

1. Explain your interest in serving as this board position. If you are applying for multiple positions, briefly describe your interest in each.

I am interested in serving as the VP of Membership because I believe that our members are the best asset of our organization. I also want to be able to assist in both bringing what we can offer to new members, and gaining new members who can make us even better.

2. Explain your strengths and how they will contribute to your performance as a board member. If you are applying for multiple positions, be specific about how your strengths support each position you are applying for.

I am very organized and I have had extensive recruitment experience through Alternative Breaks and as a committee chair this past year for AMSA. I also regularly attend each meeting, as I schedule free time into my schedule for Thursdays from 7-8pm, so there will be no conflicts in my attendance at meetings.

3. Describe your experience in previous leadership roles.

I have been a committee chair for AMSA for a year now, along with being an Alternative Breaks leader, a Peer Health Exchange Health Educator, and an officer of Global Brigades. Through Alternative Breaks I have taught a DECal for a semester, and planned and led 10 participants on a week-long service trip over Spring Break. I also believe that I am suited to be a board member because I am an outgoing and helpful person, and I have what it takes to really benefit the club.

4. Describe the goals you have for this position, and how you plan to achieve them. If applying for multiple positions, go into detail about your goals for each position.

My goals for this position would be to find new ways to draw in and retain more members throughout the year. I especially believe that we could have more than one information session per semester (so that more people could attend) and perhaps offer more incentives for members to join and continue to attend meetings. One way I hope to accomplish this would be to join with the fundraising chair and perhaps have some kind of treat at all tabling events (such as the injection pens) and that way entice more people to visit our table and learn about AMSA.

