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Call for candidates UWE Board

The UWE Board is pleased to invite applications from candidates interested in the position of Vice President of the UWE.

Starting September 2014 the board has two vacancies for Vice President, as the current Vice Presidents dr. Marie José Jonczy and dr. Vera John

Mikolajewski, both have served two consecutive terms of three years.

The ideal UWE-Vice President should have collected some experience in working within her national federation/association (NFA) or a similar organization. She is familiar with the European Situation on Gender equality and is interested in lobby for equal opportunities in all aspects of society for women and men. She enjoys travelling¹ and is keen to work in an European team. Preferably, she does not have an official function within her own NFA to avoid conflict of interest.

Applications, consisting of a CV, photograph and a motivational letter stating the candidate will accept the Vice Presidency should the AGM elect the candidate. The candidate is also required to present herself during 5 minutes at the UWE Conference in Bucharest, 5-7 September 2014. Applications should be made to universitywomeneurope@gmail.com, to arrive thirty days before the AGM, i.e. by 1 August 2014 at the latest.

Requirements

- Fluent in English (both written and orally) and preferably French as both the European Women's Lobby and the Council in Europe is partly French spoken.
- Digitally able: e.g. Skype; Wordpress, Facebook, etc.
- Collective governance adept
- Knowledge of the EU and Council of Europe

Tasks:

The duties of the UWE vice-president will be divided in the board and can be:

- Participating in the INGO Conferences of the Council of Europe and report on them to the UWE-members
- Participating in the European Women's Lobby Meetings and report on them to the UWEmembers
- Participating in other gender lobby activities
- Supporting the president by visiting other NFA's time to time for special celebrations etc.
- Contributing to the UWE strategic and work plan.
- Writing two monthly reports
- Posting news and articles on the website

¹ The UWE gives a small remuneration which covers the travel costs in part. In practice a Vice President of UWE spends approximately 1500 Euro per year additionally.