IIC FUTURE LEADERS' COMPETITION 2021

THE FUTURE IS BRIGHT WITH THE NEXT GENERATION

A competition, supported by members of the IIC, to encourage and promote original thought in the areas of communications and policy

Open to young professionals aged 35 and under, working within the TMT communications sector

International Institute of Communications

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO

This year's entrants are asked to produce a digital report of 3,000 - 4,000 words on the following topic:

"What principles should guide policy-makers in designing local and international approaches for internet intermediaries in the evolving communications environment?"

Entrants should:

- Demonstrate a clear point of view
- Demonstrate awareness and understanding of contending viewpoint
- Provide a structured, clear and cogent position and justification for that position

For a further explanation on this year's topic and further competition details please see here

WHAT YOU CAN WIN

- The overall winner will be invited to present at the Annual Conference (subject to current travel advice) with all expenses paid including £250 subsistence
- The winner will present to the sector's most senior regulators, government ministers, policy strategists and leading legal practitioners
- The top 10 entries will be published online and the submission from the overall winner will be published in the IIC's journal, InterMedia, which is distributed to all IIC members and beyond
- The top 10 entries will receive a year's complimentary membership to the IIC's Future Leaders' Network, which includes access to the IIC's networks and resources

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KEY DATES

April 2021
Competition now open for entries!

3rd July 2021
Final deadline for entries by 1600 GMT

24th September 2021
Winner announced

JUDGES

Chair: Derek Wilding
Co-Director, Centre for Media Transition, University of Technology, Sydney; President, IIC Australia Chapter

Vice-Chair: Andrea Millwood Hargrave
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