

# EFCA European Network of Future Leaders

## 1. Goals and Expectations

- Raise awareness of European Union and cohesion
- Spark interest of young people in EFCA activities and motivate Future Leaders (FLs) to become more engaged within EFCA (committees, conferences, etc.)
- Expand network beyond national boundaries
- Aim for active participation (1-2 FL/MA in group)
- Widen geographical and cross-disciplinary representation
- Encourage Members Associations (MAs) to support FLs' activities
- Support the growth of FL groups in MAs
- Share experience, information and ideas among FLs
- Broaden personal horizons and foster personality development

## 2. Membership

- FL must work for an EFCA Member Association or an EFCA Member-affiliated company
- Nomination must be submitted/supported by EFCA Member
- Age limit: ≤ 35 years, extendable if no member of the same MA can be found
- No limitation on the membership period

## 3. Organisation

- 4 meetings/year (2 in person, 2 online)
- 2-3 people should guide the group to ensure continuity (no hierarchy, no long terms)
- 2-3 people chosen annually but can continue their tasks if available and approved by all
- EFCA Secretariat (link between EFCA and the FLs) will provide administrative support whenever possible

## 4. Proposed Roadmap for 2026

- Q1:
  - 2-day in-person event in Brussels: programme in progress
  - Preparation 2026 FLs' Day Programme
- Q2:
  - Finalisation 2026 FL Day Programme
  - GAM & Conference in Türkiye (in person):
    - Day 1: GAM, FLs' Day, Welcome Reception
    - Day 2: Conference and GALA Dinner
    - Day 3: Social Programme

## 5. Future Leaders' Competition (Detailed guidelines available)

- 2 group members to serve as jury members (tbd within the group and depending on availability)
- Period: April – beginning of May, depending on the EFCA General Assembly Meeting (GAM) date
- Tasks:
  - Judge and classify the entries in line with the new competition rules adopted in 2024
  - Participate in 3-4 online meetings with the other jury members to discuss the entries