

Not allow a council chairperson to be a board signatory



Submitted for consideration to the PhD Chapter Meeting

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Background

The spirit of this motion regards the conflict of interests that can arise from being both a Board signatory (or potential signatory) and a Council chairperson, generating an imbalance of power between different councils. This motion also rephrases the original eligibility criteria to have it more inline with THS requirements.

Suggestions

To: At the bylaws, modify Section 2.9.2. (Eligibility):

It is mandatory to be a PhD student in order to be elected members of the PhD Council Board.

To:

A doctoral student is eligible to be an elected member of the PhD Council Board when both conditions below are satisfied:

1. The doctoral student has a non-zero registered student activity.
2. For the position of the Council Chairperson, the doctoral student cannot simultaneously be the PhD Chapter Board Chairperson, Vice Chairperson or Treasurer.

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