

## SAICA NATIONAL PUBLIC SECTOR COMMITTEE (NPSC) VACANCIES

The SAICA National Public Sector Committee (NPSC) is the official National Standards Advisory Committee regarding public sector matters with a potential impact on SAICA's members, the profession and the public interest. This mandate is directly delegated by the SAICA Board. The NPSC also assists the SAICA Management Committee in the fulfilment of its functions in respect of the SAICA Board approved strategy.

The Responsibilities of the Committee are aligned with the strategy of SAICA as approved by the SAICA Board and will therefore be reviewed from time to time. The current responsibilities as reflected in the Terms of Reference are the following:

- Create value for the public sector constituency of SAICA's membership by identifying challenges they are facing and proposing guidance to solving these challenges.
- Advocate, influence and contribute to the setting, development and implementation of standards and guidance in the following areas, relating to the public sector:
  - Legislation and Governance;
  - Financial Reporting;
  - Public financial management, including internal control systems and risk management;
  - Predetermined objectives planning and reporting.
- Prepare and submit on behalf of SAICA members and associates, on a timely basis, meaningful, valuable and technically correct comments on standards, legislation, guidance, practices and other relevant documents impacting the public sector and covering the areas listed in 5.3.1 as issued by stakeholders, after consulting members and associates.
- Issue public sector related guidance that supports and references back to the applicable standards, legislation and regulations.
- Contribute thought leadership material within the public sector through articles, amongst other means

The NPSC is constituted as a representation of members and associates in the public sector or that have appropriate knowledge and experience of the public sector. Vacancies on the NPSC are available in the following constituencies:

- Two (2) members in national departments
- Two (2) members in Parliament or Legislatures
- Two (2) members in public entities or constitutional institutions
- Two (2) members in local government (municipalities and municipal entities)
- Two (2) members in firms
- Two (2) members in academia (universities and colleges)
- One (1) member in the financial administration of other public sector institutions not listed above (e.g. public schools, higher education institutions, etc)

Below are the **requirements** for committee membership/appointment:

- More than 5 years post qualification experience in public sector.
- In depth knowledge of legislation and standards affecting the public sector (PFMA, MFMA, GRAP, MCS, etc.).
- Availability and commitment to actively participate and contribute to meetings.
- Willingness to serve on Project/Working Groups dealing with specific public sector matters that are technical or otherwise.
- Willingness to receive as well as review documents and provide comments outside of the NPSC and Project/Working Group meetings.
- Active participation in, and provision of thought leadership material on matters affecting the public sector.



- Active participation in initiatives to promote and enhance the professionalisation and capacity building of the public sector.

Employment Equity targets set by the SAICA Board and its Nominations Committee will be factored into the appointment decisions.

Please submit your detailed CV and a short motivation letter indicating what you believe you can bring to the committee by using this link: [link](#) by **Friday, 13 June 2025**. Additional information may be requested from applicants where necessary.

All applicants will be advised regarding the outcome of their application. Successful applicants will be provided with letters of appointment detailing relevant information.

Any enquiries relating to applications can be emailed [noncebax@saica.co.za](mailto:noncebax@saica.co.za).

***These positions are voluntary. Committee activities can be very onerous and it is therefore recommended that applicants review their personal commitments prior to submitting their applications.***

