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Who am I?

I am a student that have been active within the nation for four year. My main interest is society, but I do like to philosophize about most things between heaven and earth. During my time off I like to be with my friends coming up with shenanigans. I also like music, movies series, computer games but probably most of all... sitting in meetings.

What have I done for the nation?

During my time at the nation I have been Sports-foreman, Novish-forman, Election committee and nowadays Vieri-forman. I have also worked all activities at least once as I like to try out different sorts of work.

Why do I apply for Senior?

I apply for Senior because I know I can contribute to the nation with my economical knowledge and experience from a long time in the nation life. For me personally Senior along with my job at Handelsbanken would be perfect complements to school for me to be able to sit with strategic interactions. I have always had an eye for strategy and decisions and feel now that after four years I have gathered ideas regarding what way the nation should go in the long run. Within the nation I look forward to trying to evaluate which artists to book, how to reward foremen and how we should structure the organization with positions to get the maximum output from our amazingly competent foremen.

What would I like to do as a Senior?

I would like to join the subgroups of economy, contact senior, election committee and songbook. Within economy I can act as support for the PQE and help with everything from budget to revision of the books. As a contact senior I can be an ear towards the foremen group that I have been involved in for a long time both socially and as a foreman. When It comes to the senior's election committee I draw from my experience and thoughts from the time I as part of the nation election committee. Finally, out of the existing groups within senior I would like to join the songbook-group where I would like to help creating a new and relevant song-book, mainly because I enjoy student creativity in that form. Apart from these groups there is of course the regular senior work with by-elections, resource applications, arranging the big thank-you sitting, hosting activities with no foremen, ventilation-pizza, etc.

My main interest though that I would like to bring to seniors is trying to enhance the collaboration between nations and collect data to better understand economical and participation statistics within SSK. This is of course no easy task and it demands a lot of collaboration, but I do believe it is a very important issue for Sydskånska nationen in the long-term. There have been a statistics group within seniors and I would either re-ignite that one or try to make student Lund statistics a bigger part in economy seniors.

In general, in all the issues I discuss I promote cooperation between nations and to not be afraid of renew oneself and one's activities. It is very important that volunteers get to do the ideas they want to a large extent and that the nation does not get looked down in mindsets of "it have always been that way", "always" in my experience is often just a couple of years when digging a bit deeper. When It comes to cooperation between nations I do believe it is easy for us to forget the choices we all faced in the beginning. First people choose if they want to be part of student Lund, then they choose the nation. Therefore, it is important that nations cooperate to some extent to get people to go to our locals, we need to have big events with Tornanationerna for example to compete with the faculties but also with staying home in the sofa (or studying), to get the first attention of our future foremen. When we are working with those incentives it is easier to also work with incentives for coming to SSK, starting to work, becoming a foreman and applying for Kuratel. When the way in is an open and easy choice people will come and then it is up to the quality of our activities to make people stay. Here the best activates comes when humans gets to produce their version of what a good club, pub, lunch, activity or a party is which is along the way of what I was talking about earlier in the paragraph. It is vital that we do not think the nation is rigid, It should always be in change.

Why choose me?

I have four years of experience at SSK, I work with economy and have an economical mindset about how people value the nation, engagement and foremanship. This mindset is according to me very important to be able to attract new members to our premises, attract new foremen, new kuratel and be able to keep the competence we already have. Apart from that I have been a very active part I the foreman groups social life which I think is necessary to make decisions regarding that same group. With me, the nation gets a perspective on the development of this nation from a long-time foreman. A balance between the potential of being able to make this our own organization where we do what we want while here tighter with the economical responsibility that follows, so the coming generations can do the same.