

# Global Young Greens Steering Committee - Candidate Statement

### Instructions

- Please read the information below and the Code of Conduct for GYG elections;
- Fill out the Candidate Statement below:
- Save as a PDF document and send to: <a href="mailto:oversightcommittee@globalyounggreens.org">oversightcommittee@globalyounggreens.org</a> by <a href="mailto:midnight CET">midnight CET</a> on <a href="mailto:24th March 2019">24th March 2019</a>;
- Your candidate statement should talk about your experience as well as your motivations for applying. It should also include a description of how you want to participate in developing GYG.

There are two new openings on the Global Young Greens Steering Committee:

- 1. Regional Coordinator for **Africa**
- 2. Regional Coordinator for **Europe**.

Please note: These roles are both voluntary and applicants are expected to be able to dedicate up to 10 hours of their time a week.

## Regional Coordinators:

- are the point of contact for Member Organisations in their respective regions;
- are responsible for communication between their respective federations and the GYG Steering Committee;
- maintain and update contact databases for their regions;
- collect news from Member Organisations to publish in the GYG newsletter;
- attend GYG Steering Committee meetings on a bi-weekly basis and contribute to other general GYG tasks.

The GYG Steering Committee is responsible for the following:

- Implementing the outcomes of the GYG Congress in Liverpool and adhere to the GYG Organisational Principles.
- Responsibilities will include fundraising, developing action plans and implementing them, mobilising members and identifying new opportunities for GYG until the next GYG Congress.
- More broadly, the SC must take on the development of the GYG movement, managing membership and all communication tools including mailing lists, newsletters, web page, as well as being involved in regional and local Young Green activities.



## **Essential Requirements:**

- Speak fluent English: you should be able to express yourself, read political texts, write emails and understand English discussions;
- Be willing to take on a challenge;
- Have enough time to dedicate, estimate up to 10 hours a week;
- Have good organisational and communication skills;
- Have experience in organising Young Green activities;
- Be a good team player;
- Be committed to the goals and principles of GYG;
- Have developed social and intercultural skills;
- Have respect for the opinions and ideas of others;
- Be willing to take on the responsibility to coordinate GYG projects;
- Have internet access on a regular basis;
- Answer your emails regularly and attend online meetings every two to four weeks.

#### Desirable:

- language skills;
- experience in managing and running projects as well as in writing project applications and final reports.

Please contact oversightcommittee@globalyounggreens.org for more information.

#### 1. Applicant information

Please indicate which position you are applying for (Regional Coordinator for Africa/Regional Coordinator for Europe):

| First name:           |
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| Last name:            |
| Nationality:          |
| Country of residence: |
| Date of birth:        |
| Gender:               |
| Region:               |
| Member Organisation:  |
| Email:                |
| Skype name:           |

For the following three sections you should make reference to the first page of this document,



which outlines some details of the Steering Committee role and also some of the required skills.

| 2. | Experience:  |
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| 3. | Motivation to join the SC:                           |
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| 4. | How do you want to help develop Global Young Greens? |