

# Vote for deputy rep. Tin, he protects his own kin\*!

A Norwegian national, endorsed by the local Vietnamese community in his hometown. Tin believes that all fellows deserves freedom of speech, improved mental health, and Taco Tuesdays.



Norwegian University of Life Sciences  
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## Election to the Faculty Boards 2023

\*kin is used as how Vin Diesel loosely uses the term "family" in the Fast series.

**Name:** Tin Phan

**Work location (Faculty):** LANDSAM

**Position:** Research fellow/stipendiat

**Education:** Master in Architecture M.Arch.

**Work Experience:**

Web-based CV: [www.tin.uno/about](http://www.tin.uno/about) (as researcher) or [www.airstudio.no](http://www.airstudio.no) (as designer)

I live and breathe the temporary mindset – I have never in my life signed on to a full-time position. Meaning I have made my own luck as a “temp” – a freelancer, as self-employed and the establishing of my own company. My work experiences range from brainstorming ERC proposals for OsloMet, competing on national/international urban competitions (with distinctions) to educating children across counties through DKS. As part of the national young talents initiative, Wildcard-ordningen, I have also spoken on the behalf of younger professionals in the Norwegian architecture industry.

**Organizational experience / advice / controls etc. Relevant appointments and / or management experience:**

I have partaken professionally on boards regarding on matters of Norwegian urban-, business-, and technological development:

- 2023 - now **Innovasjon Norge**, rådgivende panel.
- 2022 - now **Oslo Business Region** Advisory Board, member.
- 2017 - 2020 **Oslo Urban Arena**, member of the programme committee.
- 2019 - 2019 **Landbrukskvartalet**, member of the resource group.
- 2016 - 2018 **Levende Lokaler DogA**, member of the resource group.
- 2014 - 2015 **Magasinet KOTE**, student member of the web editorial.

**Why I want to be a member of the board:**

*“When their enemies were at the gates, the Romans would suspend democracy and appoint one man to protect the city. It wasn't considered an honor, it was considered a public service.”*

I did not choose this myself, I was appointed.

**What I see as the main challenges for the board:**

My main causes are the freedom of speech and mental health among the Norwegian research fellows. It can be problematic for temps to be open on matters that might diminish their future chances of employment. As a candidate for this board, I wish to be a champion of more transparency... Probably some other stuff also.