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Subject:NPRB Seeks Nominations for Science and Advisory Panels

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The deadline for receipt of nomination materials is February 28, 2014. Self-nominations are welcome. Please read the [full announcements](#) before submitting a nomination.

Science Panel

The North Pacific Research Board is seeking nominations to fill four seats on its Science Panel that will become vacant as of June 1, 2014. Please [visit our website](#) for more information about the Science Panel and how to submit a nomination.

Desired qualifications include expertise in: 1) marine fisheries and stock assessment methods, 2) modeling and stock assessment, 3) marine mammals/disease/contaminants, and 4) social sciences. Strong candidates will also demonstrate knowledge of pressing fisheries management issues, research needs, and priorities of state and/or federal managers.

Advisory Panel

The North Pacific Research Board is seeking nominations for members of its Advisory Panel to fill three seats that will be vacant as of June 1, 2014.

The Advisory Panel represents user groups and other interested parties from various regions within the Board's purview. Of the three seats that expire in 2014, one represents the Gulf of Alaska and two represent the Arctic.

Advisory Panel members advise the Board on accomplishing its overall mission of fielding a high caliber, comprehensive research program that will improve our understanding of the Gulf of Alaska, Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands, and Arctic Ocean ecosystems and their fisheries, and help to sustain and enhance the living marine resources. Please visit our website for [more information](#).



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