

AAUP – CCC CHAPTER

Candidate Profile Sheet

Candidate for Office Of: Vice President – Eastern Campus

AAUP-CCC Chapter Constitution/Bylaws Bylaws Article I

As members of the AAUP Executive Committee, officers will share campus experiences that benefit college-wide AAUP communication and effectiveness. AAUP officers will respect the confidentiality of sensitive issues such as negotiating positions and faculty grievances by not discussing these issues outside official AAUP communication channels. *See Bylaws Article I- B, C, D, E & G for further description of each elected office.*

AAUP-CCC Chapter Constitution/Bylaws Bylaws Article IV, Section B, C

The term of office shall be two years. Officers may be re-elected.

PART I NOMINEE PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: Steven D. Leidich

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Discipline(s): Biology

Department(s): Health Careers and Sciences

Elected Offices Held: Interim Vice President-Eastern Campus (2006-2007, 2008-2010);

Representative – Eastern Campus (2005-2006 and 2007-2008)

PART II PRIOR AND CURRENT COLLEGE/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

| <u>ACTIVITY</u> | <u>POSITION/RESPONSIBILITY</u> |
|------------------------|--|
| 1. Tech-Prep | Organize and coordinate NCTP Biotechnology pathway |
| 2. AAUP Rep. | Serve the Eastern Campus as AAUP Vice President |
| 4. Coach | Coach youth tackle football programs |

PART III PLEASE STATE BRIEFLY THE LEADERSHIP ABILITIES AND OTHER SKILLS YOU FEEL YOU BRING TO THIS POSITION

I have served as both a representative and vice president for the Cuyahoga Community College Chapter of AAUP for the past 5 years. Currently, I serve as the Vice President for the Eastern campus.

During the past year, I learned that sometimes the job of a representative is to help a faculty member understand the significance of a situation and prevent the possible negative consequences that a member may unknowingly cause. These situations require a straightforward and honest discussion with the faculty member so that they are fully aware of the situation. This has been the biggest challenge for me because the faculty member often feels as though they are not being supported. Nonetheless, I firmly believe that one of the best forms of representation is to dispel any false information and fully and correctly explain the circumstances with the faculty member. This will always lead to better decision making.

I am eager to continue working as your AAUP vice president of the Eastern campus. My goal, as always, is to represent all of my members to the best of my ability, and with honor and distinction.
Thanks for your vote of confidence.

Sincerely,
Steven D. Leidich

PART IV PLEASE STATE BRIEFLY YOUR REASONS FOR SEEKING THIS OFFICE

See above.

The above information is accurate and can be documented.

Steven D. Leidich

Signature of Nominee

Date 4/21/08

Thank you.
Nominating Committee