Call for: FYEG representative for the EGP committee

Deadline for application: July 10th, 2024 23:59 CET

The Committee of the European Green Party (EGP) is its executive body and is responsible for its political and strategic development and functioning within the budget and the guidelines approved by the Congress. The Committee consists of 13 members: 4 are elected for specific functions (Petit Committee: co-chairs, treasurer and Secretary-General), 8 are regular members and 1 seat is nominated by FYEG through an election in the General Assembly.

As established by the EGP Statutes, the mandate of the EGP Committee lasts 3 years. The FYEG representative to the EGP Committee follows the same deadlines as the EGP Committee. The next EGP Committee starts its mandate after its elections in the December 2024 Congress.

This is a volunteer (unpaid) position. Expenses linked to the exercise of this role will be fully reimbursed, including travel expenses and lodgement.

The FYEG representative in the EGP Committee is required to:

- Attend the EGP Committee meetings and retreats, and allocate time to carry on the tasks given. An increased load of work can be expected around the celebrations of EGP Congress as well as other EGP events.
- Attend the EGP Congresses.
- Attend at least one live FYEG Executive Committee retreat per year. The most convenient date will be agreed upon together with the FYEG EC and Office after checking the calendar of the EGP and FYEG
- Submit a report to the General Assembly per year. The report should detail the work done as FYEG representative in the EGP Committee
- Expect to be required to attend ad-hoc online EC meetings, for example ahead of EGP Congresses or other relevant events, processes, etc. organised by the EGP
- Expect to be asked to attend FYEG educational events and statutory meetings in representation of the EGP Committee

Above all, the FYEG representative to the EGP Committee should embody FYEG’s values and excel in the development of their activity.
Profile of the candidate:

- They must not be older than 35 years old at the year of election
- A working knowledge of the English language (written and oral) is necessary
- Relevant experience in FYEG, or in one of its Member Organisations. Experience in Member Parties of the EGP, especially in international committees, is also an asset
- Knowledge about the European Green Family, the role of its members, and its general functioning. General knowledge of European politics is also an asset.
- Passion for youth representation and advocating for youth rights
- Positive and proactive character
- Other qualities like public-speaking, programme design, and networking skills are assets for this position

Applications and procedures

In line with the Annex 1 of the Internal Rules of Procedure:

Applications should be sent via email to cinta.gonzalezsentis@fyeg.org before the deadline July 10th, 2024 23:59 CET. The email should contain the following attached documents in PDF format:

- A motivation letter
- An outline of the plans of the candidate for the organisation and/or a vision for EGP, specifically as FYEG representative in this body
- A detailed CV, highlighting relevant experiences in FYEG and FYEG Member Organisations
- A nomination letter from the Member Organisation the application belong(ed) to. If that is not possible, said Member Organisation must provide an explanation for the rejection of nomination. The possible candidate has the right to provide a letter of justification.

Following the reception of the application, the following procedure will be followed:

- A committee for a pre-selection of the candidates will be set up. The committee will consist of 4 people:
  - one current/former FYEG EC member,
  - one current/former FYEG Co-Spokesperson,
  - one current/former FYEG Secretary General, and
  - one representative of a FYEG Full Member Organisation
- Only applications including all required documents and sent before the given deadline will be examined taking into consideration both political and professional skills of the candidates.
- The committee will assess the candidates' experience and skills. A meeting will be arranged between the pre-selection committee and each applicant if deemed necessary to further assess the candidacies
Candidates are expected to present themselves at the General Assembly. The final decision on the nominee of FYEG to the EGP Committee is made by the General Assembly, regardless of the decision of the pre-selection committee to recommend the Executive Committee (EC) to endorse their candidacy.

In case a candidate is not recommended by the pre-selection committee, they will still be able to apply for the position and present themselves at the General Assembly, but the candidacy will not be endorsed by the EC.

All applications sent within the deadline and fulfilling all the conditions will be shared with FYEG’s MOs through the amendment tool, which is public. Therefore, all applicants should make sure not to include any personal contact information in the document. The documents will be deleted after the General Assembly.

If elected, your data will remain accessible on FYEG website at the latest until 1 year after the end of your mandate. If not elected, the data will be deleted up to three months after the end of the GA.

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