**Information needed for a CPN board candidate**

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**Why are you willing to serve to CPN?**

I was one of co-founders when CPN was established in 2003 and served CPN as president between 2003-2010, and vice-president since 2010 until now. With efforts from CPN members and led by CPN board, this organization and platform is on the track to reach its visions.

CPN is an important communication platform for all Chinese professionals working in Norway. In the past 11 year, it's developed quickly as a platform for people like me from one nation-based to the international one. I serve CPN with pleasure because I see how this organization helps its members to live better in the society and meeting each other in a professional way.

The service, although it takes lots of my spare time, goes to people who need for it. I'm very happy my service satisfies those needs and makes CPN more influence on not only for Chinese professionals, but also for from different nationalities. In addition, the big family feeling for all members provides me passion for making even a better big family forever. I see the value beyond my contribution by time.

I have the competence to serve CPN and want to continue my service to CPN.