

Application for ABR Board of Directors (Term 2019-2020)

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ABR Farm Member YES NO \_\_\_\_\_ Became member in 2001 (year)  
AOA Farm Member YES NO \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that being an ABR Board of Directors member requires that I attend regular board meetings and devote six (6) hours or more per week carrying out the duties of my position. Initial PJ

I am interested in being considered as a candidate for the following open positions:

President (2 year term) \_\_\_\_\_ Director - Communications & Membership (2 year term) \_\_\_\_\_  
Treasurer (2 year term) X Director - Education (2 year term) \_\_\_\_\_

Please respond to the following questions and submit to the Chair of the Nominating Committee no later than September 10, 2018.

When did you purchase your first alpacas? <sup>2000</sup> # in current herd 105 Huacaya Suri- both -

Have you every held office or served as BOD member in a corporation? Non-profit? X for Profit? \_\_\_  
Name/type of company: ABR

How would you describe your organizational skills & follow-through?  
I AM PRETTY GOOD AT FOLLOWING THROUGH ON ANYTHING I START AND MY ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS ARE GOOD.

What Committee leadership or Board roles have you held in ABR?  
I HAVE BEEN THE MARKETING DIRECTOR FOR 4 TERMS AND I AM CURRENTLY THE ~~FINANCE~~ TREASURER.

What are the three (3) most important issues that you feel ABR should address in the next 2 years?  
1) WE NEEDED TO REENERGIZE ABR BY GROWING MEMBERSHIP AND IMPROVING RENEWAL RATES.  
2) WE NEED TO IMPROVE OUR VOLUNTEER RATES AND THIS INCLUDES SHOW COMMITTEES AND OTHER ABR COMMITTEES.  
3) WE NEED TO EXPAND OUR NON-SHOW ACTIVITIES & SCOPE, ESPECIALLY AROUND FIBER.

What particular skill sets would you bring to the ABR BOD?  
I AM A LOW KEY PERSON WHO BELIEVES IN COOPERATION & GROUP WORK OVER INDIVIDUAL NEEDS. I WORK WELL WITH OTHERS, HAVE AN ANALYTICAL MIND AND WILL SPEAK UP ~~AND~~ WHEN I THINK IT'S APPROPRIATE. I BRING PROJECT MANAGEMENT & PEOPLE MANAGEMENT TO THE TABLE.

Your response to the above will be presented to the ABR Farm Members with the ballot for the election. Please limit your total response to two pages. If you have questions, please contact ABR Past President & Nomination Committee Chair Ann Danielson, [alpacaannie@gmail.com](mailto:alpacaannie@gmail.com), 720-341-1673.