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Museums around the world are faced with many different challenges, and these challenges are becoming increasingly complex with time. The spread of Covid-19 has created an even harder situation for museums around the globe. This is the context in which ICOM is currently operating, and the big question is how ICOM will respond to this crisis and continue to stay relevant to its members. I personally would like to be part of the governance structure that will discuss and offer solutions to museums and museum professionals emerging from this crisis. The needs of society and museums are constantly changing. We are now in an era where one of the biggest issues is the decolonisation of our museums. As ICOM, we need to participate much more in this dialogue and offer a platform for various stakeholders to engage in this current issue. I want to help ICOM participate in this issue in order to continue being relevant to our society. It has always been my desire to see more collaboration among museums and museum professionals from the global North and South. I would like to continue advocating for this cooperation between our museums, and I wish to continue promoting ICOM's values and ethics to our members.

POSITIONS

 Curator of Ichthyology, Livingstone Museum, Zambia

FUNCTIONS WITHIN ICOM

- ♦ Vice-President, ICOM (2020-2022)
- ♦ Ordinary Member, ICOM Executive Board (2016-2020)
- ◆ Member, Strategic Plan Committee (2014-2021)
- ◆ Board Member, CIDOC (2013-2016)
- ♦ Chair, ICOM Zambia (2010-2016)
- ♦ Member, ÉTHCOM (2011-2016)

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

- ♦ Bachelor of Science in Ecology
- ◆ Master's in Business Administration
- ◆ Diploma in Information Technology