



Motion to approve advisory board member

Background

The advisory board gathers a combination of individuals which with their previous engagement in UF Uppsala has a deep knowledge about its organizational structure and history, and those with less experience from UF Uppsala but with a career path which can be beneficial for the board in terms of assistance. Their task is to every semester have a meeting with the President and Vice President to discuss the coming priorities and challenges and to continuously throughout the year be available to provide guidance. A more detailed description of the advisory board's structure, priorities and tasks can be found in the policy itself.

I have asked Daniel Kjellén if he would be interested in become a member of the advisory board, and he has accepted the nomination. Here follows a motivation:

Daniel Kjellén has a long history within the UF sphere. Between the years 2011 to 2014 he held three positions for one year each within UF Uppsala. First, he was the member secretary, then he became president and finally he was part of the electoral committee. He was then employed by the Swedish Association of International Affairs (UFS) as the administrator between 2017 to 2019. Furthermore, Daniel has extensive experiences from other civil society organisations such as the Swedish Red Cross. He is currently working at Folk och Försvar.

Daniel's vast experiences from the UF sphere and the civil society as a whole has given him good organisational skills as well as a good understanding about how civil society organisations function. As the UFS administrator, he was responsible for a number of tasks, none the least to look and apply for grants such as the MUCF and Forum Syd grants. As UF Uppsala has ambitions to diversify our sources of income, this knowledge about grants and the process when applying for them will be of great value. Taken together, Daniel's background in the civil society will be a good addition to the advisory board.

Purpose

The purpose of this motion is to propose Daniel Kjellén to the board for approval. I believe that he will be a good addition to the advisory board as his background in the civil society will allow him to provide organisational guidance. As the board of 2019/2020 has started to investigate how to formalise the organisational structure of UF Uppsala, and the coming board will likely continue this work, Daniel will be able to provide valuable perspectives.

Proposal

Can the board decide to approve Daniel Kjellén to the advisory board?

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