

Katharine Macy for International Committee

Accessibility

Given my previous work on the YL Exec as Accessibility, & Diversity, I hope to use my skills to work on the international aspect of YL which can often come across as inaccessible.

I hope to work with the International officer to ensure delegates are supported with the stress of travel by each other and the exec.

Sustainability

I will work alongside the International Officer to create a sustainable fund for the officer and delegates.

Costs limit people from certain backgrounds getting involved and International has the highest personal costs. We must protect the grants and make them sustainable without taking them from other roles.

Diversity

Any committee is at its best when it is diverse. By increasing accessibility and sustainability, diversity should naturally increase.

I will enshrine diversity in all international events to encourage people from all backgrounds and minorities to engage in international events where possible.

Experience

I was elected for the 2019-2020 committee and had begun arrangements to attend two in person conferences before covid-19 hit

I attended all online conferences possible during lockdown

I have expanded my understanding of how the international aspect of YL works, including voluntarily engaging in LYMEC's "Hear Out, Take Me In".