



International Youth Advisory Body (IYAB):
the group for the next three years has been appointed

7 October 2024 – The Dicastery for Laity, Family and Life is delighted to announce the appointment of the new members of the *International Youth Advisory Body (IYAB)*, once again composed of 20 young people from different regions across the world and several international movements, associations and communities.

The appointed members for the next three years include:

Australia: Madeline FORDE

Brazil: Erika TELES DOS SANTOS

Canada: Sally YASMINE

Colombia: Miguel Francisco ROJAS

NAVARRO

Cuba: Aniel Luis SANTIESTEBAN GARCIA

Denmark: Sara ANGELUCCI

France: Thibault PFEFFER

Guinea: Beatrice CAMARA

Hungary: Rita MATANYI

India: Freya FRANCIS

Indonesia: Nathaniel MARVEL ARIFIN

Korea: Jiun Anastasia LEE

Lebanon: Tracy ALCHALFOUN

Mexico: José Miguel GUTIÉRREZ

CARREÓN

Nigeria: Gosife EZE

Peru: Ximena Alejandra VALDIVIA MURO

Philippines: Giancarlo FRANCISCO

Portugal: Rodrigo GONÇALVES

FIGUEIREDO

United States: Wyatt OLIVAS

Zimbabwe: Selestino MUPFIGO

As for the first group, responsible for 2019-2023, this is the response to a specific request of the *Final Document of the Synod 2018*, which urged the establishment of such Body to support the activity of the Dicastery's Youth Office (cf. No. 123).

The group will play an important advisory and proactive role, collaborating in synodal style with the Dicastery, to further explore issues related to the pastoral care for youth and other topics of more general interest, including in cooperation with other Dicasteries of the Roman Curia.

The first meeting is expected to take place in Rome in December 2024.

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