

Hello All Media One (M1) Members,

I would like to share a little bit about myself and my qualifications for the position of M1 President.

In a nutshell, I started working at Global Calgary when I was 19 years old as a Broadcast Technologist and I recently celebrated my 21st anniversary. I am currently the Supervisor of Technical Services for both Global Calgary and Global Lethbridge.

I am also the President of the M1 Calgary Unit and have 12 years of experience as a leader in the Union; negotiating collective agreements, building solidarity, supporting members in crisis, and advocating for the rights of the members in my unit.

I have prepared for and attended several arbitrations and I have years of experience successfully resolving grievances; including wrongful termination settlements and overturning unjust discipline of members.

On a wider scale, I have been involved dating back to the early days of the Global Advisory Committee and throughout its progression into the local we now know as Unifor Media One as a member of the board.

Most recently, I provided guidance to the Units in Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, and the Maritimes to conduct the online ratification of their new collective agreement; using Simply Voting. This is the same secure online voting system that will be used for this election. It conveniently enables every member to participate in the governance of the local.

In closing, I want to tell everyone that I believe in an inclusive and progressive local that listens to and empowers the members to participate through a democratic process.

I would like your support and **vote** to be your M1 President.

Thank you! In Solidarity, Carrie Hooper @Carrie4M1President