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Why me?

From a very young age, I was surrounded by international politics and governance. I grew up around diplomats, embassies, and international organisations, learning more and more about the intricacies of global political systems with each passing year. Politics on an international scale is not only an important part of my work with FOGGS, but it also makes up a massive part of my personal projects and family life. As a multinational gay man, understanding the state of borders, treaties, and international relations is vital for my personal safety, so I am meticulous about keeping up to date and informed.

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I would commit myself to assisting any and all branches of the party in international matters, and would focus on building strong and long-lasting international relations for the YLs, laying the foundations for long-term partnerships and comprehensive foreign policy.

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