## **General Assembly**

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| Name: Caleb Eilts   | Phone Number: (701)-690-4008                 |
| NDUS Institution(s): University of North Dakota                           | Majors/Minors: Political Science             |
| Anticipated Graduation Date: 2020   | Length of NDSA Involvement: 3 years          |
| For which position(s) are you applying?                                   |  |
| President [ ]   | Vice President of Finance and Operations [ ] |
| Vice President of Communication [ ]                                       | Vice President of Governmental Affairs [ ]   |
| Chief of Staff [ $\sqrt{\ }$ ]  |  |
| Have you spoken with the current officer about this role? [ $\sqrt{\ }$ ] |  |

List other organizations/obligations you will commit to while holding this position:

None

Describe your qualifications for this position. Refer to the position's description. What additional skills do you possess that would make you a valued addition to the team?

<u>Communication Abilities</u>: I am very good at communicating with people. I am always available to answer questions or discuss things with people. I always answer emails or messages as soon as I get them.

<u>Good with People</u>: I am very good at interacting with others and understanding things from their perspective. I understand how to speak with others and engage in meaningful conversation to gain new perspectives. I can reach out to people to resolve conflicts and I try to be as honest as I can be with others.

<u>NDSA Experience</u>: I have been attending NDSA meetings for three years and I am currently the Director of Public Relations. Because of this, I have a very strong understanding of the wat that the organization operates.

## What are some goals you have regarding this position? How would you propose you execute those goals?

<u>Transparency:</u> My goal for this position is to be as transparent as possible. I will be honest with committee members and I will always be reachable for any questions or concerns.

<u>Student Voices</u>: Another goal I have is to be sure that every student has the opportunity to be heard by including as many students as possible in various councils and task forces. The more students that are included, the more diverse the perspectives on certain topics will be.

How would you advance the vision, mission, values, goals, and objectives articulated within NDSA's 2019-2023 Strategic Plan? In other words, what would you do to support the 2019-2020 Executive Team as it seeks to execute the Strategic Plan?



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As mentioned in my goals for the position, I intend to ensure that the NDSA is as inclusive and transparent as it can be for students by running the organization in an honest and open way. I also intend to reach out and empower more students to get involved within the organization by inviting more students to join a variety of councils and task forces. I want to build a community within our general assembly where ideas can be shared and I plan to collaborate with other institutions within the organization to see this happen. Furthermore, with the help of the Executive Team, I hope to ensure that the NDSA remains a strong advocate for every student in North Dakota.