

Re-elect for TOM JORDAN International Officer

Sustainability | Empowerment | Vision | Achievement

Fundraising

The dirty word of YL. I know that this year we haven't raised enough cash in International, and working alongside the Fundraising Officer and IC I want to change that! Particularly by utilising our fantastic Friends of YL Network!

A Chair, not just an Officer

With over a year of experience chairing the International Committee, I have learnt what does work, and what doesn't. I have a strong track record delivering for you as an Officer, but now it's time to step up another gear as your IC Chair! I want to start with a strong sense of vision, and team-work, with regular meetings, one-on-ones, and defined portfolios which complement each other.

I want to empower an IC, who use their own initiative, action their manifestos, and grow as individuals!

A wider vision for International

International is at its finest when it's so much more than the Officer and the Committee. It takes a lot of work to achieve our goals, and there is a lot of opportunities to empower our members out there!

This year alongside my Committee and the HVP's I am going to create a formalised International team! With Regional, gender and racial diversity baked in at the heart of the system. International has always been bigger than the committee, and this way we can ensure that as many YLers as possible benefit from International. Providing a healthy structure for participants to engage, clear roles and tasks, and a leadership opportunity for the Committee.

...and a Record of Delivery

Dating back to my time as a Branch, and then Regional Chair, I have possessed not only ambition but also the ability to deliver for YL! I have been part of so many great projects and wins for YL in International and beyond. Our *Womens Leadership Panel at London Conference; our incredible resolutions on Disability Rights and Trans+Intersex Athletes at IFLRY; our push to get more YLers than ever in seminars and in positions of power empowering them; our trips to EU House and the Embassy in Sarajevo; writing our groundbreaking policy on the Two-State Solution this summer.* I have lead diverse, large, and crucially varied delegations. *I am so proud of my record.*

Rowan Fitton Co-International Officer

"Tom has been an amazing Co-International Officer and a wonderful colleague to work with the last year. He brings a level of dedication and commitment to YL's international work that I have never seen before and I have no doubt that he will continue to excel in the role."

Why do I do it?

In 2023, I took a chance applying for a seminar in Budapest with IFLRY and it changed my life! I was empowered by International, and it gave me the skills to become a professional campaigner and confident politician. *I know how International can change lives, it is what drives me. It is what gets me up each morning.*

This is why I have worked so hard as your IO.

This is why, if re-elected, I will do everything I can to be the best IO possible.