



**Graduate Student Government  
Vice President**

**Name:** An Nguyen

**Program:** Master of Science in Educational Leadership (Online Program)

**When did you begin graduate school at Creighton?** Summer 2018

**Why would you be a good candidate for this position?** I pursue my Master in Educational Leadership with an aspiration of being in a leadership position at my school someday. The Vice-president position would give me more experience in a leadership role. I was also a senator in student government while I was in my undergrad at the University of Nebraska at Omaha. I am familiar with the structure and the roles of the student government organization. Lastly, I've been working in a professional job as a secondary math teacher in the past couple of years. With my job, I prepare lesson plans in advance, track about 120 students' academic progress, communicate with parents, colleagues, and school administrators, etc. My current job gives me the skills that I need for this position.

**What experience or qualifications do you possess that would help you serve in this position?** Former Senator in Student Government represented the College of Education at the University of Nebraska at Omaha Secondary Math Teacher Pursue a master in leadership

**List potential goals and ideas for the position:** As an online graduate student, I would love to have more opportunities to meet others in my program. I also want to meet people from the counseling program at Creighton, because they could be my colleagues later on. As Vice-President, I would create events for graduate students in the Education Department and separate one for healthcare related professions. I would start to promote Graduate Student Government at each graduate program orientation. It would be very time consuming, but it is important for future, and current graduate students know who we are and what we do. We would have better turn out at events if we do that. I was in the sustainability committee when I was in student government. Sustainability has always been a passion of mine. I would either start one or create more "green" initiatives on campus.

**Besides graduate coursework, what other time commitments do you have (jobs, organizations, committees, etc.)?**

I work full-time as a secondary math teacher.

I teach at Creighton Upward Bound on every other Saturday mornings.

I sponsor the Math Club at my school.