



Nomination Information

The Nominations Committee (NOMCOM) for the Class of 1980 is accepting candidates for the Class President, Secretary and Outreach & Representation Officer.

Timeline

The timeline for nominations and elections is as follows:

1 - 15 Feb 2021 – NOMCOM solicits inputs via 1980 Class Website:

<http://1980.usnaclassess.net/>.

Announcements are sent via All Class Email and Facebook

15 Feb - 15 March – NOMCOM interview of candidates

16-22 March – Slates are created

23 March - 4 April - Voting for Class Officers takes place

4 April - Voting Closes at 1159

5-8 April - Notifications of candidates

9 April 2021 - Class Notification

4-7 Nov 2021 Class Reunion

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President Qualifications

The ideal candidate for Class President should have the following attributes:

1. Shall be a USNA Alumni Association Member of the Class of 1980.
2. Should be a financial supporter of the Naval Academy via the Naval Academy Foundation or other giving activity sanctioned by USNA.
3. Should have been engaged in Naval Academy activities since graduation (i.e. Blue and Gold Program, Alumni Association involvement, Board of Trustees involvement, Local Chapter involvement, Class Rep/Company Rep involvement, Reunion involvement).

Duties

The President shall:

1. Be the primary representative for the Class in all affairs of the Class including interaction with the USNA and USNAA.
2. Be an active member of the Council of Class Presidents (COCP), an organization that is supportive of USNAAA.
3. Preside over all meetings of the Council and Class or notify the Vice President of their unavailability.
4. Sign instruments necessary or expedient to manage Class business in consultation with the Council.
5. Establish committees, in consultation with the Council, to efficiently conduct Class business.
6. Have the power to nominate an eligible Class member to fill any unscheduled vacancies on the Council which may occur during his /her term of office. Those nominated must be a Class member who meets the qualifications outlined in these By-Laws of the position being filled. Nominees will be presented to the Council, which will vote on the nominee and be accepted by a majority vote. If a majority vote is not achieved, the President will offer additional nominations until one is accepted by a majority vote.
7. Perform other duties as necessary and appropriate.

Nominate yourself or another classmate for President
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Secretary Qualifications

The ideal candidate for Class Secretary should have the following attributes:

1. Shall be a USNA Alumni Association Member of the Class of 1980.
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3. Should have been engaged in Academy activities since graduation (i.e. Blue and Gold Program, Alumni Association involvement, Board of Trustees involvement, Local Chapter involvement, Class Rep/ Company Rep involvement, Reunion involvement).

Duties

The Secretary shall:

1. Keep a record and publish the minutes of all Class and Council meetings.
2. Maintain all appropriate historical records of the Class other than those required by the Treasurer.
3. Serve as Corresponding Secretary for the Council.
4. Provide the USNAAA with regular content to be published in "Shipmate" or other forums.
5. Coordinate with Company Representatives, maintain a current Class Registry that includes deceased classmates and family members as appropriate.
6. Work with the Council to ensure that assistance to Classmates in need takes place.
7. Be responsible for any committees assigned by the President or Council.

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Outreach & Representation Officer Qualifications

The ideal candidate for Class Outreach & Representation Officer should have the following attributes:

1. Shall be a USNA Alumni Association Member of the Class of 1980.
2. Should be a financial supporter of the Naval Academy via the Naval Academy Foundation or other giving activity sanctioned by USNA.
3. Should have been engaged in Academy activities since graduation (i.e. Blue and Gold Program, Alumni Association involvement, Board of Trustees involvement, Local Chapter involvement, Class Rep/ Company Rep involvement, Reunion involvement).

Duties

The Outreach & Representation Office shall:

1. Ensure the Council considers representation in all aspects of its business; to include:
 - Appointing Council members;
 - Approving Committee leadership positions; and
 - Approving Class functions and events.
2. Perform other duties as necessary and appropriate.
3. Be responsible for any committees assigned by the President or Council.

Nominate yourself or another classmate for Outreach & Representation Officer

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