



ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS AND BOARD OF MANAGEMENT 2024/25/26

MANIFESTO FORM

For the position of: Former Student Member

Candidate: Paul Baird

Proposer: Imogen Dewar

Seconder: Lina Leonhard

The space below is provided to allow candidates to explain their reasons for offering themselves for their respective positions and to list such qualifications and experience which are relevant to these posts in not more than 200 words.

I'm Paul and I'm seeking election to the position of Former Student Member until March 2026.

I am a former Convener of Debates (2014/2015), Debates Committee Member (2011 - 2015), and Parliamentary Club Leader (2012/2013), now working as a corporate lawyer, specialising in banking, with experience across both domestic and international transactions and having spent time in Scotland and London.

If elected, I will bring to the Board of Management my experience and expertise of advising boards and corporate officers and will be able to assist the Union by providing advice and guidance on the contracts and transactions it needs to enter into, disciplinary matters, and generally by supporting the student board with project delivery and initiatives for the wider Union membership.