

# ABIGAIL BOWDEN FOR WOMEN'S REP



- I'm 19, I grew up in South London and I'm currently studying Politics and Modern History at the University of Manchester.
- Within YL, I've been on Policy Committee for the last year and a half and have served as the London Vice Chair for the past year.
- Gender equality across politics is not good enough, and getting involved in politics for women comes with many more barriers. I want to be an approachable face within YL for women to come to with concerns, as well as someone who can help encourage women to get more involved.

**In addition to assisting the Accessibility, Diversity, and Standards Officer, I would promote gender equality by:**



working with the **Policy Officer**

- to encourage women to submit policy through training
- to continue the precedent of no man-man 'chairing pairings'



working with the **Events Officer**

- to ensure a gender balance of speakers at conference
- to create an inclusive space



working with the **Communications Officer**

- to create resources about women in politics
- to notify about any events for women