

Nairobi, Kenya

October 3, 2024

Dear WFSJ Nomination Committee,

I write to recommend Agatha Ngotho for a board member position with the World Federation of Science Journalists (WFSJ). As the CEO of The Media for Environment, Science, Health and Agriculture (MESHHA), I have had the privilege of witnessing firsthand Agatha's dedication to science journalism and commitment to advancing the field.

Agatha has made significant contributions to the science journalism community, particularly through her work with MESHHA as a long standing board member and a dedicated newsroom science journalist par excellence. For instance, in supporting in fund raising and looking for partnerships for nearly a decade now. Currently she sits in the fundraising committee of the IFAJ Word Congress of Agricultural Journalists that MESHHA will be hosting in October 2025 in Nairobi, Kenya.

Agatha possesses a deep understanding of the critical role that science reporting plays in addressing global challenges, from health crises to environmental issues. Her innovative approaches to storytelling and commitment to ethical journalism align perfectly with the mission of WFSJ.

She is a natural leader who inspires others through her passion and vision for science journalism. She actively mentors emerging journalists, ensuring that the next generation is well-equipped to tackle complex issues our society faces.

I am confident that Agatha Ngotho would bring invaluable perspectives and expertise to the WFSJ board.

Thank you for considering Agatha for this important role. I support her nomination and look forward to seeing the positive impact she will undoubtedly make on the WFSJ.

Sincerely,



Aghan Daniel, Chief Executive Officer

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