



Declaration of candidacy

I, the undersigned, Hassan Esfandiar , Deputy Director General, International Communications, Iranian Red Crescent Society

hereby submit my candidature for the election of members of the Standing Commission by the 33rd International Conference of the Red Cross and Red Crescent in 2019.

I hereby confirm that I am a member of the National Red Cross / Red Crescent Society of Iranian Red Crescent Society

I am fully aware of the functions assigned to the Standing Commission by Article 18 of the Statutes of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement ("Movement"). I confirm that I satisfy the criteria established in the "Profile for Candidates for Election to the Standing Commission" endorsed in 1995 by the Movement's Council of Delegates.

Furthermore I **declare that I have not been:**

- involved in the commission of any violation of international humanitarian law or of internationally recognized standards of human rights law;
- the subject of a conviction for a criminal offence or conduct which gave rise to a civil penalty which would otherwise risk the reputation or standing of the Movement;
- sanctioned by any component of the Movement for:
 - violations of any Movement component's Code of Conduct;
 - the display of character or morality incompatible with the seven Fundamental Principles;
 - fraudulent or corrupt conduct; or
 - failure to declare a conflict of interest;
- sanctioned for the violation of laws or policies relating to sexual exploitation, abuse, discrimination or harassment; or
- involved in any major dispute or controversy in or outside the Movement that would otherwise risk the reputation or standing of the Movement.

Please include in the space below **any relevant information you deem necessary in respect of the above declaration.**

Nothing to be declared



If elected, I am committed to serve in my personal capacity and in the sole interest of the Movement, and to work towards its humanitarian mission, ideals and goals, being guided at all times by the Fundamental Principles of the Movement.

Place and date: Tehran, Iran, December 1, 2019 __

Signature: Hassan Esfandiar



Candidate motivation

An experienced humanitarian manager dedicated his profession and life to the humanitarian activities since 2000. Fully interested, involved, committed and dedicated in implementation of humanitarian plans, projects and programs in national, regional and International levels in disaster prevention, preparedness, response and recovery phases. In addition, an expert in disaster law, International Humanitarian law, and international public law as well as the legal issues related to disasters, safety and security has the experience and knowledge related to the legal issues within the Movement.

As a person being presented and available in many disasters and operations both in national, regional and international level and have enough knowledge and experience in academia, the experienced and lessons learned could be an asset for the International Movement. I do believe there are many opportunities to learn more from the others colleagues, partners and friends within the Movement.

As of my tendency and interest to make available myself for the standing commission, I want to contribute to a united Movement, in order to increase the recognition and trust of global public opinion, about our mission and to encourage the Movement to be a critical humanitarian voice of the world including vulnerability issues, a voice, heard and respected by states and civil society, given its credibility and moral authority. In addition, I would like the Standing Commission to highlight the role and voice of National Societies as basic and fundamental pillars of the International Movement, in the humanitarian debate and advocate on behalf of the vulnerable affected people suffering from the disasters and conflicts.

I consider that we need to change the image of the Standing Commission, and clearly show the diversity in its composition, especially for the national Societies located in a critical regions like in MENA.



Curriculum Vitae



Insert or attach photograph

Personal Details	
FAMILY NAME & TITLE:	Esfandiar
FIRST NAME(S):	Hassan
GENDER :	Male
NATIONALITY(-IES) :	Iranian
DATE OF BIRTH:	22/3/1973
MEMBER OF : <i>(Name of National Society)</i> <i>(Please provide confirmation of your membership)</i>	Iranian Red Crescent
PRESENT FUNCTION(S) IN THE MOVEMENT AND/OR THE NATIONAL SOCIETY:	Deputy Director General , International Communications
PRESENT FUNCTION(S) OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT: <i>(when applicable)</i>	University Lecturer



My domestic and international experience with the Red Cross and Red Crescent

(including professional and volunteering activities in the National Society of origin and other components and bodies of the Movement, as well as special achievements at a national and international level)

Year	start with the most recent (expand the table as needed)	
2013- Present	Deputy Director General, International Protocol and Communications, International affairs and International Humanitarian Law Dep. Iranian Red Crescent (IRCS), Tehran	
September 2018- Present	Head of humanitarian Diplomacy Division	
2011- 2013	Head, reporting and communication office, International affairs and International Humanitarian Law Dep. (IRCS) Tehran	
2005- 2011	Head, volunteer's contribution office, volunteer organization, Iranian Red Crescent Society, Tehran	
2003 -2005 Dep.	Head, International Operation Office, Int'l Affairs	Iranian Red Crescent Society, Tehran
2001- 2003	Program Coordinator for International Aid, IRCS, Tehran,	
2000 - 2001	Desk Officer, International Affairs Dep. Iranian Red Crescent	Society, Tehran

Other experience and achievements

(any other relevant functions, roles or special achievements outside of the Movement)

Year	start with the most recent (expand the table as needed)	
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	<p>2010- Present university lecturer as of international public law and health in disasters and emergencies</p> <p>1995- 2000 Protocol officer, Protocol Department of Foreign Ministry of Islamic Republic of Iran, Tehran- Iran</p>



Working languages of the Standing Commission (Specify the level)			
ENGLISH	<input type="checkbox"/> mother tongue	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> fluent	<input type="checkbox"/> working knowledge
FRENCH	<input type="checkbox"/> mother tongue	<input type="checkbox"/> fluent	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> working knowledge
SPANISH	<input type="checkbox"/> mother tongue	<input type="checkbox"/> fluent	<input type="checkbox"/> working knowledge
ARABIC	<input type="checkbox"/> mother tongue	<input type="checkbox"/> fluent	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> working knowledge

Education (academic, professional or social diploma(s) and distinctions)		
Year	Start with the most recent (expand the table as needed)	
2017- Present	PHD candidate for international public law, Research and Science University, Tehran – Iran	
2010- 2012	Master degree in International public Law, Research and Science University, Kermanshah – Iran	
1992-1996	B.A in Consular Law and International Relations, College of International Relations affiliated to Ministry of Foreign affaires, Tehran, Iran	
1991- 1992	Post Diploma in economy, Shahid Beheshty University, Tehran, Iran	
1986- 1990	Diploma in Socioeconomic, Tehran, Iran	

I confirm the accuracy of all of the information that I have submitted, and statements that I have made, in this Nomination Form.

Place and date: ___Tehran, Iran, 1 December 2019

(signature)

Hassan Esfandiar