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EWB Fall 2017 Officer Election Nominees

Shawn Makulec

Running for: President

I'm a Junior in IE, and I've been a member of EWB since my first semester at Purdue. During that time, I served for a semester as a design lead for the EPICS team, and then two semesters as Vice-President of Chapter Affairs. I also have travel experience as I was on the implementation trip to Nakenyi this past summer. In my current role as VPCA, I oversee the committee heads—which has been a great chance to grow as a leader and get to know the inner workings of our club. I'm truly passionate about EWB, and I'm excited about the prospect of leading our chapter next semester!



Riley Boris

Running for: Vice President

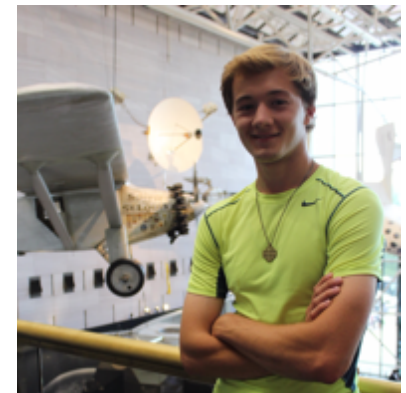
For those of you who do not know me, my name is Riley Boris and I am a sophomore in my third semester with EWB. Currently, I am serving as the head of fundraising and am looking to take a further step in leadership with the club as vice president. I believe that I am the most well-suited for this role as I have experience both as a general member of the club and as a committee head, so I would be able to assist with any issues experienced by either group of people. I know what it takes to do the job well and I believe that I can be the one to execute the visions of our club. I am always happy to answer any questions at my email (boris0@purdue.edu) and hope that you will elect me as your next vice president!



Paul Fuchs

Running for: Vice President, New Program Design Lead

My name is Paul Fuchs, and I am a sophomore in Aerospace Engineering. I have been a part of Engineers Without Borders ever since I started here at Purdue. I started off as a member of the Media Committee during my first semester before joining the Future Directions team in my second semester. This semester, I have been a part of the Project Selection team, and have done a great deal to ensure that we picked the perfect program for our chapter to take on in Bolivia. After almost three semesters as a part of Engineers Without Borders, I have gained the knowledge and experience needed to take on a bigger role in the chapter. I know I can do lots of good in a leadership position and take the next steps needed to get us to Bolivia next semester.



Magaly Mendoza

Running for: President, Vice President, Project Manager, Treasurer, Events/Fundraising Head, Mead Head, Grants Head, New Member Design Lead, New Program Design Lead

This would be my second semester involved with Purdue's EWB chapter. I joined the EPICS Project Selection team because the further I explore my major the more I realize I want to pursue development work. I am motivated for all the right reasons, I am passionate about people, language, the



environment, and travel. The work done here will be the foundation for my career in Environmental and Ecological Engineering.

Margaret Alice Levell

Running for: Treasurer, Grants Head

Treasurer:

I've been involved with EWB since Fall 2016, doubling in both grants and fundraising. As Grants head, I've worked with Abde and Brandon, the current Treasurer and Financial Officer, for the past 2 semesters, and I believe I have a solid understanding of the treasurer position and the club's financial system. I think I'll be a good treasurer because I already understand the club's finances and I have the experience necessary for the position.

Grants:

I've been the head of grants since February, giving me enough experience to fully understand and perform this position. I already know what grants we can apply for this upcoming semester. I also have experience with writing in high school, so I'll be able to write the upcoming applications well. I believe I've been a good grants head and if so elected for next semester, I will continue to improve.



Sean Berry

Running for: Media Head/Webmaster

My name is Sean Berry and I'm a sophomore studying Mechanical Engineering Technology. I joined Engineers Without Borders because I believe in the philosophy and vision of the club, and I'm very motivated to play a larger role through the webmaster position. I believe that my technology, project management and communication skills make me a great candidate, and I would be very excited if selected to fulfill the responsibilities of the role.



Hannah Fowler

Running for: Events/Fundraising Head

I have been with EWB Purdue for 2 years now. As the events committee head, I worked on putting together our first 5k walk/run, I set up our time slot and volunteered at our table for the mini Be Involved fair, and I ensured pizza and a location for our callouts. I have the experience and know-how to continue working in this position. I learned a lot throughout my first term as the events committee head, and I know that I can do even better in a second term.



Emily Ashburn

Running for: New Member Design Lead

I want to be a design lead because I think it's a really great opportunity to get to work with others on a project that we're all interested in. After having enjoyed my new member design project so much, I want to be able to offer that same type of experience to other new members. Even though being on the leadership side of the new member design project means I don't get to participate in the design, I am just as excited to reach out into the community to find a place where help is needed.

**Hana Riddle**

Running for: New Program Design Lead

I believe I would be a great fit for the new position because I have been involved in many steps of the program selection process, ranging from the preliminary research phase to the program decision and application process. I have also learned a great deal about how the new "EWB 2.0" is structured and how our program fits with those new terms. I also believe I would be a great candidate because I am familiar with the current officers and advisers and I believe I would be able to communicate the work of the design team to the executive board and advising team effectively. I would also bring a level of enthusiasm to the team, especially since the beginning phases of the new project will be very exciting as there is a lot to learn!

**Eli Kline**

Running for: New Program Design Lead

I have been on the EPICS team for two semesters. I was on the Future Directions team my first semester and helped create a detailed step-by-step process to follow throughout the assessment phase, which is the phase we will be moving into next semester post adoption. This semester I have been involved in the project selection team. I think my two experiences make me a good candidate for the position because I know about the assessment phase and I know a lot about the community we have chosen.

