

Dear debating community,

The National Chief Adjudicator of the South African Schools Debating Board (SASDB) invites all candidates to apply for the DCA (Deputy Chief Adjudicator) posts at the South African National Schools Debating Championships (SANSDC) 2013. Any applicants would be required to serve on the CAP of SANSDC 2013, from the **6th of December till the 12th of December 2013**. Applications will be accepted from the **Monday the 23rd of September till Friday the 11th of October**. Two positions are guaranteed on the CAP as DCAs with the possibility of expanding the number of positions to three, depending on the number and quality of applications.

Requirements and responsibilities

The DCAs will be involved with adjudication training and policy, motion-setting, setting panels, tabbing, and dealing with adjudication complaints. All this will be done as part of the team headed by me, as CA. To be a DCA, you must commit to taking part in some email (or possibly Skype) discussions about motions and adjudication policy. The DCAs must also be able to access and use Google Drive regularly. It is important to note that as a member of the CAP you will also be a member of the motions setting committee. Furthermore, you must commit to attending the SANSDC 2013 from the **6th of December till the 12th of December 2013** in Johannesburg.

Application Process

All complete applications should be emailed to the CA at paidamoyo.mang@gmail.com. The application should include **ALL** of the following:

1. A full debating CV including your name and contact details, your debating experience, focusing on adjudication, organisational, tab experience. It would be advantageous if you have experience working with high school students. **TWO REPUTABLE DEBATING** references (include their names, email addresses and cellphone numbers) should also be included. I advise that your references be specifically debating related.
2. A brief letter of motivation for you application (no more than a page).
3. An adjudication philosophy.
4. Motion suggestions as follows:
 - a. A list of five original motions with suggested streams (i.e. juniors or seniors) and explanations of these motions, and covering a variety of topic areas.
 - b. A list of three motions, used at previous tournaments, with suggested streams (i.e. juniors or seniors) and explanations of these motions.

If any of the above is missing the application will be deemed incomplete. All applications must be submitted by **Friday the 11th of October 2013**. No late applications will be accepted. Successful applicants will be announced on **Monday the 14th of October 2013**.

Please email all questions and applications to Paida Mangondo at paidamoyo.mang@gmail.com and forward this to any interested parties. I look forward to receiving many colourful and impressive applications.

Kind regards,



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