

2010 Officer and Board Member Application

National Capital Texas A&M Club

Howdy!

Thank you for your interest in serving the DC Aggie network. As we all know, there's no place like Aggieland and nothing like being a Fightin' Texas Aggie. There are over 3,500 Aggies in the DC area alone—reaching out to them, coordinating events to keep everyone together and furthering the reputation of Texas A&M takes hard work from good people. We look forward to reviewing your application and plugging you into the leadership of the National Capital Texas A&M Club. Below is a list of the positions that make up the officer team along with the contact information of the current person filling that role. Please send your completed applications or general questions to Kelsey Walker at kelseymwalker@gmail.com. Visit www.dcaggies.com for information on past events.

Thanks & Gig 'em!

President, Kelsey Walker kelseymwalker@gmail.com: The President is the Chairperson of the Board and presides at all meetings of the Club, the Board of Directors, and Executive Committee. Appoints all committees (except nominating committee) and serves as ex-officio member of all committees. The President also acts as liaison with the Association of Former Student.

First Vice President, Neal Grabarkewitz nealcgrab@gmail.com: Presides at meetings in the absence of the President. Serves on the Executive Committee. Assists the President as needed. Title may be concurrent with another position.

Vice President – Activities, Lauren Echols laurenechols@gmail.com: Chairs the Program Committee. Oversees the planning and execution of the Club's activities and programs. Provides recommendations to the President for the appointment of chairpersons of Aggie Muster, the Annual Barbeque and other activity committees as needed.

Vice President – Finance, Eric Gustafson emgustafson@gmail.com: Serves as treasurer of the Club. Chairs the Budget Committee. Serves as Vice Chairperson of the Scholarship Committee. Oversees development of the annual Club budget. Collects dues, as required.

Vice President - Student Development, Kelli Usé kellilynnuse@gmail.com: Chairs the Scholarship Committee. Represents the Club in matters pertaining to the continuing relationship with the University and area high schools, and coordinates club sponsored scholarship fundraising functions. Responsible for outreach to Texas A&M interns. Leads the fundraising drive to raise \$25,000 for the NCTAMC permanent endowment.

Vice President - Membership and Board Secretary, Neal Grabarkewitz nealcgrab@gmail.com: Serves as secretary of the Board of Directors. Chairs the Membership Committee. Directs membership drives. Maintains a roster of current members and distributes membership ballots for annual elections.

Vice President – Communications, Ben Weiner weiner.ben@gmail.com: Plans and directs local publicity and press relations to enhance the Club's public image. Functions directly with the Association of Former Students to keep local Club membership informed as to state, national and international activities of the University. Maintains and regularly updates all club promotional vehicles – not limited to newsletters and the website.

Please submit the following information:

1. Name:
2. Class year:
3. What position are you applying?
4. Why are you applying for this position?
5. What makes you the best candidate for this position?
6. What are your short and long-term goals, objectives, and vision for the NCTAMC.
7. What do you believe are the 3 biggest challenges currently facing the National Capital Texas A&M Club? How do you plan to work through these challenges through your short and long-term goals, objectives and vision that you have set-forth above?
8. In a one paragraph personal statement, please outline for the club members your experience and qualification.