

EWB-OSU Elections 2008-2009

Nomination Form

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Class Standing:

Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior Graduate

Expected date of graduation _____ June 2010 _____

Major _____ Water Resources Science _____

Position of interest:

President Vice President Secretary Treasurer

Are you an EWB member? Yes No

(You must be an EWB member to run. Contact the membership coordinator to become a member or verify your status.)

Position Statement:

I've participated in EWB through diverse roles and responsibilities in the past. I would like to continue my current involvement and help the chapter continue with its successes!

Why do you want to be elected to this position?

_ Truthfully, I do not expect that I would have the time to take on the full responsibility of the President position, which is unfortunate. I have already completed a term as EWB-OSU's Vice President and thoroughly enjoyed this supportive role of coordination and responsibility. I have lots of personal interest in the success of our chapter due to the involvement I have invested in the past. I would like to see the chapter branch out and grow past some of the barriers that it has experienced in the arenas of funding acquisition and consistent member involvement. OSU has a great pool of students and mentors to draw from, and I would like to help inspire new students and advisors to make the chapter a priority.

What skills or strengths do you bring to EWB in this role?

_ The greatest strength I bring is my experience. I learned quite a bit about management from my MECOP management internships, but even more relevant is my experience within our chapter of EWB. I have taken on responsibilities within projects, chapter management, fundraising, and member coordination over the past three years, so I have a pretty good understanding of the different aspects of the chapter's function. _____

What has your involvement in EWB-OSU been to date?

_ Traveled for the El Salvador Project on three occasions, led preparation efforts for the travel team on two occasions. Served 1 year as EWB-OSU Vice President. Helped start up the chapter's Habitat for Humanity events. Coordinated several small fundraisers and volunteered at booths on countless occasions. Currently determining feasibility of utilizing Rotary resources for the El Salvador Project, and chairing a committee to determine the next project for our chapter. Etc. _

What are your goals for EWB-OSU for the next year?

_ Get another small project going that we can reasonably complete within 1.5 years of the first assessment trip. Essentially complete the El Salvador Project. Train student members such that when the current chapter hegemony disperses, experience and momentum is not lost in a devastating manner. Begin a working partnership with several Rotary chapters within Oregon. _

What is your time commitment ability? How much of your time can you dedicate to furthering the mission of EWB?

__ I will be starting Grad School, but will begin with no TA requirements. I expect to have a reasonable amount of time to invest in the chapter and my other hobbies. However, I seem to keep expecting more free time than I end up with. Thus I am not running for President. I realize that I need a bit of a break from non-stop business, but I expect that I will be able to maintain a healthy and consistent level of EWB involvement. __

Why are you involved with EWB?

__ Great people, great mission, wonderful opportunities. Closely in-line with some of my life goals and aspirations. It just makes sense. __

Please deliver completed nomination to **Douglas Van Bossuyt** in **Rogers 222** or email to **president@ewb-osu.org** by **8:00 pm** on **Wednesday, April, 23rd, 2008**.