

## Proposition 2 - Revision of bylaws

### **Background:**

Due to the timing of the elections of some positions in the Student Union board, the Union's effectiveness is hampered. This proposition is aimed to swap around the timing of the elections of four positions within the Student Union Board, in order to better harmonise their workflow with each other, the sections, as well as other student unions.

The different positions and their corresponding changed election times that are considered for this are as follows:

Position within KS	Current election time	Proposed new election time
Chairman	Autumn Annual Meeting →	Spring Annual Meeting
Vice-chairman	Autumn Annual Meeting →	Spring Annual Meeting
Labour Market Chairman	Spring Annual Meeting →	Autumn Annual Meeting
Event Chairman	Spring Annual Meeting →	Autumn Annual Meeting

### **Why Chairman and Vice?**

The Chairman and Vice-Chairman are currently elected at a time which is out of the norm for most student unions in Sweden. By moving the elections of these positions, SiS would be more in sync with other student union boards nationally, thus benefiting our outreach and collaborative effort with other unions.

Additionally, from an internal perspective, students who express interest in these positions will no longer have to take a break in their studies in the middle of the school year, or in the case of graduates, have to find work for half a year before running for these positions. This change is intended to remove the issues currently complexifying the process of transition from studies to Student Union work.

### **Why Event and Labour Market?**

By moving the election of the Labour Market- and Event Chairmen to the autumn, it will benefit their collaborative efforts with the sections' own Labour Market- and Event Officers. This way they get a whole year together to truly get to know each other and develop a better workflow.

As things are currently, the Labour Market- and Event chairmen begin their work in July. However, due to the intro, they can't actually begin working with the sections until October, at which point the Labour market- and Event officers are getting their handovers ready and preparing to step down. By the time the new boards get used to their work, it's already March, and the Labour Market- and Event chairmen need to prepare for their own stepping down. This results in an unfortunate desynchronisation between the Labour Market- and Event Chairmen and the section officers, slowing down their work and preventing them from doing what they envision in the short time left once everyone involved feels familiar with their work.

**Motion:** To change the bylaws “SiS Stadgar” and “Reglemente för Kårstyrelsen” as shown below, in accordance with the “Process of adaptation for the new bylaws” also shown below.

## Process of adaptation for new bylaws

This process states that any change in the bylaws, by the second consecutive annual meeting, will take effect during that second meeting. For this proposition this means that, assuming that this proposition is passed by two consecutive annual meetings, that the new mandate period for Chairman, Vice Chairman, Event Chairman and Labour Market Chairman will be in effect by the Spring Annual Meeting 2024.

### *Ordförande & Vice-ordförande*

At the Autumn Annual Meeting 2023, both the Chairman and Vice Chairman get elected as per usual. Assuming that this proposition is passed a second time at the Spring Annual Meeting 2024, this means that from then on there is a new mandate period for both Chairman and Vice Chairman. This means that both positions will need to be elected again for a new mandate year from summer 2024 to summer 2025.

**Assuming that this proposition is passed a second time at the Spring Annual Meeting 2024, this means that the Chairman and Vice Chairman that are elected by the Autumn Annual Meeting 2023 only get a mandate period of 6 months.**

### *Evenemangsordförande & Arbetsmarknadsordförande*

Assuming that this proposition is passed a second time at the Spring Annual Meeting 2024, this means that there is a new mandate period for Event Chairman and Labour Market Chairman. Therefore the positions will be vacant as a result of the current mandate period ending.

**Due to this vacancy, both positions need to be elected for the mandate period remaining until the next ordinary election in accordance with the new updated bylaws.**

## SiS Stadgar:

### Höststämman

§4 Höststämman hålls i november månad och ska:

1. Behandla förslag från medlemmar och verkställande organ
2. Fastställa verksamhetsberättelse samt resultat- och balansräkning för föregående verksamhetsår
3. Pröva fråga om ansvarsfrihet för Kårstyrelsen
4. ~~Välja Kårordförande, Vice ordförande,~~ Välja Evenemangsordförande, Arbetsmarknadsordförande, Introgeneral och Informationsordförande
5. Välja Valberedning

### Vårstämman

§5 Vårstämman hålls i maj och ska:

1. Behandla förslag från medlemmar och verkställande organ
2. Fastställa medlemsavgiftens storlek
3. Fastställa verksamhetsplan och budget
4. ~~Välja Kårstyrelse, förutom Kårordförande, Vice ordförande, Introgeneral och Sektionsordföranden som sitter på kalenderår~~ Välja Kårordförande, Vice ordförande, Kassör, Marknadsföringsordförande.
5. Välja Verksamhetsrevisorer

## Reglemente för Kårstyrelsen:

### Ledamöternas mandatperioder

§4 Kårstyrelsens mandatperiod sammanfaller med verksamhetsåret, förutom för ~~Kårordförande, Vice ordförande, Sektionsordförande, Informationsordförande och Introgenera-~~ ~~Arbetsmarknadsordförande, Evenemangsordförande, Informationsordförande och Introgenera-~~. Dessa sammanfaller med kalenderåret.