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11<sup>th</sup> June 2025

Geopark Global Network Election Committee  
Global Geopark Network Secretariat  
8th November 17str. Mytilene  
P.C 81100 Lesvos Island  
GREECE

Dear Committee Members,

**Letter of Support for the Nomination of Dr. Azmil Munif bin Mohd Bukhari for  
GGN Executive Board Election 2025**

The Khorat UNESCO Global Geopark enthusiastically endorses Dr. Azmil Munif bin Mohd Bukhari for a position on the GGN Executive Board. We believe Dr. Azmil's proven dedication, collaborative spirit, and extensive experience will make him an invaluable asset to the Board.

Dr. Azmil has consistently demonstrated a profound commitment to the core values and mission of UNESCO Global Geoparks. His exemplary leadership at the Langkawi UNESCO Global Geopark stands as a testament to his ability to translate these values into tangible success. Beyond his direct management, Dr. Azmil has been a tireless advocate for regional capacity-building and knowledge-sharing. His collaborative spirit was particularly evident during his visit to the Khorat UNESCO Global Geopark in Thailand, where he generously shared invaluable insights and experiences gained from Langkawi UGGp management.

We are confident that Dr. Azmil's wealth of experience, unwavering integrity, and forward-thinking vision will greatly benefit the GGN Executive Board.

Thank you for your kind consideration.

Sincerely,

(Asst.Prof.Dr.Pratueng Jintasakul)  
Director of Khorat UNESCO Global Geopark, Thailand.



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Dear GGN Election Committee,

**NOMINATION OF DR AZMIL MUNIF MOHD BUKHARI FOR GGN EXECUTIVE BOARD ELECTION 2025**

We refer to above matter.

2. On behalf of Langkawi UNESCO Global Geopark, a recognized institutional member of the Global Geoparks Network (GGN), it is with great enthusiasm that we nominate Dr. Azmil Munif bin Mohd Bukhari as a candidate for the GGN Executive Board in the upcoming 2025 election.

3. Dr. Azmil currently serves as the Manager of the Tourism Division at Langkawi Development Authority (LADA) and Manager of Langkawi UNESCO Global Geopark and has been deeply involved in the management and promotion of Langkawi UNESCO Global Geopark. With a solid academic and professional background in tourism and hospitality, Dr. Azmil is a passionate advocate for the geopark concept and has consistently demonstrated leadership in regional and international cooperation under the GGN framework. His contributions include:

- Leading initiatives for geotourism and community empowerment in Langkawi;
- Representing Langkawi in various international conferences, workshops, and forums on geoparks;
- Facilitating capacity-building programs for ASEAN and Asia Pacific geopark professionals.

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4. We strongly believe that Dr. Azmil's experience, professionalism, and commitment to the principles of UNESCO Global Geoparks make him an excellent candidate who will bring valuable insights and leadership to the GGN Executive Board. Please find attached Dr. Azmil Munif's CV and supporting documents as required.

We thank you for your kind consideration of this nomination. Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,



**(NORDIANA BINTI NORDIN)**

Deputy Manager Tourism Division  
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Dear Members of the GGN Election Committee,

**NOMINATION OF DR AZMIL MUNIF MOHD BUKHARI FOR GGN EXECUTIVE BOARD ELECTION  
2025**

We refer to the above matter.

2. On behalf of the Malaysian Geoparks Network (MGN), it is our great pleasure to nominate Dr. Azmil Munif bin Mohd Bukhari as a candidate for the Global Geoparks Network (GGN) Executive Board for the 2025 election.

3. Dr. Azmil is a committed and experienced professional who has actively contributed to the development of geoparks in Malaysia and the wider Asia-Pacific region. His leadership in Langkawi UNESCO Global Geopark, particularly in regional capacity-building efforts and cross-border networking initiatives, has left a meaningful impact on the geopark community.

4. As the representative of Malaysia's first UNESCO Global Geopark, Dr. Azmil has led numerous strategic regional programs that have strengthened cooperation and capacity building across Asia and beyond. His vision, diplomacy, and unwavering dedication to UNESCO's values make him highly suited for a position on the GGN Executive Board. We are confident that he will represent the region with distinction and contribute valuable insight and leadership to the governance of the Global Geoparks Network.

5. The Malaysian Geoparks Network firmly believes that Dr. Azmil's representation on the GGN Executive Board will not only benefit the network but also reinforce regional engagement.

We extend our full support for his candidacy and thank you for your kind consideration.

Yours sincerely,

(DR. NASRULHAKIM BIN MAIDIN)  
Head of International Relations Division  
Manager of Kinabalu UNESCO Global Geopark



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Global Geopark Network Secretariat  
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Dear Members of the GGN Election Committee,

**NOMINATION OF DR AZMIL MUNIF MOHD BUKHARI FOR GGN EXECUTIVE BOARD  
ELECTION 2025**

Dear Members of the GGN Election Committee,

On behalf of the Toba Caldera UNESCO Global Geopark, Indonesia, it is with great honour and full confidence that we **nominate Dr. Azmil Munif bin Mohd Bukhari** as a candidate for the **GGN Executive Board** in the 2025 election.

Dr. Azmil has played a significant leadership role within the Asia-Pacific geopark community through his work at **Langkawi UNESCO Global Geopark**, Malaysia. He has contributed extensively to building bridges among regional geoparks through knowledge-sharing, technical cooperation, and hosting capacity-building programs such as the annual Regional Course on UNESCO Global Geoparks.

His continued collaboration with Indonesian geoparks—especially in areas of sustainable tourism, community engagement, and branding—has made a lasting impact on our development efforts. We believe his presence in the GGN Executive Board will further strengthen cross-border cooperation and the implementation of best practices in geopark development globally.

We fully support Dr. Azmil's candidacy and trust that his experience, commitment, and leadership will bring great value to the Global Geoparks Network.

Thank you for your kind attention and consideration.

Sincerely,



Dr. Azizul Kholis  
General Manager, Toba Caldera UNESCO Global Geopark



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25<sup>th</sup> May 2025

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Dear Members of the GGN Election Committee,

**NOMINATION OF DR AZMIL MUNIF MOHD BUKHARI FOR GGN EXECUTIVE BOARD ELECTION 2025**

Dear Members of the GGN Election Committee,

On behalf of Aso UNESCO Global Geopark, we are pleased to express our strong support for the nomination of Dr. Azmil Munif bin Mohd Bukhari of Langkawi UNESCO Global Geopark as a candidate for the GGN Executive Board in the 2025 election.

We have had the opportunity to collaborate with Dr. Azmil through various international geopark activities and regional platforms, and we have always been impressed by his professionalism, leadership, and dedication to the UNESCO Global Geopark mission.

His contributions to capacity building, community empowerment, and regional cooperation—particularly in the Asia-Pacific region—are highly commendable.

Dr. Azmil brings not only valuable experience from managing Langkawi as one of the earliest designated UNESCO Global Geoparks in Southeast Asia, but also a collaborative spirit that fosters strong connections across geopark networks. We believe his presence on the Executive Board will contribute positively to the continued growth and strengthening of the Global Geoparks Network.

Thank you for your kind attention and consideration.

Sincerely,

*Koki Nagata*, Director of Aso UGGP  
Aso UNESCO Global Geopark



## BOHOL ISLAND UNESCO GLOBAL GEOPARK OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Geopark Global Network Election Committee  
Global Geopark Network Secretariat  
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**GREECE**

Dear Members of the Election Committee,

### **ENDORSEMENT OF DR. AZMIL MUNIF BIN MOHD BUKHARI FOR GGN EXECUTIVE BOARD ELECTION 2025**

Dear Sir/Madam,

On behalf of Bohol Island UNESCO Global Geopark, we are pleased to express our strong support for the nomination of Dr. Azmil Munif bin Mohd Bukhari as a candidate for the GGN Executive Board.

Dr. Azmil has consistently demonstrated dedication to the values and mission of the UNESCO Global Geoparks. Through his leadership in Langkawi UNESCO Global Geopark (Institutional Member No. 48), he has built strong ties with geoparks in the Asia-Pacific region, including Bohol, and actively contributed to regional capacity-building and knowledge-sharing initiatives. He has also been one of the mentors of Bohol Island Geopark in our journey towards being a UNESCO designated geopark.

We are confident that his experience, integrity, and collaborative spirit will make him a valuable member of the GGN Executive Board.

Thank you for your kind consideration.

Warm regards,

**ERICO ARISTOTLE C. AUMENTADO**  
**Governor**

Bohol Island UNESCO Global Geopark  
Chairperson, BIUGGp Management Council  
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