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Motivation Letter [PDF]

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Candidacy

FINANCE ADVISORY BOARD (FAB)

Why do I apply to the Finance Advisory Board (FAB)?

Financial matters are often poorly understood, disliked, or disregarded by members of organizations. Yet, both in substance and in form, the issue of finances is essential in the life of any human group.

Substantively, money is one of the elements that enables a human group, and in this case a political organization, to achieve its objectives. I have the skills to analyze a budget and contribute to decision-making to optimize the relationship between objectives and resources.

In terms of form, the way finances are managed reflects the group's overall well-being: the source of funds, decision-making processes, information sharing, and grassroots control. These are all areas of focus to which I am committed and to which I can contribute with my expertise.

I am quite familiar with European issues. As mentioned in my CV, I have worked for a European organization and participated in many meetings in English in various European cities. My candidacy for the 2024 in European elections, my involvement in drafting the program, and the election campaign—including debates and interviews—allowed me to stay up-to-date on the workings of European politics and our internal European organization.

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Candidacy FINANCE ADVISORY BOARD (FAB)
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Age 65

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Initial training as a social worker (Bachelor's degree + 3 years)

1984-1990 : Northern Regional Manager for Service Civil International (SCI), a pacifist organization that runs youth workcamps and welcomes conscientious objectors. I was co-responsible for the European "teenagers" sector. Numerous workcamps and meetings throughout Europe.

1991-1999 : Journalist

1999-2023 : Plumber and business owner

Since 2023: Retired

INTERNAL POSITIONS WITH « LES ECOLOGISTES » (THE GREEN PARTY France)

Currently, I am :

- Member since 2015
- Co-spokesperson for the Pyrenees local group
- Associate member of the Midi-Pyrénées Regional Executive Board

- President of the Midi-Pyrénées Green Party Funding Association
- Federal Councillor

Supporters:
I was a candidate on Marie Toussaint's list in the last European elections, in 18th position.
Miljöpartiet de gröna, AD+PD

SKILLS RELATED TO THE POSITIONS OF FINANCE ADVISORY BOARD (FAB) MEMBER

Through my professional, activist, and community activities, I have managed staff and budgets of different sizes.

- Previously : salaried manager in a major international association ; Business owner.

- Currently :

- President of a cultural association with international activities, budget €600,000
- First Deputy Mayor of a rural village, in charge of the budget, €1 million.
- President of the Midi-Pyrénées Ecologists Funding Association.

I speak and write English fluently, and I use it regularly for both professional and personal reasons.