

## EC6 Antonio G. González : Candidate for Executive Committee

Proposer: FYEG

Agenda item: 6. Executive Committee Candidates

### Introduction

Hello everybody!

I am Antonio G. González, I am an activist of Juventud Verde (Spanish Young Greens) and FYEG. I currently live in my hometown in Tenerife / Canary Islands, although for a long time I have lived in Madrid. In the capital of Spain, I studied my double degree in sociology and international relations, but it is also the city that has seen me grow and take my steps as a political activist. My activism covers many fields but especially LGBTIQ, feminism, social justice, and climate change. This has led me to specialize in both gender and political communication. Due to the covid pandemic, I moved back to my hometown in the north of Tenerife, an area characterized by a mix of rural and urban. This change of life made me focus on my physical, mental and relational health. With this, I have developed activism from the importance of the bases, renewal, and care. Both experiences converge in this FYEG EC candidacy to put welfare, diversity, and just transition policies from a youth perspective at the center of European policy.



Member Organisation:  
Juventud Verde (Spain)

As Angela Davis said: "You have to act as if it were possible to radically transform the world. And you have to do it all the time".

Motivation - Vision - CV - Support Letters

# ANTONIO G. GONZÁLEZ

## FYEG'S EC CANDIDACY

### Motivation Letter

A person's life is measured by the experiences and sometimes the goals that we acquire, but all this is not possible without taking into account the steps we take throughout our careers, our activism or our life. It was 2017, and a young and inexperienced Antonio was beginning to take his first steps by joining the Red EQUO Joven, the current Juventud Verde (JV) and the Young Greens of Spain. Before that new adventure that would bring them here, they started working for Spain and Europe with Social Justice, Diversity and a Just Ecological Transition. Since April 2017, Antonio has continued his work until today and will continue it by running for the FYEG Executive Commission.

With this short introduction, I want to show my experience, motivation and desire to work to build a fairer, diverse and greener Europe. But first of all, I would like to present my roots and the circumstances that have brought me to this point. I was born and raised in the Canary Islands, a mid-Atlantic archipelago off the coast of Africa. The Canary Islands are characterized by being the most populated outermost region of the EU, but also by being a diverse and precarious region due to its economic sources. I grow up in the north of Tenerife, an area where the rural and the urban intermingle, where social rights are a constant struggle and our history and culture go through migration to Latin America, Africa or Europe. At the age of 18, I moved to Madrid, the mainland, where I studied for my university degree and started my activism and my professional career which was cut short by the covid-19 pandemic. This made me return to live with my mother in the Canary Islands and continue everything from a distance. This has brought me closer to the reality of my community and how oppressions, violence and international economic structures also operate and perpetuate themselves even on small islands in the Atlantic.

I think this is the best time to take a step forward. For the past five years, I have worked from Juventud Verde to create a structured and forward-looking organization, creating robust foundations and structures that will assist the generational renewal of the entity.

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## FYEG'S EC CANDIDACY

For four years (2017-2021) I have been part of the Executive Committee of Juventud Verde along with exceptional people who have helped in the transformation of the organization. We have consolidated JV as the voice of the Spanish environmentalist youth before the FYEG, we have strengthened its role before the regional youth councils of Spain and before the Youth Council of Spain (CJE); we have also strengthened the voice and presence of the youth before the mother party, demonstrating that we are the present and the future of the party; in addition to strengthening statutes that concern the reality of youth, and three permanent workspaces (Ecofeminism, Communication and Political Action). But all this has been thanks to the work done as a team, which is necessary for the day-to-day work of a youth organization.

In addition, during the last five years, I have participated in several FYEG activities as a local organizer (FYEG General Assembly 2017 in Madrid or the beginning of the 2019 European Elections Campaign "Be Brave, Green Europe"), and also as a JV representative to FYEG in spaces such as the South MOs group, FYEG General Assemblies and Mo Forums held in the last five years. I have also participated in the group of young candidates during the 2019 European elections and as a candidate for a local institution.

This complete introduction to my experience within the green youth spaces of both JV and FYEG would not be possible without the work previously done in other spaces such as NGOs, university associations or LGBTIQ+ associations.

In addition to my experience in the professional field in the NGO sector. To this, we must also add my knowledge acquired through a double degree in Sociology and International Relations, a postgraduate degree in development, and several courses in political communication, big data, migration and international relations. Also thanks to the fact that through my academic, activist and work experience I have specialized in gender, the LGBTIQ+ collective and social rights, in addition to acquiring knowledge in migration and environment and climate change.

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## FYEG'S EC CANDIDACY

My candidacy to the EC has as its main objective to bring my experience and my work to FYEG, in addition to giving the opportunity to new activists as this great organization has done in the past with me. I also think it is important to emphasize that my motivation is to work on FYEG's candidacy for the European elections together with the European Green Party, promoting the candidacies of young people, dissidents and social minorities.

I would also like to base my work on four fundamental axes, (1) to promote the importance of rural and island areas of Europe, which are often isolated from European policies; (2) to fight for a Europe where security is not only a militaristic concept and association with war but a concept associated with the freedom to live without violence; (3) to create youth policies that take into account the economic and social reality of all sectors that make up society; and (4) to create a care policy within FYEG that takes into account the needs of both members of elected bodies and FYEG workers as well as members of the international teams of each MO from north to south, from east to west.

For years I have collaborated with FYEG as an activist, sometimes in events, sometimes in meetings or working groups, but I think it is time to take a step forward and work for all young people in Europe for a sustainable, socially just and diverse future. A step for all.

A hug from the Canary Islands,  
Antonio (They/He)

# ANTONIO G. GONZÁLEZ

## FYEG'S EC CANDIDACY

### Vision on FYEG

The Federation of Young European Greens is an example of the progress and welfare of young people in Europe and the world. Step by step it has built a diverse organization that stands for the values of unity and the defence of human rights and the struggle for a just transition and social justice in Europe. FYEG is open and welcoming, from the moment I started participating they have opened their arms and spaces to me, something very important in a youth organization in such a complex geographical area.

The vision I have for FYEG is to continue the previous work that has been done by both the outgoing EC and the FYEG technical office, in addition to all my colleagues from the MOs and former members of the previous ECs. My mandate within the EC would be to improve step by step the work and objectives of the organization. This requires an analysis of the general needs of both the MOs as grassroots organizations and those who build the FYEG, as well as taking into account the working people of the technical staff of the FYEG office. The welfare of all and care policies must be a reality in the FYEG, this is a political space of convergence but that does not mean that care is left aside. Care is one of the great feminist bases of the organization.

Well-being and safety, both in the absence of violence, are one of the three pillars of my vision for FYEG. Working for social justice both inside and outside the organization, for young women in Europe and all over the world, a social justice that is also global.

The diversity and plurality of social realities is an innate characteristic of FYEG, but that does not mean that it is all done. We have to continue working for the organization to remain plural and diverse. For this, the opening of the working groups to people who are not only part of the MOs and who share our values can be a tool to expand the number of activists within the FYEG. Also, the continuous work in all areas of FYEG to realize the needs of the different social groups is something basic in the work of an organization.

# ANTONIO G. GONZÁLEZ

## FYEG'S EC CANDIDACY

Finally the policies of FYEG, and also as a tool of nexus with the institutions of the European Union and the Council of Europe, in addition to the EGP, it is necessary to take into account all those territories that are not big cities; these are the island territories, largely dependent on the continent in day to day activities, such as rural areas that have been seen as an alternative and basic axis of life in all countries of Europe, and that burden a low development because the resources have always been intended for large cities and wealthy regions.

These three pillars of my thinking and vision of the future of FYEG will constitute part of my work within FYEG in addition to the necessary work that will have to be done and that the mandate of the GA will give to the colleagues of the new EC. Also, it is necessary to work to prepare for the European elections of 2024 in addition to supporting the young women candidates running for the various elections during this period.

Finally, I would also add the strengthening of relations with green organizations in countries and continents where we have more relations such as the Maghreb, Latin America and Africa. In addition to the continuity of the work with the European institutions, the impact on the EGP as in the European Youth Forum.

Current affairs are always a pressing issue, the war in Ukraine, energy dependence on Russia; the economic crises generated by the pandemic of covid-19 and the war in Ukraine, even the vestiges of the 2008 crisis; the attack on the rule of law is violated in several countries in Europe; social and civil liberties are also in question; And of course, the great threat of youth, climate change; all these issues must be intersectional with the work of the people who form the EC of the FYEG since a work without taking into account the social and current reality would be invalidated by not reaching the needs of the population.

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## FYEG'S EC CANDIDACY

Finally, I think it is important that in this moment of political instability in which youth are the present and the future of democracy and freedoms, we need to be able to motivate ourselves in those small steps we take every day here is a poem by the Spanish poet Miguel Hernandez.

La Juventud Siempre Empuja,  
La Juventud Siempre Vence.

Y La Salvación De [España] Europa  
De Su Juventud Depende

Youth Always Pushes,  
Youth Always Wins.

And The Salvation Of [Spain] Europe  
On Its Youth Relies

A hug from the Canary Islands,  
Antonio



# Antonio G. González



## PROFILE OVERVIEW

I am Antonio García González, a sociologist and internationalist, as well as a development expert, specializing in LGBTIQ+ studies, gender, migration, environment and climate change.

## BASIC SKILLS

- Situation analysis and resolution.
- Project and policy coordination.
- Analysis and work in advocacy and political communication.
- High level of English, as well as knowledge of French and Portuguese.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Project Management

*Plan International España | Sept. 2019- March 2020*

The main functions have been the coordination of development and humanitarian aid projects as well as management and accountability to the public administration.

### Political Advocacy

*Juventud Verde | Dec. 2017 - Nov. 2021*

The main functions in the position have been the coordination of Juventud Verde and its Permanent Commission, in addition to the political advocacy that is carried out from the JV.

## ACADEMIC RECORD

### Universidad Complutense de Madrid

*University Degree | Sept 2015 - Jul 2021.*

Double Degree in Sociology and International Relations and Development Expert.

- Specialization in Gender, Migration and Environment.

### University Courses

*Multiple Universities*

- Course in Political Consultancy for Governments and Public Administrations.
- Course in International Public Law.
- Course on International Cooperation for Development.
- Course in International Migration.

## OTHER REFERENCES

- Experience in projects and public policies.
- Experience at European and national levels.
- Volunteering in the third sector.
- Political activism in assembly organizations.

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# Antonio G. González

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Project Management

**Sep. 2019 - Mar. 2020 | Plan Internacional España  
International Programs Department**

Paid Internship. The main functions in the position have been the coordination of development cooperation and humanitarian aid projects in Asia, the Middle East, East and South Africa. Along with this, the accountability and management before the Public Administration. All this with a focus on gender and the protection of children and youth. Sector: Non-Governmental Organizations, International Cooperation and Humanitarian Aid.

## NON-FORMAL EXPERIENCE

### Co-Spokesperson

**Oct. 2019 - Nov. 2021 | Juventud Verde**

The main functions in the position have been the coordination with the co-spokesperson of the Green Youth and its Permanent Commission, in addition to the political advocacy that is carried out from the Green Youth to the outside, both with political parties and youth organizations. Sector: Political Advocacy.

### International Officer

**Dec. 2017 - Oct. 2019 | Juventud Verde**

The main functions in the position have been the liaison and work between the Federation of Young European Greens and Juventud Verde as well as the management as secretary of the latter. Sector: Political Advocacy.

### Volunteer

**Nov. 2014 - Dec. 2017 | AFS Intercultura**

The main duties in the position have been working with students between 14 and 18 years old of different nationalities in a non-profit educational organization. Sector: Non-Governmental Organization, Non-Formal Education.

# Antonio G. González

## ACADEMIC RECORD

**Double Degree in Sociology and International Relations and Development Expert.**

*Universidad Complutense de Madrid*

*Sept. 2015 - July 2021*

Specialization in LGBTIQ+ Studies, Gender, Migrations, and Environment and Climate Change.

## University Courses

**Fundación General Universidad de La Laguna**

Introduction to Big Data: extracting knowledge from data.

**Escuela Complutense de Verano 2021**

Course on Policy Advice to Governments and Public Administrations.

**Unidad de Igualdad UCM**

Course on Alternative Masculinities.

**Institut d'études politiques de Paris (SciencePo) - Coursea**

Course on International Migration.

**Escuela Complutense de Verano 2018**

Course International cooperation for development: policy, management and instruments.

**Escuela Complutense de Verano 2017**

Course on International Law and International Relations. Current Issues.

## Other Courses

**Plan International Spain**

- Child Safeguarding and Protection Course. Plan International Spain, 2019.
- Gender mainstreaming course in the project cycle. Red OND Madrid, 2019.

**AFS Intercultura Spain**

- EFIL Study Session: Refugee Crisis, Budapest, 2017.
- Course on Human Rights, Migration and Interculturality, Spanish Youth Council, Madrid, 2016.

**Diplomatic School of Spain**

The Public Diplomacy Tools that the State Department uses to communicate with the world: the Iranian nuclear case, Diplomatic School of Spain, Madrid, 2016.

# Antonio G. González

## SKILLS

### Communication and Organizational Skills

- Good communication skills in the personal, intrapersonal and public spheres, acquired through my participation in debates and simulations of the European Union and the United Nations.
- Leadership (in charge of a group of up to 15 people).
- Event organization (organization of COMPIMUN 2016, COMPIMUN 2017, FYEG General Assembly 2017, Event "Be Brave! Green Europe!": European elections campaign, etc.).
- Logistics Management. (travel, transportation, shipments, etc.)
- Social Media Management and editing of images and materials.

### Language Skills

**Native Language: Spanish**

**Other Languages**

	Understand		Speak		Writing Expression
	Hearing	Reading	Feedback	Expression	
English	C1	C1	C1	C1	C1
French	A2	A2	A2	A2	A2
Portuguese	A1	A1	A1	A1	A1



## Support letter

### Antonio G. González, EC Candidate

To every FYEG activist, Mos, EC and OCE:

As the Spanish Young Greens (Juventud Verde), we are addressing this letter to your team in order to show all of our support to one of our Members, as a candidate to the Executive Committee of FYEG.

At the executive board of Juventud Verde, we are here to inform you all that Antonio González, co-spokesperson of the organization between 2019 and 2021, has decided to advance their involvement as a green activist and present their candidature for the open position within the Executive Committee of FYEG for the upcoming GA Assembly, taking place in Karlsruhe (Germany).

Antonio González has been working with us for the last seven years, getting involved at many different levels: as the Manager of International Relations, Head of Communication, Ecofeminist Committee Coordinator and as a Delegate of the Youth Council of Spain. They have been at the forefront of each role taken from our organization, in the steps taken to accompany the changes in the mother party transferring their knowledge and commitment to the people who became part of the new executive committee of Juventud Verde. Antonio has been involved and strengthened their mediation skills in both inside and outside of the organization, with a proactivity to deal with conflicts, embodying the ethics of care that characterizes their philosophy and practice.

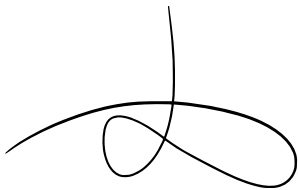
Our challenge as youth political organizations today is to be able to put in practice and incarnate the values of care and resilience that we constantly defend. In this sense, Antonio's candidacy is an opportunity to bridge this gap because of their experience and commitment to make these values a reality in every realm of the organization. Their engagement to social justice, respect for diversity, feminist values, the protection of the ecosystem and their continuous fight against hate speech and discrimination are founding values of the Executive Committee of Juventud Verde. The capacity for compromise and constant work are also key realities that we want to emphasize in the candidacy presented by Antonio.

Antonio's praxis consistency, integrity and political coherence make it clear that if we are all contingent, they are necessary. There are no words we can write to do Antonio justice. They are not only a person deeply committed to freedom, social justice and ecologism but they are probably one of the best people anyone could meet. A person with incalculable human value and a heart of immeasurable size.

We hope you will consider their application favorably, we want to thank you for taking the time to read this letter, and we look forward to hearing from you in the near future. Please feel free to contact us for any further information. You will find our contact information below, and we are available to speak at anytime .

Yours sincerely,

**On behalf of Juventud Verde's EC**

A handwritten signature in black ink, featuring a stylized, flowing script that starts with a long horizontal stroke and ends with a loop.

**Ángel Esteban Villabona**

**Juventud Verde's co-spokesperson**



Giovani Europeisti Verdi  
Rome  
Italy

We are happy to express our deepest support for Antonio, applying as FYEG EC Member. We believe Antonio will be a great addition for FYEG Executive Committee.

Antonio is a very experienced member of the FYEG family. Their experience in the youth green movement is impressive and they know very well the Federation and its history. This is a great added value for an EC Member and will allow them to support the group in a conscious and proactive way.

Moreover, we believe Antonio is a solid representative of southern and more remoted regions, as they know very well the struggles and issues of these areas.

Therefore, we hope Antonio will be become an EC member and contribute with all their skills to the work of our Federation

If you have any questions or wish to have further information, please do not hesitate to contact us by writing to [giovanieuropeistiverdi@gmail.com](mailto:giovanieuropeistiverdi@gmail.com)

Green Regards,

**Luca Boccoli & Francesca Cucchiara**

**National Co-Spokesperson**

**Giovani Europeisti Verdi**

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**Subject: Support Letter for the FYEG Political Platform Committee**

Lisbon, 21th April 2022

Dear Federation of Young European Greens,

Ecolojovem – Os Verdes supports Antonio García González's candidacy for Executive Committee of the Federation of Young European Greens.

Yours sincerely,

Ecolojovem – Os Verdes National Committee.



## **Letter of support for the candidacy of Antonio G. González for the Executive Committee of FYEG**

To whoever it may concern,

With this letter, we, *écolo j* (Belgian Young Greens) would like to express our support for the candidacy of Antonio G. González in the upcoming FYEG General Assembly 2022 as a candidate of FYEG's Executive Committee member.

We have read Antonio's CV, motivation letter and vision for FYEG and we truly believe that Antonio will be a great addition to the next Committee!

We would be thrilled to collaborate and work with Antonio on his mandate to put his vision for FYEG into practice and to develop collaboration between FYEG member organisations in this challenging time for green youth.

The team of *écolo j*



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To the 2022 General Assembly of the  
Federation of Young European Greens

Brussels, 27 April 2022

### **Re: Candidacy of Antonio González for the Executive Committee**

Dear friends,

We are writing to you in support of Antonio González's candidacy for the FYEG Executive Committee.

Coming from an overseas territory and with a background in sociology, Antonio's experience-related and academic contributions to FYEG's discussions gives members a valuable insight into our political work which is seldomly seen in public, that of people from the countryside and European territories outside the continent who feel gradually left behind in national and European policy-making. Therefore, we welcome this valuable opportunity for our movement to involve a diverse spectrum of young people in Europe, be it from the cities, the countryside or from the overseas territories.

We appreciate Antonio's wish to strengthen relationships with green organisations outside Europe whose territories are much involved with the EU's different policies such as the Maghreb, Latin America and Africa. We also value Antonio's vision to fully realise the policies of activist care which the Federation has been proudly advocating for some time.

For these reasons, we support Antonio González's candidacy for the Executive Committee and hope for your kind consideration in the General Assembly.

With kind regards on behalf of Jong Groen,

  
**Asher Serrana**  
International Secretary

  
**Paola Travella**

  
**Jordy Sabels**

Co-Presidents

## **Support letter**

### **Antonio G. García | EC Candidate**

#### **To FYEG's MOs, EC, Office and every activist:**

With this letter, Joves Ecosocialistes, FYEG's Member Organisation in Catalonia, shows its support to our colleague **Antonio G. García** in their candidacy to become an Executive Committee member of the Federation of Young European Greens. Joves Ecosocialistes values not only Antonio's commitment and participation as an international activist in a variety of spaces of FYEG, but also their great work in Juventud Verde (the Spanish Young Greens), especially in the successful development of their responsibilities in the past as International Officer and as co-spokesperson. Besides that, Antonio is active at the Spanish level as a fierce LGBTIQ+ activist, an area that Joves Ecosocialistes also considers key, specially in Catalonia and Spain, where transxclusionary discourses are endangering the rights of the LGBTIQ+ community.

As Joves Ecosocialistes, we appreciate the efforts that the Green Family in general, and the FYEG in particular, has been putting in place to ensure that the Green Wave unrolls in Southern Europe. We also highly regard the Federation's genuine respect for stateless nations and national and cultural minorities, consistently present in our European Family. During the last years, we have seen how Antonio's political and organisational views are enriched by his background as a Canarie activist. Therefore, we are certain that Antonio means for FYEG an even deeper and stronger commitment with the South and with the promotion of the rights and specificities of stateless nations and their democratic and progressive demands. We believe this will enhance the presence of the Greens in Spain and in Southern Europe in general, which we regard as essential towards one of the biggest challenges we will face as a Federation: the 2024 EU Elections.

We want to take this opportunity to thank Antonio for putting the effort in reaching out to our organisation in Catalan. Gràcies, i molta sort!

On behalf of the National Coordination Board of Joves Ecosocialistes,

**Dani Sosa Caballero**  
co-spokesperson

**Anna Winkelmann Larios**  
co-spokesperson



Wohlen, Switzerland, April 27<sup>th</sup> 2022

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### **Support letter for Antonio González as an EC-Member of FYEG in the 2022-23 term**

Dear green friends,

Swiss Young Greens support the candidacy of Antonio for one of the positions in FYEG's EC. Antonio is actively involved in the young green movement and in FYEG. We appreciate his activism and contributions to the movement and FYEG in particular.

We are convinced that Antonio will do a great job as an EC-Member. Swiss Young Greens particularly like his experience in organising events, his academic background in sociology and his plans to focus on underdeveloped and structurally disadvantaged regions. Furthermore we like his plans to further evolve and adapt FYEG's structures

We wish him good luck for the elections and are looking forward to working with him!

sustainable and warm regards,  
*On behalf of the Swiss Young Greens' International Coordination*  
Sebastian Knecht

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Delegates to the GA, FYEG office personnel and EC Members of MOs are invited to address further questions about the Swiss Young Greens' support letters to the above email.

*A brief outline of Swiss Young Greens' support and nomination letter policy: In general Swiss Young Greens provide a support or nomination letter for every candidate seeking our support or asking for nomination, though this doesn't match a guaranteed vote for that person. This decision was taken because we don't want to prevent anyone from running for a FYEG structure who is willing to put in a considerable amount of time, energy and passion on a voluntary basis. Swiss Young Greens' International Coordination is taking a decision about who their delegates are going to elect when all the contestants are on display. This is thought as a transparency statement towards candidates and delegates.*



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## Letter of support

Dear green friends,

We are pleased to inform you that „Ostra Zieleń” – Polish Young Greens supports the candidacy of Antonio G. González for the Executive Committee of Federation of Young European Greens (FYEG). We believe that Southern Europe needs its representation in the EC just as much as Eastern Europe needs it. Antonio is the right person for that. We see their vision for FYEG as valuable and in line with the green values.

We wish Antonio good luck for the elections and look forward to working with them!

**On behalf of „Ostra Zieleń” – Polish Young Greens,**

**Igor Skórzybót**

**International Secretary and EC Member**





Amy Smith  
Co-Convenor  
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20.04.2022

Dear Federation of Young European Greens,

I am writing on behalf of the Scottish Young Greens to support Antonio G. González' nomination as Executive Committee member of FYEG.

SYG is happy to support Antonio in their candidacy. Their work and enthusiasm over the years as a delegate and participant of FYEG events have impressed members of the Scottish Young Greens council and we have confidence that they would be a fantastic and capable member of the Executive Committee.

Their ambitious vision for the future of FYEG is inspiring and shows their commitment to the just transition and social justice in Europe.

Their vision for FYEG reflects their values and dedications and we believe they will be making a positive impact on the work of FYEG.

Antonio has the experience, expertise and ambition needed for the role. Therefore, we are keen to support their candidacy.

All the best,

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Amy Smith  
Co-Convenor



# Young Greens

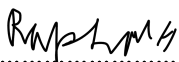
27 April 2022

To whom it may concern,

On the behalf of the Young Greens of England & Wales Executive Committee, I can confirm that Antonio González has received our letter of recommendation to stand as a candidate for the Federation of Young European Greens Executive Committee.

Antonio has been active in FYEG for a long time so is well placed to take a role in the FYEG EC. We are aware that Antonio has fought for the liberation of queer people within the Spanish Young Green movement, and we are keen to see someone with this background on the EC since we hope they can use their experience to support us on this issue. Antonio's prior experience as Co-Spokesperson and International Officer for Juventud Verde will also be useful for the FYEG EC to have. We are keen to support them in their proposals to use their experience to improve links with organizations in the Maghreb, Latin America and Africa.

**Signed:**

  
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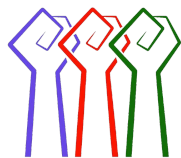
Raphael Hill

**Position:**

International Officer

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Zelena Omladina Srbije  
Dr. Dragoslava Popovića 24, Beograd

## Letter of support

The Green Youth of Serbia (ZOS) is pleased to hereby endorse the candidacy of Antonio Gonzales for the position of Executive Committee of Federation of Young European Greens for 2022/23.

Members of ZOS had the opportunity to meet Antonio at different FYEG events in the past years and witness his devotion to Green ideas we all wish to push forward. We believe Antonio would make a great addition to the structure of the Executive Committee, and that they would demonstrate high levels of commitment and manage to bring fresh perspectives and ideas into the organisation.

Having in mind Antonio's considerate presence within Young Greens we are confident they have the right skills and motivation to take on the mentioned position, for which we support their candidacy at the upcoming General Assembly.

Belgrade, 26.04.2022

On behalf of Green Youth of Serbia,  
Co-Secretariat

Milan Zlatanovic

Elena Petrovska

## Letter of support for the candidacy of Antonio G. González for the Executive Committee of FYEG

To whoever it may concern,

With this letter, we, Νέοι Πράσινοι - Neoi Prasinoi (Greek Young Greens) would like to express our support for the candidacy of Antonio G. González in the upcoming FYEG GA22 as a potential member of FYEG's Executive Committee.

We have read Antonio's CV, motivation letter and vision for FYEG and we truly believe that Antonio will be a great addition to the next Committee! Moreover, another important reason, why we are happy to support Antonio's candidacy, is our experience in our various collaborations all these years. We admire Antonio's passion, political and activist approaches and how well organised they/he are. We are confident that Antonio will express the South regions' perspective, help empower the weaker MOs and play a key role in improving the work and objectives of the Federation as a whole.

Antonio can be described as a magnificent person with a kind heart and we would be thrilled to work with them/him as a member of the EC. Current affairs are indeed a pressing issue on many levels, but with Antonio by our side, we are sure that we will manage to stand Brave and Strong in our fight for a better future for all!

Please consider supporting Antonio's candidacy as well,  
The team of Νέοι Πράσινοι - Neoi Prasinoi



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**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN**

Dear Friends,

**Support letter for Antonio García González**  
**FYEG Executive Committee Candidacy**

This is to confirm that Antonio G. González is supported by our organisation for the position on the Executive Committee of the Young European Greens. We believe Antonio will be a conscientious member of the Executive Committee of FYEG, who has a lot to offer in this position. His devotion, responsibility and knowledge are valuable assets for the Federation.

Antonio has been active in the FYEG bodies for a long time and managed to prove that he is a key person for the success of the FYEG's aims and activities. It's also important to highlight that Antonio comes from Juventud Verde (the Spanish Young Greens) an organisation of South; therefore, it will be an important addition in the Committee. For us, Young Cyprus Greens, a South member organisation, it's vital to have representation. Finally, we believe that he is a strong young individual with a lot to offer and the position fits his profile to make FYEG more diverse and inclusive.

We remain at your disposal for any further information that may be required.

Best regards,



**Kyriaki Yiannouri**

Secretary General

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