



# EUROPEAN SAILING FEDERATION

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Nominations are invited for the elections being held on 26 April 2025 for the positions of president and six vice-presidents. All nominees are required to complete this form and return it along with a letter of support from their Member National Authority. Candidates are encouraged to attach a brief sailing CV in support of sections 3, 4, and 5 of this form.

EUROSAF Members are reminded that, to be elected, a candidate shall have the endorsement and financial support of his or her Member National Authority.

Completed nomination forms, including MNA letters of support, must be sent by email to the secretary general at [secretarygeneral@eurosaf.org](mailto:secretarygeneral@eurosaf.org) before 23.59h CET 26 March 2025. Nominations received after this deadline will not be accepted. The secretary general shall acknowledge in writing the received nominations. Accepted nominations will be published soon after.

### Personal information of the candidate

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| Name (given name, family name)  | Michael Mifsud                           |
| Nomination for post of          | Vice President                           |
| National federation/association | Malta Sailing Federation                 |
| Home address                    | 131, Ta Zannar, Triq San Gwann, Gharghur |
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Please provide a passport size photograph.



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### MNA support of nomination

|                             |          |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| Mandatory letter of support | Attached |
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### Sailing qualifications (i.e. judge, umpire, race officer, yacht master, etc.)

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|---------------|---------------------------|
| National      | National Nautical Licence |
| International | Yachtmaster Offshore      |

### Relevant experience (position held within club[s], MNA, World Sailing)

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|------------------------|--|
| At national level      | President of the MNA, Secretary of ILCA Class, CEO of National entity for Yachting |
| At international level | Commission for International Regulations<br>WS                                     |
| Other committees       | Past Malta Cruising Club Secretary   |

### Brief summary of sailing background

Michael Mifsud- President of the Malta Sailing Federation

From his first trial sail in 1988 at the Vikings Sailing Club, Michael Mifsud was firmly converted to the sport of Sailing. Having participated in many dinghy regattas, eventually passing on to keelboats and offshore racing.

Buying his first keelboat in 2002 Michael became very passionate about the cruising and the leisure side of sailing. For many years Michael was the Hon Secretary of the Malta Cruising Club.

In 2013 Michael was elected a director of Creek Developments PLC, operators of Malta's largest yacht marina. In 2017 he was appointed board secretary to Malta Marittima and was the last board secretary for this agency. Being very passionate about the sport of sailing, especially since he was the parent of two very committed competitive sailors, Michael was elected as President of the Malta Sailing Federation in 2018 and in 2019 was appointed CEO of Yachting Malta Ltd, two positions he still holds to date.

In his role as President of the Member National Authority, Michael holds regular meetings with all local sailing clubs and associations and with his counterparts in Group D of World Sailing and Eurosaf. In 2023 Michael was appointed on the International Regulations Commission of World Sailing and represents World Sailing at IMO meetings related to the Maritime Safety Committee and Sub Committee on Navigation, Communication and Search& Rescue.

In his current role of Chief Executive Officer of Yachting Malta Ltd, Michael has promoted the sporting and financial benefits of sport sailing to Malta as a niche sports tourism destination particularly in shoulder months.



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### Brief summary of professional background and business skills

A Management professional with experience in Project, Construction and Finishes management for over 30 years. Successful at delivering projects within time and budget. Recently transitioned to Yachting, a lifetime passion turned into a career. Innovator with valid team leadership and client relationship building across the commercial sector. Thinker who leads by example to create a high performing team of professionals with an unwavering focus on deliverables. A keen interest in developing skills, knowledge and personal self-development which has led and continues to lead to a number of opportunities.

I will comply with the Constitution, Regulations, Code of Ethics, and the policies of EUROSAF, and I agree to be bound by the Code of Ethics in its current version (<https://eurosaf.org/eurosaf/governance>) even after the end of my time as a EUROSAF party.

I allow EUROSAF to store my personal data by electronic means.

Signed:Date:

(dd-mm-yyyy)

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Name:

MICHAEL MIFRUS

(A digital signature is acceptable)