

To: Members of the World Boxing
Executive Board Selection Committee

From: Donatas Macianskas
CEO & Secretary General
Lithuanian Boxing Federation

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Dear Members of the Selection Committee,

I am honored to present my candidacy for the Executive Board Member role in World Boxing. Boxing has been part of my life since childhood—as an athlete, a national champion, and now as CEO and Secretary General of the Lithuanian Boxing Federation. I believe strongly in the Olympic values and the future of Boxing as an Olympic sport. My goal is to strengthen World Boxing grow, fasten its Olympic status, and support all countries, especially those with fewer resources.

Protecting Boxing's Olympic Future

Boxing has a long Olympic legacy. I want to contribute to keeping this tradition alive and strong. In Lithuania, I work closely with the National Olympic Committee, the Ministry of Education, Science and Sport, and the National Sports Agency. I have helped increase support and funding for boxing and other combat sports. I will continue this work at the international level, contributing to World Boxing, gaining permanent recognition as an Olympic Sport.

Improving Refereeing and Judging Standards

Fair play is very important. As someone with international judging experience, I have created ethical rules and systems in Lithuania to make judging more transparent and trustworthy. I also started an Ethics Group to monitor behavior and ensure high standards. I believe World Boxing must continue improving refereeing quality and judging transparency to protect sport's credibility.

Supporting Emerging Nations

Boxing must be open to everyone. I want to serve smaller and less developed countries to grow their boxing programs. I have experience managing 40 member institutions and organizing international events. I understand how to build capacity and support grassroots development. My goal is to bridge the gap between strong and emerging nations and make boxing more inclusive worldwide.

Promoting Good Governance and Athlete-Centered Leadership

Strong leadership and clear rules are key to success. In Lithuania, I supervised reforms that increased our budget six times. I introduced digital systems for better management and transparency. I always focus on athletes and their development. At World Boxing, I will support good governance, accountability, and unity through diversity.

Driving Innovation and Global Growth

Boxing must grow with the times. I have led digital transformation in our federation, including live broadcasting and media engagement. These changes helped us reach more people and attract young audiences. I will bring this experience to World Boxing to support youth engagement, digital innovation, and global expansion.

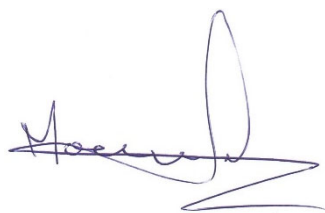
In conclusion, I offer World Boxing my experience, leadership, and passion for sport. I am ready to work hard to protect boxing's Olympic future, improve fairness, support all nations, and contribute to the sport's growth in new and modern ways.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Donatas Macianskas

CEO & Secretary General

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Macianskas', with a large, stylized loop at the end.