

# Jelena Drenjanin

## Candidature as President of the Governance Committee

Dear members,

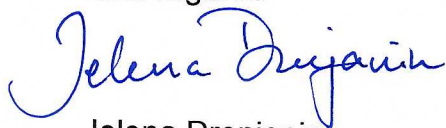
Hereby I am submitting my candidature and hope You can support it.

I am a well-experienced politician who is used to work with a wide range of national, local and supranational policymakers and non-governmental organisations. I have the needed political acumen in order to give me the ability of being flexible and at the same time still maintain my strong judgment and decision-making skills.

In my professional role, I am used to coordinate efficiently, effectively and cross-functionally in order to develop, align and implement appropriate positioning and engagement strategies. I have a proven track record of successfully working with a wide array of functioning groups across organizations and cultures as well as working independently.

As a person I am outgoing and creative but I also have an ability to maintain highest personal levels of ethical conduct, confidentiality and integrity, with a strong professional reputation. My political "heart" is especially fighting for gender equality and freedom rights. So, I hope to receive Your support in my ambition to take more responsibility and I hope to meet expected expectations by obtaining this role. I speak Swedish, English, Serbian, Croatian, Bosnian.

Kind regards



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Municipality Commissioner Municipality

Huddinge, 16/03/2021

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## 1. PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 03/2019 – ongoing **Chair of EU Preparation Committee**  
*Swedish Association of Local Authorities and Regions (SALAR)*
- 02/2019 – 02/2021 **Spokesperson for the Congress for Gender Equality**  
*Council of Europe*
- 10/2018 – ongoing **Full Member**  
*Congress of Local and Regional Authorities in the Council of Europe*
- 11/2017 – ongoing **Chair**  
*SRV Recycling Ltd.*
- 08/2015 – 03/2019 **Chair Partnership of Structural funds Stockholm Region**  
*Government Offices, Ministry of Enterprise and Innovation*
- 01/2011 – 12/2019 **Full Member**  
*Committee of the Regions*
- 01/2008 – ongoing **Deputy Mayor**  
*Huddinge Municipality*
- 01/2007 – ongoing **Chair of the School Board**  
*Huddinge Municipality*
- 2007 – 2012 **Vice President of Moderat Women**  
*Moderate Party*
- 01/2006 – 12/2006 **Principal**  
*Botkyrka Municipality*



## 2. EDUCATION

- 2004 – 2006 **Uppsala University**  
*Master's degree, Higher Education / Higher Education Administration*
- 1997 – 2000 **Södertörn University**  
*Bachelor's degree, Political Science and Government*