



**Bio & Policy Statement from
A Nominee for Correspondent Member Governor
Board of Governors 2022-2023**

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Dear all members,

My name is Kari Lindberg, and I am honored that Keith Richburg and Eric Wishart nominated me to run for a position on the FCC Board of Governors.

As such, I am currently seeking a first term as a Correspondent Governor of the FCC. If elected, I will set-up new workshops, webinar chats and other activities (dare I suggest a salsa dancing networking event?) that reinvigorates the community, while seeking to attract new members of all demographics.

These past several years have been tumultuous in Hong Kong: from the adoption of a national security law to a pandemic, which has made it hard for many FCC members to reconnect with loved ones. That makes the role of FCC as a place that brings people together all the more important.

Last year, I attended an FCC mentorship event aimed at early career journalists. The event was the first time I felt connected to the club in a meaningful way, and I believe organizing more likeminded events would help foster similar sentiments among students studying journalism and early-career journalists, like myself.

I strongly believe that a big part of maintaining a club is cultivating pathways for future members. Vital to that is enhancing community engagement. In the coming year, I will pledge to work on the club's outreach to the wider journalism community, including students who still continue to study journalism despite the greater barriers to entry.

About me: I am currently a reporter for Bloomberg News covering politics of the greater China region, and more immediately Hong Kong's impending chief executive election.

Previously, I was a nutritionist and health educator in New York City, where I, among other jobs, taught HIV and AIDS prevention to high school-aged young adults.