Digital elections

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Background

The digital elections methodology has been previously used for the elections in December/2023, May/2024 and December/2024 which has yielded an increased involvement of PhD Chapter members. Therefore, I suggest we continue using this method for the upcoming Summer elections.

Suggestions

To₁ Adopt the following election plan for a single time and regarding only the elections of May/June 2025:

- 1. The voting system to be used is <u>VoteIT</u>.
- 2. The Nominating Committee will perform the nominating process as they see fit, including opening for nominations and interviews.
- 3. The PhD Chapter will provide a list of active members and their email addresses as of May 1st.
- 4. The Nominating Committee will input the data with all nominees and members into the system and open the system for voting.
- 5. Voting should last at least four working days, decided on the discretion of the Nominating Committee and counting from the day when chapter members are informed about the election through email. The elections should close **at the latest 10 minutes** before the Chapter Meeting that will ratify its result.
- 6. The results should be first ratified by the Chapter Meeting and then announced by the Nominating Committee.
- 7. The following Chapter Meeting will not accept nominations for **signatory** board positions, **and will accept nominations for non-signatory board positions including functionaries.**

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