

MC Breed Committee Candidate Statement

– Malene Thykjaer

I live in Denmark and since 1994 Maine Coons have been a part of our lives (my husband Glenn and I). First as pets and then we fell in love with a Maine Coon female. She became the start of our breeding, so in 1996 our first litter was born.

We started being members of Fife and the Danish Maine Coon club and our cattery name was Gigant's. For about 10 years I served as board member in the Danish Maine Coon club, the last years as president. For a period, I was a board member in Racekatten (one of the danish Fife clubs). In 2008 the first TICA club started in Denmark – Viking Cats and we moved our cattery from Fife to TICA in 2008, and from then our cattery name is GigantCat.

We started showing in TICA and loved it, and have been proud to show some of our cats to top titles 😊 In 2009 I started in Viking Cats as a board member and have been a that since, with one-year break, at the moment I am the president of Viking Cats.

When I was in the Danish Maine Coon club, I loved the work for our own breed. Telling people about the breed, and working for the breed in ups and downs. The work for the breed I would love to do again trough the breed committee.

