicating himself to our sport, Anil is a Director at Sobi Canada which is one of Canada's preeminent pharmaceutical companies. Anil is married and has two children both studying at university.

#### b. Badminton experience and involvement.

- Badminton Canada National Team Member for 10 years
- 5-time Canadian National Champion
- Pan Am Badminton Champion
- Gold medallist at 1995 Pan Am Games
- Two-time Olympian (1992 & 1996)
- Level three certified Coach and Course Conductor
- Grew a regional badminton association from 10 members to over 700 members in two years.
- Helped grow/develop Badminton Canada's revenues by 300%
- Hosted numerous international events including the Pan Am Games, Pan Am Championships, Pan Am Junior Championships and World Junior Championships as President of Badminton Canada.
- Started the Canadian Para International as President of Badminton Canada.
- Laid the foundations to grow the Canada Open from a Level 100 to Level 500 BWF World Tour event.
- Continues to be active in the local, Provincial, and National badminton community.
- Currently serving as the Deputy President of Badminton Pan Am Confederation and as the Co-Chair of Development in the Pan Am region.

## c. Other sporting, commercial, management or professional experience or relevant qualifications.

- Currently working as Director, Patient Access at Sobi Canada A biotech pharmaceutical company focused on developing medicines for Rare Disease.
- Vice-President of Badminton Canada and High-Performance Director for 8 years
- Founder and President, Canadian Badminton Athlete Association for 8 years
- President, Badminton Canada for 7 years
- Canadian Olympic Committee Session Member for 7 years
- Canadian Paralympic Committee Session member for 6 years
- Deputy President, BPAC

### d. Statement on behalf of nominee on how he / she can assist Badminton Pan Am Confederation.

Mr. Anil Kaul has been a proud member and supporter of the Badminton Pan Am community for over 30 years. Anil has represented the Pan Am region in numerous roles – as a gold medal winning athlete, as a coach as a national Federation President and for the last 4 years as the Deputy President of Badminton Pan Am Confederation.

Anil has the drive, leadership and business acumen to ensure Badminton Pan Am Confederation's voice is heard at the BWF. He believes that for Pan Am to be successful, we must grow our sport in our zone at all levels. He understands that each Pan Am member have different needs and will do his very best to ensure Pan Am Badminton has the resources to meet those needs.

With the 2028 Olympics and Paralympics less than 6 years away, Anil understands that there is an opportunity leverage these Games for the betterment of Pan Am Badminton and its members. However Anil and Badminton Canada believe strongly that, in order for this to happen, the same individual needs to be both the Badminton Pan Am Confederation President and Vice President, BWF from Pan Am. Historically, these positions have been held by the same individual in order to ensure that Pan Am needs are clearly communicated and advocated for, and that members of Pan Am Badminton have a direct line of communication with BWF leadership.

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Date: March 23, 2023