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By-laws changes

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Topic:

Topic author: clitchfield

Subject: By-laws changes

Posted on: 25 May 2011 13:28:29

Message:

When the by-laws were drawn up no one expected the internet to be so all encompassing - certainly not Facebook, You tube , etc.

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> I suggest that we amend the by-laws to include a web master and assistant as appointed positions. That would insure continuity rather than changing every three years. I realize that this cannot be done until the 2014 meeting, but the President has certain interim appointment powers (ad hoc committees) and that would allow Peri and Egor to get started now. So, I suggest the board vote on allowing Aharon to do this.

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Replies:

Reply author: mcoleman

Replied on: 25 May 2011 16:15:06

Message:

I dont know about the bylaws or such but it is a good idea to have two such positions even if they are 'temporary' until the next meeting. I also wish to encourage Egor who is a relativley new graduate.

Reply author: aoren

Replied on: 25 May 2011 20:26:01

Message:

If Peri and Egor will be elected to the board, everything will be simple. If not, they can still work with the new board and advance the website etc. One surely does not have to be a board member to be active in the society - the opposite is true!

Reply author: mcoleman

Replied on: 26 May 2011 06:24:08

Message:

I agree - in my view there is no connect between an administrative position and a board position. The Treasurer gets a seat on the board even though it is an administrative position because of the context of the work. The web and facebook as administrative positions do not need direct board representation in my view. The only time that I think that the election of administrative positions needs to be referred to the general meeting is if money is going to be paid to people as a wage or compensation for time. Of course if the web and facebook administrators need clarification re an issue and they are not board members they should direct their query to the President. I would not like to see the case where administrators automatically become board members or the administrative positions could only be filled from the Board.

Reply author: clitchfield

Replied on: 26 May 2011 09:45:27

Message:

I think Mark is making a very good point. Administrators and BOD are very different positions and fulfill very different needs.

Reply author: clitchfield

Replied on: 26 May 2011 09:46:17

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