

Special category chapter chair election

Self-nomination forms due April 30th, 2021

Article IV, Section 8.3 of the UTLA/LAUSD Agreement provides for Chapter Chairs Districtwide for major employment categories that are not school-site based. These Chapter Chair categories are listed:

- Adapted P.E.
- **Arts Education Itinerant Teachers**
- Audiometrists
- Deaf and Hard of Hearing
- Educational Audiologists
- Elementary Literacy Coaches
- Non-Public Schools
- **Occupational and Physical Therapy**
- Ph/PHH/LRE Counselors
- **Psychiatric Social Workers**
- **Pupil Service and Attendance Counselors**
- **School Nurses**
- **School Psychologists**
- Secondary Counselors
- **Speech and Language Pathologists**
- **Substitutes Central Calling Area (1, 2, 3)**
- **Substitutes North Calling Area (1, 2, 3, 4)**
- **Substitutes South Calling Area (1, 2, 3)**
- Visually Handicapped
- **Vocational Education**

Categories in **bold** above can have multiple chapter chairs.

Candidates for these Chapter Chair positions must be a current member of the non-school-based employment category listed and must self-nominate with this form; otherwise the positions will go unfilled. It is due on April 30th, 2021. If more than one person is nominated for a category, the election then will be carried out by an email ballot to all members of that category. The ballots must be received by UTLA on May 21st, 2021 at 5pm. Anyone who is eligible to vote (i.e. a UTLA member of that category) but has not received a ballot must email Princess Sykes at UTLA at psykes@utla.net by May 14th, to request one. Please see UTLA Chapter Chair Elections and Duties in this UNITED TEACHER for further information regarding qualifications for this office, duties of the chapter chair, term of office, etc. Groups of 80 or more members may elect a Co-Chair to assist the Chair as needed. Citywide groups that have Local District or similar sub-group meetings are encouraged to elect a Vice Chair for each Local District or sub-group. UTLA is also recognizing Chapter Chairs for each of the regional groupings (Local Districts) for the following large groups: Psychologists, Nurses, PSWs, PSA Counselors, Secondary Counselors, Speech and Language, and OT/PT.

Name _____ Employee Number _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Email (non-LAUSD) _____

Home Phone _____ District Position _____

Candidate For (Choose One): Chair Co-Chair Vice Chair

Local District (needed for HHS itinerant) _____

Special category you would represent _____

Substitutes Only: Calling Area & Number _____

Return to Princess Sykes by email to psykes@utla.net
Due to the Safer At Home orders related to COVID-19, we are only accepting these forms via email.