

: Candidacy

THE SOLUTION TO REGISTER, VALIDATE AND PRESENT CANDIDATES IN ONE INTEGRATED SYSTEM

The Candidacy System is a secure and user friendly solution used to support the entire process related to candidate nomination. The system integrates and provides documentation for the different steps of the process minimizing administration and allowing both candidates and voters an optimal election campaign from start to finish.

Assembly Voting's Candidacy System ensures compliance with all relevant statutory nomination requirements. This eases the administrative burden for the organisation responsible for running the election, reduces the risk of error and creates legitimacy around the nomination process.

The individual candidate module can be adjusted to cater for different nomination criteria and the system enables the organisation behind the candidate to brand itself using a unique graphical look and feel.

Experience from using the Candidacy System shows the system inspires more candidates to run and more voters to vote. By creating a trustworthy and consistent overview of the nominated candidates, voters simply find it easier to make their choice and this increases voter turnout.

Moreover the Candidacy System is easy to use for candidates, election organisers as well as third party auditing companies. This leads to a smooth and documented election process where energy can be used on relevant political themes rather than administrative procedures.

Features and function of the Candidacy System

- **Documented registration** of candidate and party
- **Documented validation** and confirmation of candidate and party
- **Documented registration** and validation of supporters including invite functionality
- **Presentation of candidates** with text and images with personal log-in
- **Social media integration** with Facebook, LinkedIn, YouTube etc.
- **Find your candidate function** with the possibility to pose and answer questions and match voters with candidates
- **Rules for publishing and editing** content relating to candidates prior to election

The process – from nomination to election

Phase 1 – configuration

- Basic nomination requirements
- Configuration of settings and data upload
- Graphical identity
- Test and documentation with third-party auditor

Phase 2 – Registration of candidates

- Creation of candidate profiles including log-in
- Automatic validation of candidates and supporters
- Confirmation procedures
- Profile editing

Phase 3 – Voter access

- Final statement of candidates
- Close editing of candidate profiles
- Open voter access
- System and performance documentation

Facts about the Candidacy System

First version of Assembly Voting Candidate Module released in 2006

Proven track record with more than 100 Danish and international Candidate recruitment processes with 10.000 registered and validated candidates

Candidate Module can be configured in numerous ways to comply with specific statutory requirements, e.g. validation parameters, supporters, regions, list and/or candidates, editing options, documentation, etc.

Used by Municipalities, labour unions, democratic organisations, housing associations, energy companies, etc.

Assembly Voting is SAAS (Software-As-A-Service) solutions that can be acquired to carry out a single candidate recruitment or several recruitments over a longer period of time.

Secure system (application, server and hosting) and data handling processes. Continuously monitored by impartial auditing companies.

Assembly voting is based on the idea that democratic participation in society and local community can be strengthened by combining solid democratic processes with new technologies for active user involvement. Assembly Voting was the first to offer a platform in Denmark making it possible to conduct digital elections. Today the company has helped facilitate more than 700 elections with a total of 12 million voters. Assembly Voting is an active part of DemTech, a global leading academic research initiative aimed at leveraging information technology to transform electoral processes

