

LUNA Presidium Candidature

Honoured members of the RK,

My name is Eric Moberg and I would like to candidate for one of the positions on the LUNA presidium for the operational year of 2018/2019.

Up until now I haven't taken on a major role in LUNA, instead choosing to focus on my studies of molecular biology. However, as my time as a master student is drawing to its end I've begun to feel that it is time for me to give something back. Something back to the union which has supported me throughout my time at the university.

The reason why my candidature is so late is that I will through part of the summer carry out a research project at medicon village, I was worried that this would carry over into September. But it's now been confirmed that although the ending date is a bit uncertain, it will be done well before then. During this time however I will be able to plan my experiments and take a lot of half days, so rest assured my training period will not be at risk.

I have never led a committee within the union, but I have been both a part of the parliament for several terms and a member of the corporate relations committee. Even though my post as a representative of BÖÖL at the parliament level for a time was only as an alternate I still attended a vast majority of meetings in order to keep up to date with what the union was dealing with.

During my time in the CRC especially I think I showed that I am willing to make the hard but sometimes necessary things that a position on the presidium might demand of me.

My previous lack of leadership within the union specifically doesn't mean I haven't held positions with responsibility. For many years I've been active as a leader responsible for a department of the Bunkeflostrand scout-troop. I was also partly responsible of starting up a scout troop in Holma in Malmö a work for which Eli Blondin was awarded the prestigious royal Kompassrosen scholarship.

The fact that a position on the presidium is a public one is actually a good thing since public speaking is something I consider one of my greatest strengths. Something that comes from my background both as a part-time salesman and lower education with a strong focus on public speaking and rhetoric.

Finally, the fact that I am currently writing my master's thesis means that I've been through all stages of a full-fledged education within LUNA. This allows me to look back and sympathise with students in all stages of their education. It has also opened my eyes to a host of problems which could be improved upon in both bachelors and masters courses.

All of these factors and experiences has allowed me to learn how to both pick up new skills and systems quickly as well as the determination to sometimes drive processes forward.

Should I be elected I promise that I will put the same tenacity and long hours into working for the union as I have up until now put into finishing both of my degrees without any breaks or extensions of my time.

Thank you for your time,