Vote for Iola Palmer-Stirling to be on the Young Liberals

International Committee



Why the International Committee

Now, more than ever, international relations have never been so important. If you chose to elect me as a member of the Young Liberal’s International Committee, I would seek to advance your ideas upwards to give the young members of the party a bigger voice. I would also seek to create a strong tie with the Policy Committee, to ensure that the Young Liberals are in agreement over their agenda.

About Me

My name is Iola Palmer-Stirling, I am 19 years old, and study Politics and International Relations BSc at the University of Bristol. Although my interest in politics can be traced back to the 2010 election, I first became a member of the Liberal Democrats after the 2015 election. I joined with a desire to become a part of their political comeback, believing that they offered a sensible and suitable alternative to the two extremes of the Conservative and Labour Party. My belief and commitment towards the party has only been reaffirmed by the recent political drama surrounding the hard Brexit that the Conservatives are pursuing, and the apparent lack of opposition provided by the Labour Party.

After helping local candidates to canvass support, I now want to get involved at a national level to help restore the fortunes of our party and ensure its contribution to our political landscape.

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Key issues of interest:

1. **European interests** – now more than ever I believe that it is vital that the Liberal Party remains unwavering in its stance towards the European Union and pursuing a second referendum.
2. **Environmental issues** – I am particularly passionate about finding international solutions to the ever-increasing threat of climate change and global warming.
3. **A commitment to advancing civil liberties** – throughout the world, many people do not live with the same human rights that we are guaranteed in the UK. I would to seek with the international bodies that the Liberal Democrats work with in order to help tackle this problem.
4. **Increasing transparency within politics in general and within the Liberal Democrats and the Young Liberals.**