

WEAO Young Professionals Committee

Volunteer Roster 2025-2026

Last updated: July 2025



| Steering Committee | |
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| Responsibility: Leadership, Vision, and Overall Operations of the WEAO YP Committee | |
| Positions: Nominated and voted. | |
| Skills Developed: Leadership, Coordination, Communication, Planning | |
| Chair | Nathaly Villada |
| Vice-Chair | Shadab Sayeed |
| Past-Chair | Jonathan Rudyk |
| Committee Liaisons | |
| Responsibility: Official YP Liaisons to the various WEAO Committees | |
| Positions: By appointment. | |
| Skills Developed: Communication, Technical, Forward Thinking (collaboration), Networking | |
| Asset Management | Niranjana Babu |
| Awards | Open position |
| Climate Change | Amber Klassen |
| Collection Systems | Olivia Hughes |
| Conference | Aby Sabzwari |
| Equity, Diversity and Inclusion | Sabrina Chang |
| Government Affairs | Nishil Mohammed |
| Intelligent Water Solutions | Nathaly Villada |
| Magazine | Minou Lotifkamran |
| Operations Challenge | Nailin Thillanayagam and Nathaly Villada |
| OPWA YP Liaison | Open position |
| OWWA YP Liaison | Emily Bridgehouse |
| Public Engagement and Education | Mona Hafez |
| Residuals and Biosolids | Aashirwad Sangal and Amber Klassen |
| Stormwater | Olivia Hughes |
| Utility Management | Stephanie Brothers |
| Wastewater Treatment & Technologies (WWT&T) | Parnian Izadi |
| Water for People | Yvonne Zang |

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| Sub-Committee: Mentorship Responsibility: Organization and Coordination of the continuous mentorship program, including matching of the mentors/mentees, and administration of the mentorship program guidelines. Skills Developed: Networking, Coordination, Organization | |
| Shane Blakely (Lead) | Govind Nadadur |
| Sarah Long (Lead) | Nathaly Villada |
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| Sub-Committee: Professional Development Responsibility: Organization of informative, and technical seminars, plant tours, and other professional development events. Skills Developed: Event Planning, Technical, Networking, Communication (Written, Verbal, Presentations) | |
| Amir Esmaeili (Lead) | Dillon Vijan |
| Guillian Morgan | Jonathan Rudyk |
| Mona Hafez | Lin Sun |
| Alexandra Szewczyk | Sarah Long |
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| Sub-Committee: Scholarship Responsibility: Organization and Coordination of the annual Scholarship Program. Skills Developed: Writing, Marketing, Evaluation | |
| Tyler Yang (Lead) | |
| Stephanie Tran | Aby Sabzwari |
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| Sub-Committee: Social Events Responsibility: Organization of fun social events to create networking, socializing, Skills Developed: Event Planning, Networking, Communication (Written, Verbal, Presentations), Marketing | |
| Amber Klassen (Lead) | Pooja Radadiya |
| Nico Carunungan | Niranjana Babu |
| Amir Esmaeili | Shadab Sayeed |
| | Dillon Vijan |
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| Sub-Committee: Student Chapter Program Responsibility: Coordination and Support for the WEAO Student Chapters in Ontario, including the annual Leadership Forum. (Buddies needed? Western, McMaster, Windsor) Skills Developed: Coordination, Presentations, Technical, Networking | |
| Mohammad Noor Tamim (Lead) | Nailin Thillanayagam |
| Xiaoyu Sun | |
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| Sub-Committee: Student Design Competition Responsibility: Organization and Coordination of the annual Student Design Competition. Skills Developed: Coordination, Technical, Networking, Communication (Verbal, Presentations) | |

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| Frank Feng (Lead) | Pooja Radadiya |
| Subhajit Mondal (Lead) | Kelly Ward |
| Ashirwad Sangal | Allison Cox |
| Sub-Committee: Communications | |
| Minou Lotfikamran (Lead) | Sabrina Chang |
| Emily Bridgehouse | Alex Tysnda |
| Evelyn Tan | Subhajit Mondal |