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Agenda item: 5. Financial Control and Advisory Committee Candidates

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Dear FYEG's 2025 General Assembly,

The Europe we all want is one that is federal, democratic, and sustainable; not the fractured, misinformed, and exploitative union we currently have.

We play an essential role in the campaign for this Europe. We dedicate hours of our lives to advocating for progressive policies, changing people's minds on the doorstep, and building the activist communities that keep the movement going.

Our movement sadly functions within the capitalist hellhole we all inhabit. We consequently must ensure the financial security of FYEG so that the fight against climate change and fascism only ceases when we have obtained the sustainable federal democracy that we dream of, not insolvency.

Therefore, I will use my cost control and fundraising experience to work with my prospective fellow Financial Control and Advisory Committee (FCAC) member, Theo Lecarpentiar, in assisting the Treasurer and Secretary-General in financial decisions, ensuring the congruency of FYEG's expenses and resolutions, and presenting this information in an accessible and engaging format to delegates in the General Assembly.

I would be eternally grateful to be elected to the Financial Control and Advisory Committee of FYEG and have the opportunity to safeguard the movement's future.

In solidarity,

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OBJECTIVE

Transport planner and urbanist campaigner aiming to couple financial experience with strong English language skills to secure FYEG's future.

VOLUNTEERING EXPERIENCE

Beyond-growth platform member | FYEG |
Apr. 2025 – Present

- Assist in projects that further FYEG's commitment to degrowth

International Committee Member & Bristol Co-Chair | Young Greens | Oct./Jul. 2024 – Present

- Coordinate events with our local MP etc.
- Organise social media strategy

Delegate to European Green Party | Green Party of England and Wales | Apr. 2023 – Feb. 2024

- Attended negotiations on 2024 EU Manifesto

Digital Lead | Old Market Community Association | Apr. 2023 – Feb. 2025

- Secured gov. funding for community bus

Fundraiser | Personal | Aug. 2010 – Jul. 2019

- Cycled length of Britain over ten summer holidays and fundraised £16k+ via socials

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Transport Development Planner | Bristol City Council | April 2024 - Present

- Appraisal of planning applications against transport policy and legislation
- Assisting in delivery of transport projects and policy
- Co-Chair of Queer Employee Network

Project Management Degree Apprentice | AtkinsRéalis | Sep. 2022 – Mar. 2024

- Management of project and framework financials through cost control
- Management of governance documentation

EDUCATION

Transport Planning and Engineering MSc | University of the West of England | 2024-2027

Project Management Foundation Degree | Northumbria University | 2022-2024