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Dear Colleagues,

The period for nominating candidates for the position of the President of UTFA has now ended. There are two nominees: Renan Levine and Terezia Zorić. As a result, there will be an election.

The President of UTFA is directly elected by the members of the Association. We will be using an online voting system, as we have for past elections. You will be receiving an email early next week with detailed voting instructions. Please note that the voting period will begin on Wednesday, March 20, 2024 at noon. Note also that online ballots often roll out rather than appear in all members' inboxes at the same moment. Reminders will be sent at intervals of three to five days to those who have not yet voted.

The candidates' statements appear on the <u>Presidential Election web page</u>, for which there is a link from the <u>UTFA home page</u>.

Two UTFA Presidential Candidates Forums will be held next week at which presidential candidates Terezia Zorić and Renan Levine will have an opportunity to outline their platforms. The Forums will be moderated by Hamish Russell, the speaker of UTFA Council.

Candidates will make opening comments, respond to questions, and make closing comments. Questions should be sent in advance to CRO2024@utfa.org by noon on Tuesday, March 19. Time permitting, questions may be asked at each Forum. We encourage questions that are applicable to both candidates.

When:

Tuesday, March 19, 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. Wednesday, March 20, 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. Forums will begin on the hour.

Where:

Via Zoom webinar

RSVP:

Please click on the appropriate date to register for the Forum you wish to attend:

- Tuesday, March 19 https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_xCWBhmyLTkSe7OGqdMjocg
- Wednesday, March 20 https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN 2p-9jAsjR4KPGvR-eGdUEA

If you have questions about the election or registration, please write to CRO2024@utfa.org.

Sincerely,

Professor Susan Bondy Chief Returning Officer

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