

# **YGN 2025 Strategic Committee Roles**

The Nuclear Institute (NI) is the professional body and learned society for the nuclear sector in the UK. It is a charitable organisation with almost 4,000 members at all levels across the nuclear industry, from new build and operations to decommissioning.

The Young Generation Network (YGN) is the young members section of the Nuclear Institute for the >1500 members under 37 years of age.

Run by passionate volunteers across the nuclear sector the YGNs mission is to encourage and develop those in the early stages of their career in the nuclear sector and ensure their voices are heard in shaping the future of the nuclear sector.

A list of YGN Strategic Committee Roles is presented below. The YGN Strategic Committee works together to ensure the mission of the YGN is met. The YGN mission is "To encourage and develop the UK's early career nuclear professionals, and ensure that their voice is heard in shaping the future of our sector". This is delivered by the following themes which can be seen below.

VISION: Inspiring opportunities for young nuclear professionals to encourage and develop the UK's early career nuclear professionals and MISSION: ensure that their voice is heard in shaping the future of our sector THEMES: **ENCOURAGE** Personal and professional Advocating for the voice of the Attracting a diverse range of development opportunities for young generation. people to start and sustain early career professionals. careers in the UK nuclear sector. Shaping the future of the sector. Helping YGN members progress Improving understanding of to professional membership and Collaborating with strategic nuclear science and technology. registration with the Nuclear initiatives and networks across Institute. the UK and internationally. • Nuclear Future Journal · NIC Young Generation Rep TACTICS: · Education & Outreach Leadership development events Next Generation NIC Undergraduate Engagement Chartership workshops YGN Futuresight Apprentice Engagement Future of Work SIG · Intro to... series · Raising awareness and Networking events · YGN reps on Nuclear Sector Deal Communications Audience with... series Working Groups NSSG Exciting the Next Technical Tours Nuclear Skills Strategy Group Generation Theme · Annual Seminar & Dinner · Women in Nuclear NSSG Sector Transferability National Speaking Competition · International Engagement · Nuclear for Climate, COP26 • Nuclear Sector Deal Targets Clean Energy Advocacy





All incoming Strategic Committee Leads must commit to becoming a member of the Nuclear Institute if voted in.

## **Secretary of Operations**

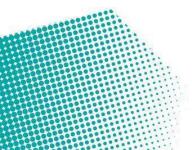
- Organises committee meetings, takes meeting minutes and maintains the actions log.
- Maintains the master schedule / programme of events.
- Supporting Chair, Ex-Chair and Vice Chairs, with any emergent issues and help run the committee.
- Maintains the shared storage drive.
- Serving the needs of the wider team, supporting leads who most need the additional resource.
- Hours per week required for role (approx.): 4 5 hrs
- For further information on the role, please contact: <a href="mailto:lauren.mcintyre@consultarc.com">lauren.mcintyre@consultarc.com</a>

#### **Finance Lead**

- Prepares and monitors the annual YGN budget;
- Maintains an up to date record of payments / invoices;
- Ensures there is budget adherence across YGN activities;
- Liaises with NI HQ Finance team.
- Hours per week required for role (approx.): 2 hrs
- For further information on the role, please contact: kevin.smith@risktec.tuv.com

### **Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion Lead**

- Leads on giving guidance to all areas within the committee to ensure ED&I objectives for all
  events
- Co-ordinates all activities of the YGN ED&I sub-team, including Posts and video/written interviews preparation and publication.
- Prepares and delivers the YGN ED&I series events with other networks led by the YGN.
- Coordinates and supports activities with other ED&I Leads in the Industry.
- Works closely with the Education, Attraction & Outreach team, reaching out to schools and universities with diverse students (background, education, religion, etc.).
- Creates an open and secure space for every YGN member to feel welcomed and accepted.
- Hours per week required for role (approx.): 4 -5 hrs
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#### **International Liaison Lead**

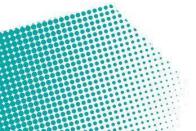
- Acts as the main point of contact between the UK-YGN and all international YGNs and communities.
- Leads on all international-facing UK-YGN activities throughout the year, including international technical visits and webinars.
- Attends 3 x ENS-YGN and 1x IYNC or 1x ENYGF (depending on which one is running) meetings per annum, representing UK-YGN on each board.
- Provides regular and timely feedback to the UK-YGN on international activities and opportunities.
- Shares UK-YGN events and learning with the international community.
- Takes part in, and leads on, international collaboration projects between the UK-YGN and YGNs around the world, including ENS-YGN and IYNC.
- Note this role requires time commitment to attend the above ENS YGN, IYNC and ENYGF international meetings. Part funding is available for T&S.
- Hours per week required for role (approx.): 4 hrs
- For further information on the role, please contact: <a href="mailto:jordan.hall@capgemini.com">jordan.hall@capgemini.com</a>

## **Education, Attraction & Outreach Lead**

- Co-ordinates activities of the Education, Attraction & Outreach sub-committee.
- Attends NI Outreach Committee as a YGN Representative.
- Enables volunteers to deliver outreach events aimed at school students to encourage them to consider opportunities within nuclear.
- Organises Outreach events for potential members of the YGN community (e.g., Graduate cohorts) to increase the number of YGN Members.
- Leads on Apprentice and University Engagement on behalf of the YGN.
- Co-ordinates YGN/Nuclear Industry attendance for at least 1 large-scale outreach event (e.g., New Scientist Live or the Big Bang Fair).
- Hours per week required for role (approx.): 5 hrs and may increase with leading up to events
- For further information on the role, please contact: <a href="mailto:lacey-jo.marsland@atkinsrealis.com">lacey-jo.marsland@atkinsrealis.com</a>

## **Membership Retention & Development Lead**

- Co-ordinates activities of the Member Retention and Development sub-team.
- Delivers the annual speaking competition, including liaising with regional NI branches.
- Arranges the series of YGN technical tours.
- Arranges the series of Professional Membership & Chartership workshops in liaison with the
- Arranges experienced community events.
- Co-ordinates with the YGN Chair on the delivery of the Annual Day Seminar & Dinner event.
- Hours per week required for role (approx.): 2 hrs and may increase with leading up to events
- For further information on the role, please contact: madeleine.knight@ukaea.uk



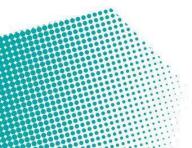


#### Intro to Series Lead

- Co-ordinates all activities of the Intro to Series sub-teams.
- Delivers the programme of YGN Intro to Series events.
- Develop programme of events and agree next years budget with the NI;.
- Manage the events budgets and programmes.
- Liaises with each Intro to Event delivery team to provide oversight, guidance and resolve emerging issues.
- Collates supporting material and records lessons learned.
- Works with other committee leads to identify sponsors, advertise and secure event attendees
- Hours per week required for role (approx.): 4 hrs
- For further information on the role, please contact: <a href="mailto:lucy.reynolds@jacobs.com">lucy.reynolds@jacobs.com</a>

### **Industry Liaison Lead**

- Oversee the Company Catalyst / Advocate Scheme to develop direction and improve relationships between industry and the YGN, including securing interest from additional companies.
- Support the Company Catalyst sub-committee team on engagement with the Company Catalyst Community.
- Developing and maintaining the YGN Stakeholder Spreadsheet.
- Lead and coordinate activities with the YGN Industry Partner.
- Liaise with young professional networks across and outside of the nuclear sector;
- Horizon scanning, looking for additional opportunities that can be provided to YGN members.
- Developing and maintaining relationships with the YGN's industry stakeholders and companies.
- Note that this role requires good availability to support meetings and workshops plus supporting a large sub-committee.
- Hours per week required for role (approx.): 4 5 hrs
- For further information on the role, please contact: chris.unsworth@jacobs.com





#### **Marketing & Communications Lead**

- Coordinates activities of the Marketing & Communications sub-team.
- Manages YGN Social media accounts (LinkedIn, Instagram & X). This includes:
  - Ownership of the Comms calendar
  - Ensuring optimised posting of information on upcoming events, webinars or appreciation days
  - Production of pro-nuclear advocacy material as part of integrating the core message of #NetZeroNeedsNuclear
  - o Positive communications to attract and encourage people to the industry
- Oversees collection and development of YGN content for Nuclear Future.
- Ownership of YGN Branding providing oversight to external facing imagery, stationery, merchandise, tone-of-voice guidelines etc. of YGN. Curation of Canva templates.
- Ensures website is kept up to date with news and events as required, liaise with other leads and NI HQ to ensure all sub-committees have the appropriate representation across the YGN webpages.
- Significant support and liaison with other committee leads to ensure events & activities are advertised, content is appropriate and data for continuous improvement is collected.
- Note that this role requires good continuous level of availability during the working week, subteam members and Comms scheduling does allow flexibility to this; though occasional urgent communication support.
- Hours per week required for role (approx.): 2 hrs
- For further information on the role, please contact: <a href="mailto:shorubhi.uthayakumaran@jacobs.com">shorubhi.uthayakumaran@jacobs.com</a>

