

R3 A2: Weeding out right-wing extremism

Proposers

Scottish Young Greens

Motion text

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The terrorist attacks of Christchurch spurred an international reaction to combat and remove violent extremist and terrorist content from ~~online fora~~ the easily accessible surface web. While these efforts were fruitful in removing the most heinous of content,

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platforms also provide an avenue for outside influencing, like Russian hybrid warfare, and the spread of violent conspiracy theories, like Q-Anon.

Tackling far-right radicalisation should happen at an early age. Schools at all levels should be required to have plans for and be allocated resources for challenging the Far Right, developing tolerance of diversity and enhancing social cohesion. There should be monitoring of hate crime in schools with incidents of different subcategories including Islamophobia, antisemitism, homophobia, transphobia, and misogyny recorded distinctly

Reason

Addition to talk about tackling far-right extremism from an early age through education. Prevention rather than cure.