

Dear readers,

In the following lines, I'd like to share a few reasons why you should vote in the upcoming SKAS MFF elections – and more specifically, why you should vote for me. But first, let me thank you for even opening my election theses. I have no illusions about how “popular” these elections are every year (the turnout says it all), so I truly appreciate your willingness to spend a few moments reading and comparing the candidates.



Now that we've got the formalities out of the way, let's get to it (I'll try to keep it short). For some of you, the intro might have felt too serious, official, or just plain boring – and you probably already feel like closing this. I totally get it. So let's shake things up a bit.

Let's be honest, most students don't really care about SKAS elections, and it's only thanks to constant reminders from the administration that some of us (sometimes even as many as 18 %) end up voting at all. And honestly, that makes sense – what does SKAS even *do*? Well, let's just say... not much. There are only 9 student members compared to the total of 16 staff members, but still, it's not completely useless. If an ordinary student wants to raise an issue or push for a real change, going through SKAS is their best shot. Its members are the „official middlemen” between the student body and the faculty leadership.

And this brings us to why you should vote for me. I think the most basic reason is simply that I *want* to do it – and I'm ready to dedicate my free time to it. The actual "election theses" are useless, to put it mildly – everyone puts that kind of general crap in there anyway. What really matters is the willingness to take SKAS seriously and not bail out after two weeks. A sad example of this is a senator elected for the mathematical section last year who promised increased support for PhD students and better communication about SKAS activities. Unfortunately, I haven't heard a word about the first point since, and the last “official” update about SKAS was posted on the MFF discord on September 25, 2024. I don't mean to insult her or anyone else – it's just a shame, because that's exactly what makes people feel like SKAS does nothing at all.

As for me, I ran unsuccessfully last year, I've always been interested in politics, and for the past six months I've been actively involved in it. I see this as a solid reason why I'd be a useful member of SKAS. Also, I've got a dream – to reform the Matfyz freshman orientation camp, so if you went and thought it was a waste of time (like I did), maybe we can do something about it together;) (maybe we'll even pull off something like zaČVUTění).

Thanks for reading this far – you're the best <3 And if you do decide to vote for me, I'll be incredibly grateful and I'll do my best to live up to your trust. Sadly, I'm currently in Barcelona for Erasmus until the end of the semester, but if anyone would like to meet up, chat, grab a beer, or play something (sports, board games etc.), just hit me up and we'll make it happen;)

And feel free to drop a follow on Instagram, thanks;) [https://www.instagram.com/martin\\_sada/](https://www.instagram.com/martin_sada/)

See you soon, Martin