

Board nominees

Rachel Horne – ACT
(Duchess Liadan ingen Fheradaig)
Member 83166

Rachel is a longstanding SCA Peer (Knight and Rose) and active member of Politarchopolis.

Rachel is mundanely a lawyer, with experience in commercial and government law. She values service, challenging herself, and making a positive impact.

Rachel is putting her name forward for the Board of the SCA Australia as it is a good opportunity to serve the broader group from the comfort of her home office in Canberra, and Jeremy's facebook advertising was quite persuasive. She values punctuality, and is confident she can do a good job.

Alex Selth – ACT
(Lord Sigvaldr Sviðandi)
Member 84474

I wish to nominate myself for a position on the Board of the SCA Australia. I am mostly compliant with the stated requirements for the position, however my holding a seat on the Board would need to be contingent on timing for my stepping down as Lochac Fencing Marshal. In theory this would be December 2023, though I am strongly considering an early step down, especially should I be appointed to the Board.

I have substantial experience as an officer in the SCA at College, Baronial and Kingdom level. This includes understanding and operating within the legal and policy requirements of SCA Australia and SCANZ.

Mundanely, I work in a policy and regulatory role under intense senior government scrutiny. I am highly adept in stakeholder management, both internal and external, and a core function of my role is accommodating views on regulation and legislation while retaining the intent of the original position, regardless of how controversial or displeasing it may be to some parties. When I write regulation, such as what is included in the Kingdom of Lochac Fencing Handbook, I am skilled at weaving comprehensibility in such that a ruling is grasped by the reader upon first viewing - a regulation is worthless if it is not understood by the populace, just as much as if it is inappropriate to maintain a safe, enjoyable and developing community.

Over my time in the SCA I have held a range of positions at the College, Baronial and Kingdom levels, and operate in a highly contested regulatory and policy environment mundanely. I have the combination of skills and interests which would make me the optimal candidate to support the Board over the coming years.

Jasmin Price – NSW
(Lady Beatrix Buckland)
Member 83548

I'm available Monday nights for an online meeting. I make an effort to attend Festival each year with the family, where I'm helping at the scholar tent and running the kids quest. (2nd year in a row, apparently they liked it last year.)

I can help out with admin and secretary duties. I work with the department of Transport (TfNSW) and do stakeholder management as part of my role. I also created a neurodiverse network at Transport to support and educate staff about neurodiversity. I'm autistic and have a physical disability as well.

I understand a bit about working with state and federal policy. I have previously worked at a NGO with state and federal level policy requirements. I can research and report, and hope that I can help.

Note: Jon Giotto (ACT) has withdrawn his nomination for the Board, as of April 3rd 2023. Katya Ghirardello withdrew her nomination on April 28th, 2023.