# Call for Nominations for Editor-in-Chief
## of IEEE Transactions on Systems, Man and Cybernetics: Systems

The IEEE Systems, Man and Cybernetics Society (SMCS) invites nominations for the position of Editor-in-Chief (EiC) for the IEEE Transactions on Systems, Man and Cybernetics: Systems (IEEE Transactions on SMC: Systems), for a three-year term from January 2026 to December 2028.
More details about the journal can be found at:
https://www.ieeesmc.org/publications/transactions-on-smc-systems/
https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/xpl/topics.jsp?punumber=6221021

The EiC's duties include identification of Associate Editors and Senior Editors to serve across the scope of the IEEE Transactions on SMC: Systems; management of the day-to-day operations of the journal through Scholar One Manuscripts with the assistance of the SMCS Publications Committee; monitoring of quality and timeliness of publications; identification of areas that require strengthening; and working with the Society and its Technical Committees to achieve these goals. The candidate should be a Fellow of IEEE, or a Senior member with extensive editorial experience and strong leadership.

The EiC will report to the Society's Vice President for Publications. She/he is expected to participate in SMC Annual conference, Publications Committee meetings, and Systems Science and Engineering Committee meetings, and contribute to decisions about publication policies and priorities.

## Criteria for Nominees:
High ethical standards with integrity;
Well-recognized in SMCS' fields of interests;
Extensive editorial experience;
Strong leadership experience and solid management skills;
Be a member of IEEE and SMCS; and
Preferably published articles in the IEEE Transactions on SMC: Systems.

## Requirements for Nominations:
The nominees need to provide the following documents:

1. IEEE style biography (up to 250 words);
2. Complete CV with publication list;
3. Supporting letter from the nominator; and
4. Vision for the IEEE Transactions on SMC: Systems (up to 200 words).

Self-nomination is permitted and encouraged.

Please submit nominations to: Peng Shi, Peng.shi@adelaide.edu.au, the deputy chair of the IEEE SMCS Publications Committee (former IEEE SMCS VP for publication).

***Nomination deadline: 25 July, 2025.***