



*Association of Canadian Ultramarathoners*  
*Association Canadienne des Ultra-marathoniens*

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Dear IAU General Secretary,

On behalf of the Association of Canadian Ultramarathoners (ACU) and its membership, please accept this letter of nomination in support of Nadeem Khan and his candidacy for re-election as President of the International Association of Ultrarunners (IAU).

Mr. Khan is currently serving as IAU President, having served previously as Vice-President, Director of Communications, and Chair of the Medical Committee. During his tenure as President, he has been active and effective in guiding the IAU, especially as we all navigate these unprecedented pandemic times. His experience as current IAU President will ensure a continuity of operations as the IAU forges ahead.

Mr. Khan has proven himself adept at building important relationships with member federations, committees, and athletes, always working collegially and tirelessly to promote the IAU and its mission. His affability and approachability will continue to serve the IAU well.

Mr. Khan is knowledgeable and deeply committed to the growth of global ultrarunning. For these reasons, we enthusiastically endorse and support his nomination for another term as IAU President.

Yours in sport

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