# PPE YEAR BOOK 2020/21



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### WORD FROM THE DEAN

THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-2021 WAS AN ANNUS HORRIBILIS. IT STARTED MODERATELY WELL FOR THE FRESHMEN. AFTER THE FIRST WAVE OF THE CORONA PANDEMIC IN MARCH LAST YEAR, LIMITED EDUCATION ON CAMPUS BECAME POSSIBLE AGAIN. THE NEW STUDENTS MET IN PERSON IN THE COLLEGE AND DESPITE ALL RESTRICTIONS THEY COULD EXPERIENCE THE COMMUNITY LIFE AT THE JS MILL COLLEGE. WE WERE CAREFULLY PLANNING TO SEE OUR SECOND YEAR STUDENTS AGAIN IN NOVEMBER. MUCH TO EVERYONE'S REGRET, THIRD YEAR STUDENTS SAW THEIR INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGES AND MOST OF INTERNSHIPS CANCELLED. IN OCTOBER FURTHER DISASTER STRUCK IN THE FORM OF NEW WAVES OF THE CORONA PANDEMIC AND EVERY PROSPECT OF NORMAL UNIVERSITY LIFE HAD TO BE ABANDONED AGAIN. THE STUDENT COMMUNITY OF THE JS MILL COLLEGE BECAME A VIRTUAL COMMUNITY THAT EXISTED ONLINE ONLY. WE HAVE SURVIVED THOUGH, DESPITE ALL THE CHALLENGES. IT HAS BEEN PROVEN THAT WATCHING LECTURES AND PARTICIPATING IN SEMINARS 16 HOURS PER WEEK IS POSSIBLE, THE DISCOMFORT NOTWITHSTANDING. EXAMS WITH ONLINE PROCTORED ARE OBJECTIONABLE FROM A PRIVACY POINT OF VIEW BUT AT LEAST STUDY DELAYS COULD BE AVOIDED. EXTRACURRICULAR EVENTS ONLINE ARE LESS ENGAGING BUT ALLOWED US TO INVITE SPEAKERS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD. WHILE WRITING THIS FOREWORD, THE FIRST SILVER LININGS BECOME VISIBLE. HYBRID TEACHING HAS BECOME POSSIBLE AGAIN AND IN SEPTEMBER EDUCATION IS EXPECTED TO GO BACK TO NORMAL.

DESPITE ALL THE RESTRICTIONS AND UNPLEASANTNESS, I AM CONFIDENT THE YEAR WILL HAVE BEEN A VALUABLE EXPERIENCE. THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIETAL DISRUPTION ILLUSTRATED THE FRAGILITY OF OUR COMPLEX AND HIGHLY ORGANIZED SOCIETY. THE COMMENSURABILITY OF LIVES AND COMMODITIES BECAME AN URGENT POLICY ISSUE. THE IMPORTANCE OF SOCIAL NETWORKS COULD BE FELT AT AN EXISTENTIAL LEVEL. I FINALLY COULD UNDERSTAND WHAT THE FRENCH EXISTENTIALISTS' ENNUI WAS ABOUT. THE EXPERIENCE OF THIS SITUATION WILL HAVE A PROFOUND INFLUENCE ON YOUR FUTURE LIVE. THE COLLAPSE OF COMMUNISM DURING MY OWN STUDENT YEARS STILL HAS AN INFLUENCE ON MY POLITICAL VIEWS AND BELIEF IN PROGRESS. I DO NOT DOUBT THE EXPERIENCE OF THE PANDEMIC WILL HAVE A LASTING INFLUENCE ON YOUR PHILOSOPHICAL, POLITICAL, AND ECONOMICAL VIEWS IN WAYS THAT ARE AT PRESENT HARD TO PREDICT.

THIS YEARS' YEARBOOK WILL PORTRAY THE PEOPLE YOU HAD CONTACT WITH MOSTLY OR EXCLUSIVELY IN A VIRTUAL WORLD. NORMALLY, THE IMAGES IN A YEARBOOK SOON REPRESENT MEMORIES OF PEOPLE ONE ONCE KNEW. THE IMAGES IN THIS YEARBOOK ON THE OTHER HAND ARE SOON TO BECOME PEOPLE IN REAL LIFE AGAIN.

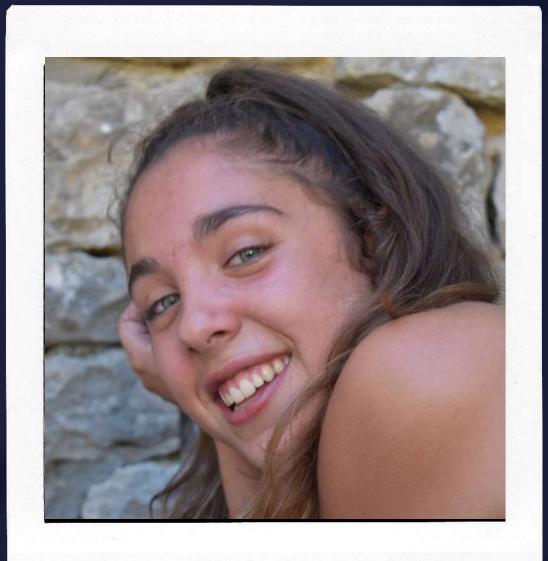
PROF. DR. LIEVEN DECOCK
DEAN OF THE JS MILL COLLEGE



# FIRST YEAR CLASS OF '23

### YOU ARE NEVER TOO SMALL TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE -GRETA THUNBERG





#### SOPHIA SCHAAPER

**AGE: 18 YEARS** 

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MY FAMILY AND MY FRIENDS, THEY MOTIVATE ME TO DO BETTER EVERY DAY:) - VERY GRATEFUL FOR THEM.

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRAVELING IN SOUTHERN (WARM) COUNTRIES AND VOLUNTEERING

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?: DEFINITELY NOT PIP1!



**AGE: 19 YEARS** 

QUOTE: "LOVE IS THE ANSWER" -SID MCENTEE-SMITH

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MY PARENTS

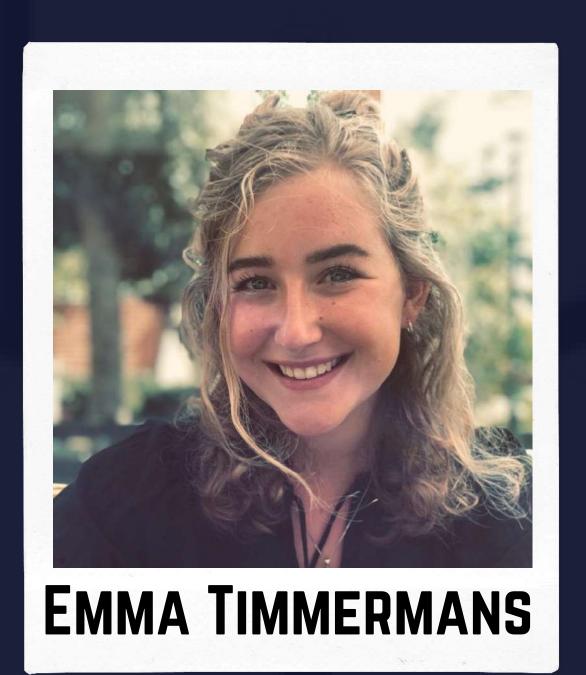
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: WORKING

FOR AN NGO IN SOUTH AMERICA.



**AGE: 19 YEARS** 

QUOTE: "WITHOUT AN OPEN-MINDED MIND, YOU CAN NEVER BE A GREAT SUCCESS." - MARTHA STEWART WHO INSPIRES YOU?: LEA SOPHIE CRAMER WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: LIVING IN PARIS, WORKING IN JOURNALISM



AGE: 18 YEARS

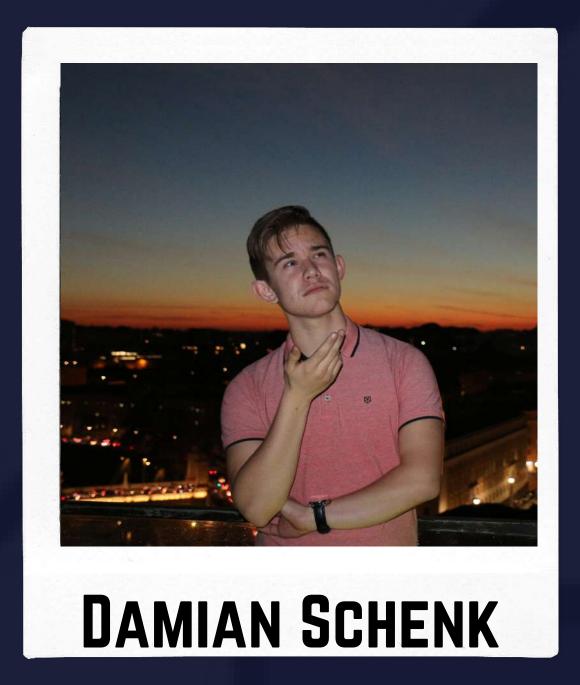
QUOTE: "ALS DE LAT TE HOOG LIGT, KUN JE ER NOG

**ALTIJD ONDERDOOR LOPEN."** 

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MY GRANDMOTHER

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

**PPE IN PRACTICE 1** 



QUOTE: "WITH REGARD TO PERFORMANCE,
COMMITMENT, EFFORT, DEDICATION, THERE IS NO
MIDDLE GROUND. OR YOU DO SOMETHING VERY WELL OR
NOT AT ALL." ~AYRTON SENNA
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: DANIEL RICCIARDO
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?:
IN PARLIAMENT



AGE: 19 YEARS

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?:

I WOULD TAKE LIFE EASY SOMEWHERE WARMER THAN THE NETHERLANDS;)

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?: POLITICS IN THE FIRST SEMESTER WITH IN PERSON SEMINARS.



**AGE: 18 YEARS** 

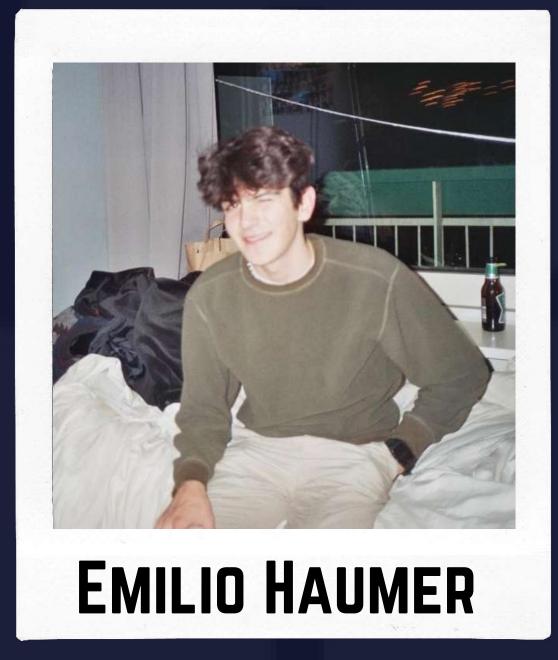
QUOTE: EVERYBODY'S GOT PLANS UNTIL THEY GET HIT

- MIKE TYSON

WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT
THIS YEAR?: DO WE EVEN HAVE MUCH MEMORIES THIS

YEAR?

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: MIAMI



**AGE: 19 YEARS** 

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: STUDYING PHILOSOPHY AND

**MATHEMATICS** 

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

**ETHICS** 

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?:

STUDYING SOMETHING SOMEWHERE



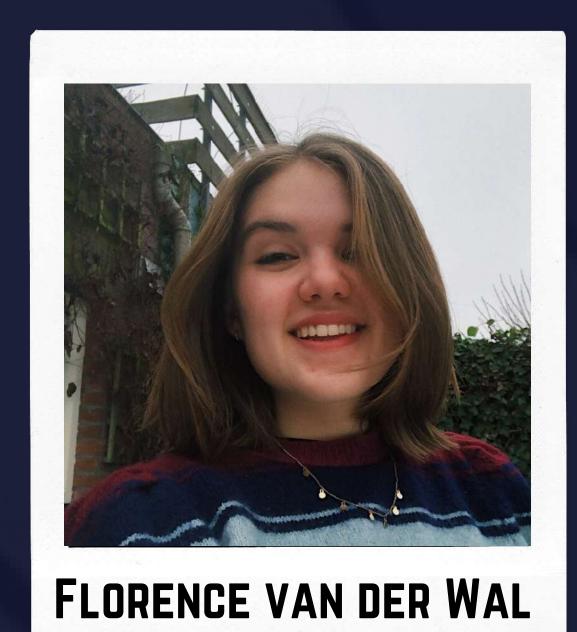
QUOTE: "IT IS POSSIBLE TO RETAKE A TEST, BUT NOT A

PARTY "

**WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MARK RUTTE** 

WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS

YEAR?: WHEN ROLAND WAS ARGUING FOR THE ABSOLUTE EFFICIENCY OF HIS MICRO COURSE



AGE: 19 YEARS

QUOTE: "HAVE COURAGE AND BE KIND"
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: DAVID ATTENBOROUGH

WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS

YEAR?: ATTENDING THE VERY ENTHUSIASTIC ON

**CAMPUS SEMINARS FROM BARIS** 



**AGE: 20 YEARS** 

QUOTE: "DO MORE." - CASEY NEISTAT

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: NASSIM NICHOLAS TALEB, NAT

**ELIASON** 

WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR?: GIVING MY FIRST REALLY SMALL INTERVIEW

WITH SOME FELLOW PPE PEOPLE.



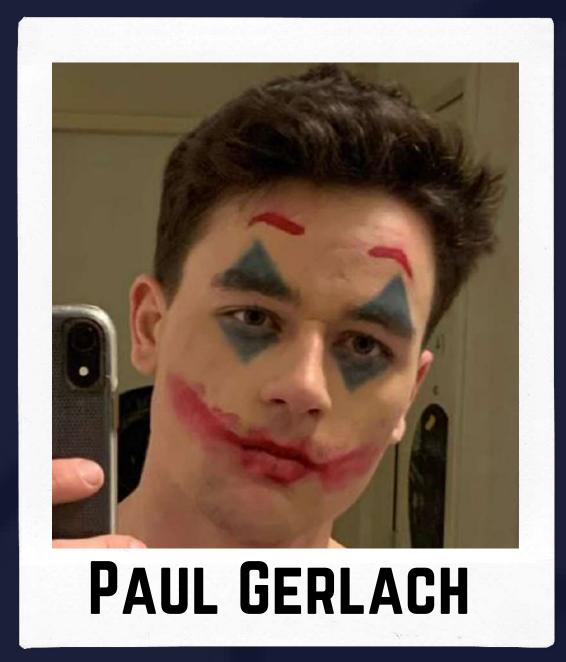
AGE: 19 YEARS

QUOTE: "SPEED HAS NEVER KILLED ANYONE, SUDDENLY SLOWING DOWN THAT'S WHAT GET'S YOU."

- JEREMY CLARKSON

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: KEVIN LOVE

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: HOPEFULLY MAKING AND PLAYING MUSIC



AGE: 21 YEARS
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: BARIS
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: LAYING UNDER A COCONUT TREE.
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: GETTIN
MONEY

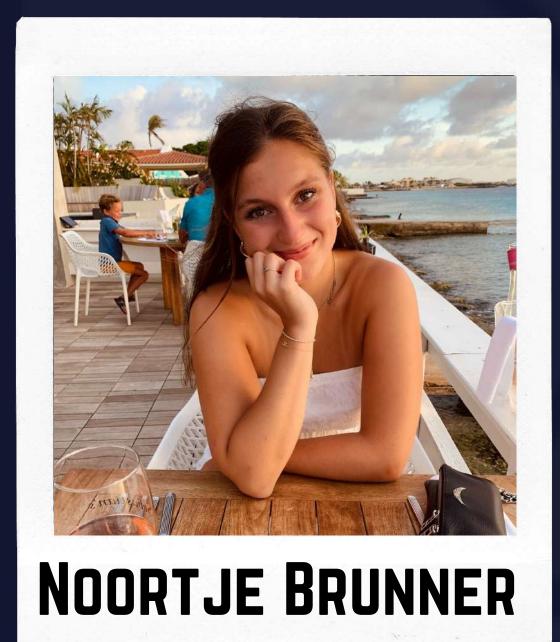


AGE: 19 YEARS

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: ALEX SOZE

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRYING TO BE THE FIRST PICK IN THE NBA DRAFT

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: STILL DOUBTING ABOUT THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE EUROPEAN UNION

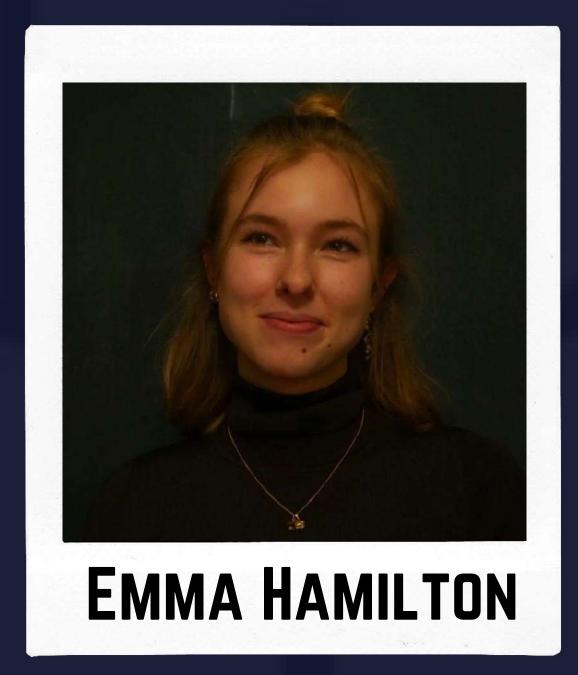


**AGE: 19 YEARS** 

QUOTE: "YESTERDAY WAS HISTORY, TOMORROW A MISTERY, TODAY IS THE GREATEST GIFT, THAT IS WHY IT IS CALLED PRESENT."

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MY MOM.

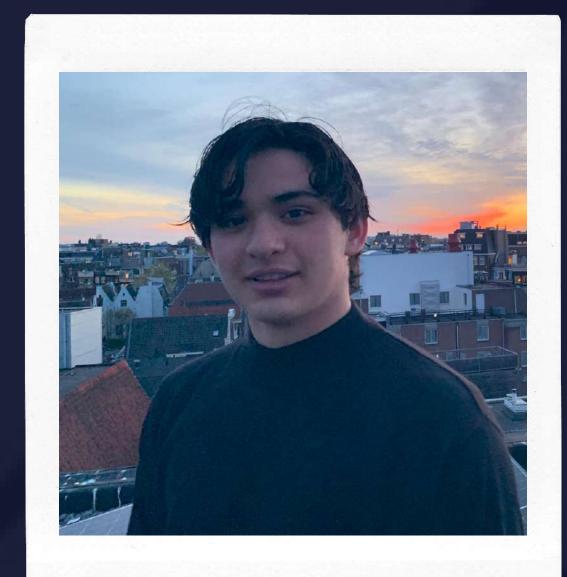
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: WORKING MY DREAM JOB, BE A MOM, BE SURROUNDED BY A LOT OF FRIENDS AND FAMILY, HAVE A HUGE HOUSE, TRAVELLING THE WORLD AND LOVING MY LIFE.



AGE: 21 YEARS

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: GRETA THUNBERG
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: TATTOOING IN A BASEMENT
SOMEWHERE.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: ON A FARM, UP IN THE MOUNTAINS, WITH AS MANY ANIMALS AS CAN FIT



#### ALEXANDER DE SCHEEMAKER

**AGE: 19 YEARS** 

QUOTE: "LIFE GOES ON"

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

**DOING RIGHT NOW?: COMPUTER SCIENCE** 

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

**ETHICS** 



AGE: 18 YEARS

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: COOTJE VAN WEERDEN
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

**STATISTICS** 

WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR?: FAILING BOTH MY PHILOSOPHY COURSES BUT STILL PICKING IT INSTEAD OF POLITICS.



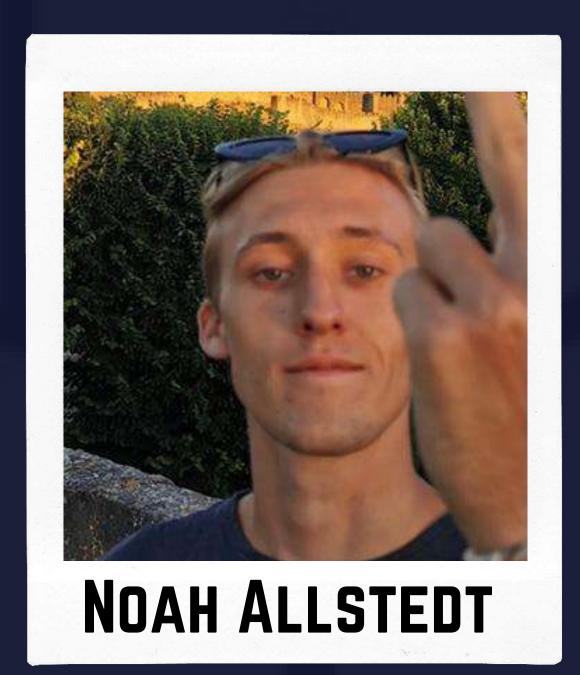
AGE: 20 YEARS

QUOTE: "DWELL ON THE BEAUTY OF LIFE. WATCH THE STARS, AND SEE YOURSELF RUNNING WITH THEM."

- LIL B "THE BASEDGOD"

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: SPIDER-MAN

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: WORKING MINIMUM WAGE



AGE: 21 YEARS

QUOTE: "THE PROBLEM WITH THE WORLD IS THAT

EVERYONE IS A FEW DRINKS BEHIND."
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: JOAQUIN PHOENIX

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRAVELLING



COOTJE VAN WEERDEN

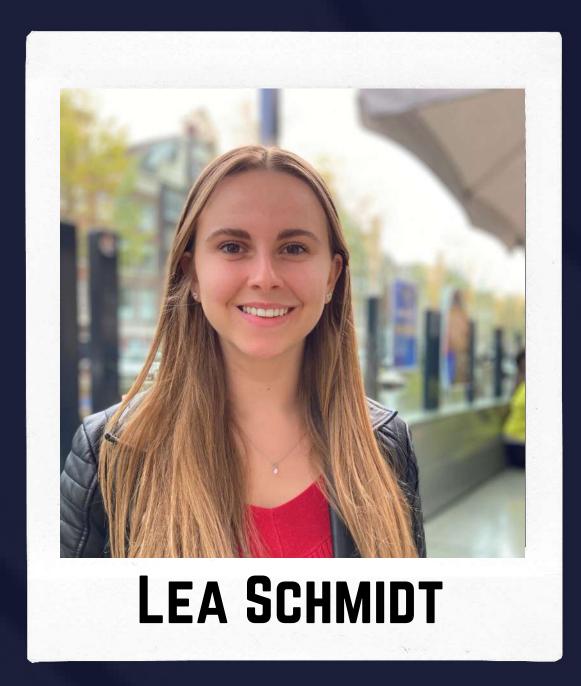
AGE: 19 YEARS
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: JOB SCHARFF
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:
POLITICAL SCIENCE: STATE, POWER AND CONFLICT
WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS

**YEAR?: SEMINARS WITH JOB SCHARFF** 



AGE: 20 YEARS
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: COOTJE VAN WEERDEN
IE VOU WEDEN'T STUDVING DDE WHAT WOULD

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRAVELLING THE WORLD WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?: POLITICAL SCIENCE: STATE, POWER AND CONFLIC



AGE: 19 YEARS
QUOTE: "I DON'T EVEN HAVE A 'PLA'." - PHOEBE
BUFFAY, FRIENDS
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: KARIN HATTORI
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: 29 AND
PROBABLY PLANNING MY 30TH BIRTHDAY PARTY



AGE: 20 YEARS

QUOTE: "THE MORE YOU KNOW, THE MORE YOU THINK YOU DON'T. THE MORE YOU DON'T KNOW, THE MORE YOU THINK YOU DO." - HAEMIN SUNIM
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:
DEVELOPMENT OF MACROECONOMIC THOUGHT.
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: I THINK I WILL HAVE BECOME A RESEARCHER STUDYING SOCIOECONOMIC INEQUALITY (SUCH AS INEQUALITY OF OPPORTUNITY / OF INCOME).



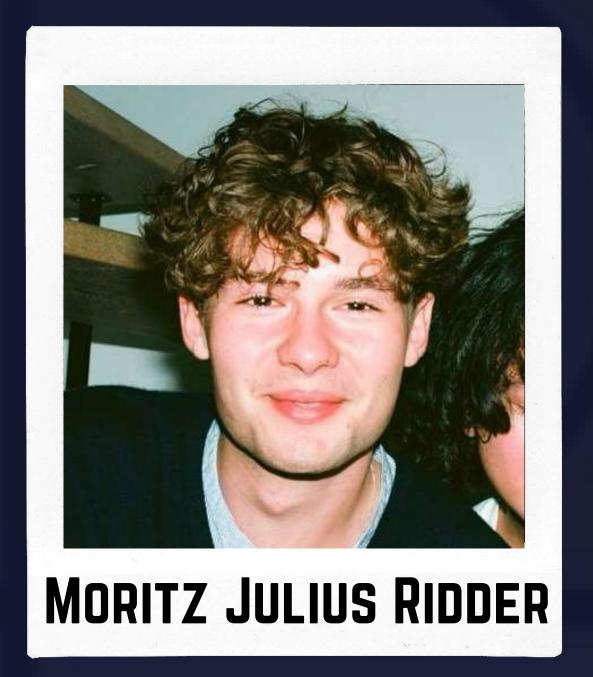
QUOTE: "HAPPINESS IS A CHOICE."

**WHO INSPIRES YOU?: SIMONE DE BEAUVOIR** 

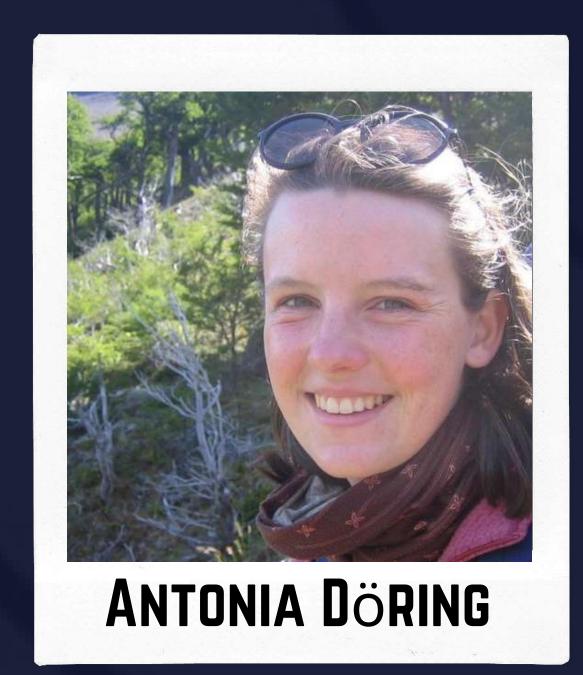
WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS

**YEAR?: FRISO GETTING ROASTED IN THE ETHICS** 

SEMINAR.



AGE: 20 YEARS ????



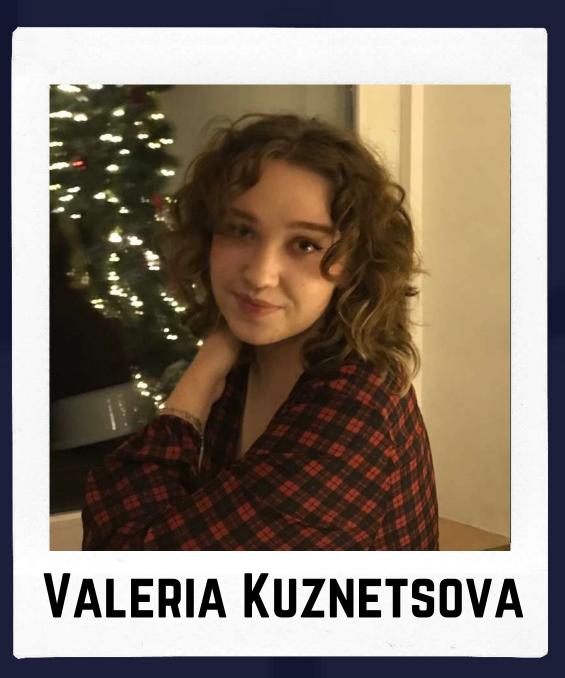
AGE: 20 YEARS

QUOTE: "IT IS THE PEOPLE...."

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

DOING RIGHT NOW?: I PROBABLY WOULD BE SOMEWHERE WITH A TENT AND MY HIKING BOOTS. WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

**ETHICS** 



**AGE: 21 YEARS** 

QUOTE: "I GO TO SEEK A GREAT PERHAPS."

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: STUDYING ART AND ANIMATION OR

MUSIC PRODUCTION.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?:

PROBABLY SOMEWHERE IN THE US/ASIA, WORKING FOR

A DIGITAL ART STUDIO.



QUOTE: "AMBITION IS A DREAM WITH A V8 ENGINE"

- ELVIS PRESLEY

WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR?: THE FRESHERS' WEEKEND; A PRETTY NORMAL START OF A PRETTY UNUSUAL YEAR.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?:
HOPEFULLY CONTRIBUTING TO A BETTER FUTURE BY
CREATING GREEN ECONOMIC POLICY.

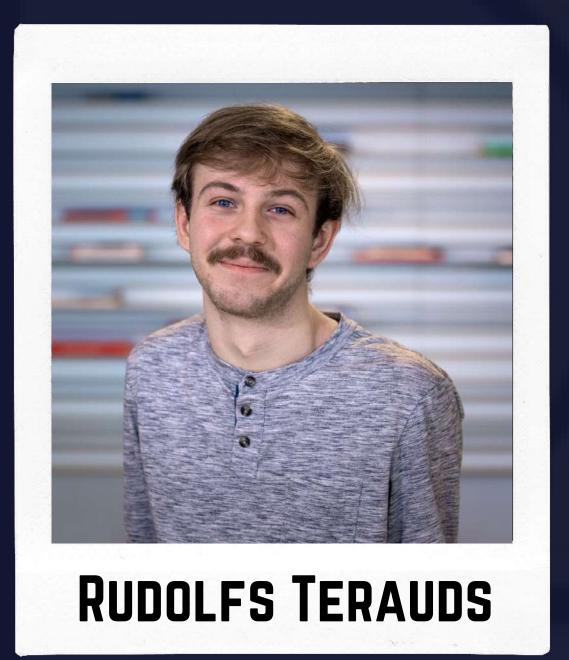


AGE: 19 YEARS

QUOTE: "WORK SMARTER NOT HARDER"

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MY MOM

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: BEING ACTIVE IN POLITICS



AGE: 20 YEARS

QUOTE: "HOW YOU FALL DOESN'T MATTER. IT'S HOW

YOU LAND."

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

HISTORY OF PHILOSOPHY



AGE: 22 YEARS

**QUOTE: "HE WHO LAUGHS AT HIMSELF NEVER RUNS OUT** 

OF THINGS TO LAUGH AT."

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: ME MYSELF

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: AN

**UNSUCCESSFUL STAND-UP COMEDIAN.** 



QUOTE: "AS ALWAYS AFTER DRINKING TOO MUCH, I FELT LIKE MY OWN GHOST TRYING TO TAKE IT'S FIRST SOLO WALK OUTSIDE THE BODY." -ORHAN PAMUK WHO INSPIRES YOU?: ORHAN PAMUK WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?: PIP1 OR ETHICS



AGE: 20 YEARS

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRAVELLING AROUND THE WORLD. WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?: FOUNDATIONS OF MICROECONOMICS WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR?: THE ETHICS SEMINARS WITH AKSHAT.



AGE: 21 YEARS
QUOTE: "KNOW SOMETHING ABOUT EVERYTHING AND
KNOW EVERYTHING ABOUT SOMETHING."
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MARCUS AURELIUS
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?:

PRESIDENT OF THE EU.



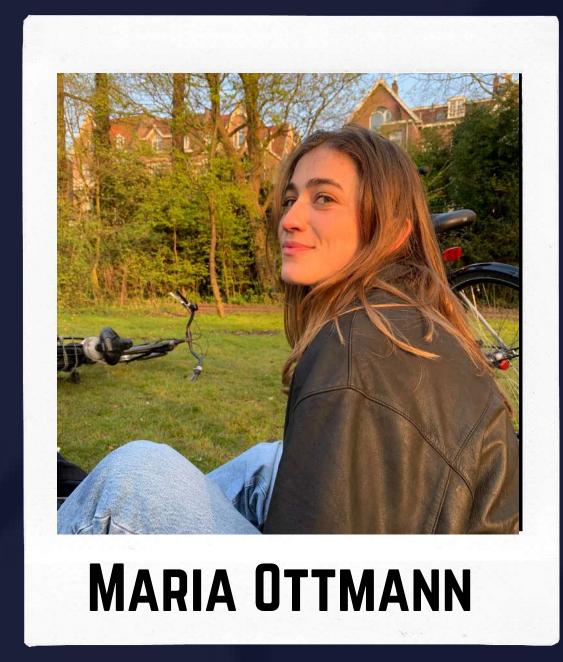
AGE: 21 YEARS

QUOTE: "THERE'S ALWAYS MONEY IN THE BANANA

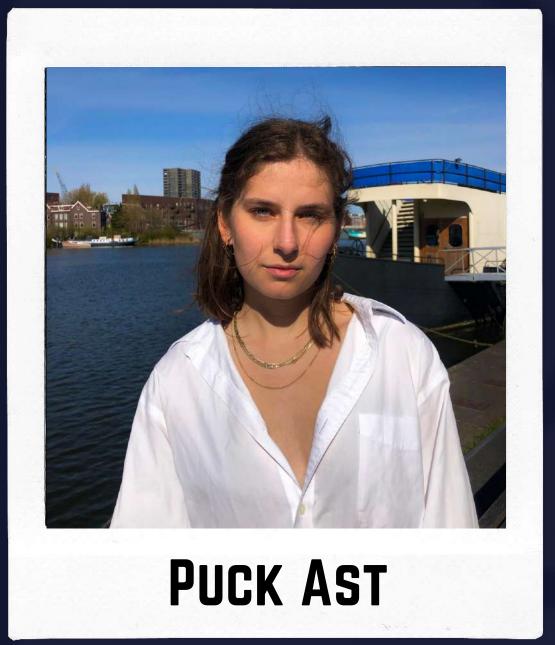
STAND"

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: GEORGE MICHAEL

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: REAL ESTATE



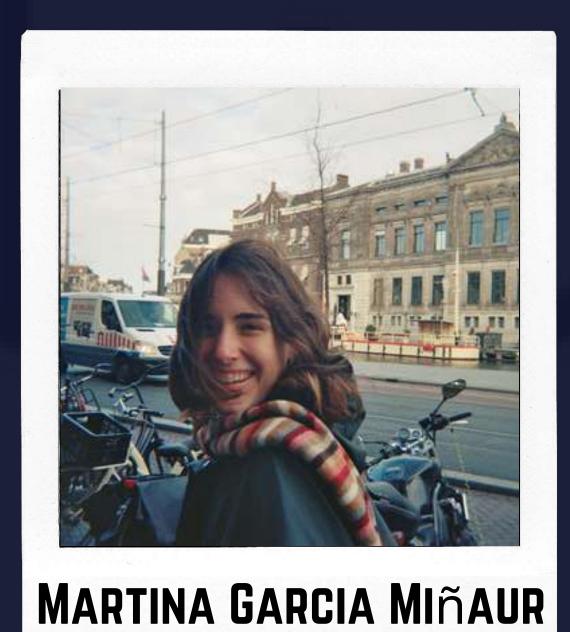
AGE: 20 YEARS ????



AGE: 19 YEARS
WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS
YEAR?: THE DAY EMILIO WAS DRUNK, IT WAS
AWESOME AND THE BEST DAY.



AGE: 19 YEARS
QUOTE: HTTPS://YOUTU.BE/OUGDXDSVHLQ
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: JANE FONDA
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: PROBABLY STUDYING HISTORY



AGE: 18 YEARS
QUOTE: THRIVING
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: THRIVING
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: THRIVING



QUOTE: "HAVE COURAGE AND BE KIND."

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

**PHILOSOPHY** 

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?:

**FULFILLING MY DREAMS.** 



AGE: 19 YEARS

QUOTE: "IT IS WHAT IT IS"

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MY FRIENDS

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

METHODS I



AGE: 18 YEARS

QUOTE: "IF YOU DON'T GO THERE YOU WON'T GET

THERE."

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

**DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRAVELING** 

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: AT THE

UN



**AGE: 21 YEARS** 

QUOTE: "AMO" - HEROIDES (XVII, 88)

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

DOING RIGHT NOW?: I WOULD BE STUDYING COMPOSITION AT THE CONSERVATORIUM VAN

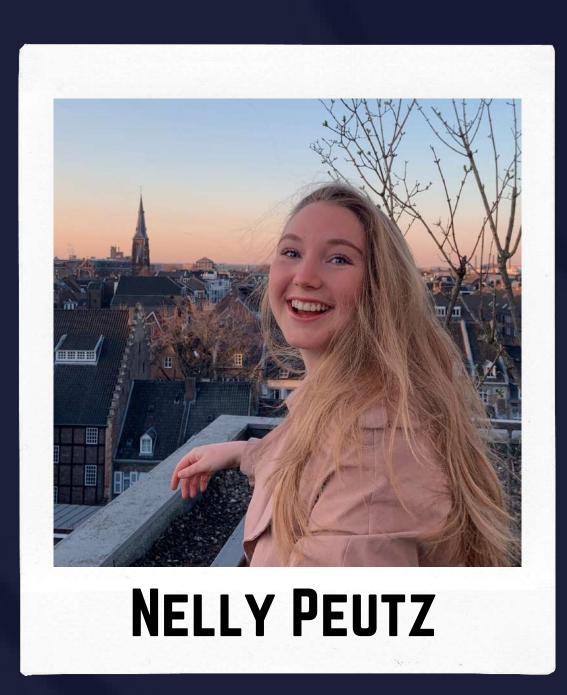
AMSTERDAM.

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

**ETHICS** 



AGE: 21 YEARS
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MY DAD
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: STUDYING BIOLOGY
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:
HISTORY OF PHILOSOPHY



AGE: 19 YEARS

QUOTE: "TELL ME AND I FORGET. TEACH ME AND I REMEMBER. INVOLVE ME AND I LEARN." - BENJAMIN FRANKLIN

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: AOC

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: WORKING FOR THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION / JOURNALIST.



AGE: 19 YEARS

QUOTE: "THE SKY IS THE LIMIT."

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRAVELING AROUND THE WORLD. WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?:

SUCCESSFUL AND HAPPY.

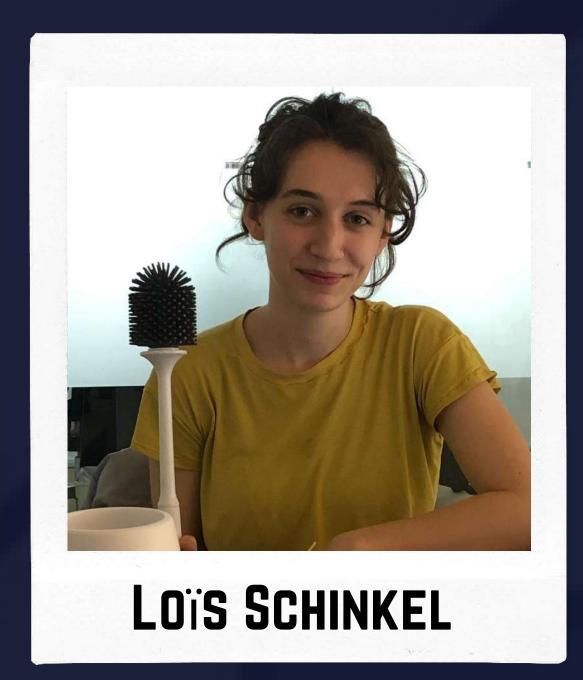


AGE: 20 YEARS

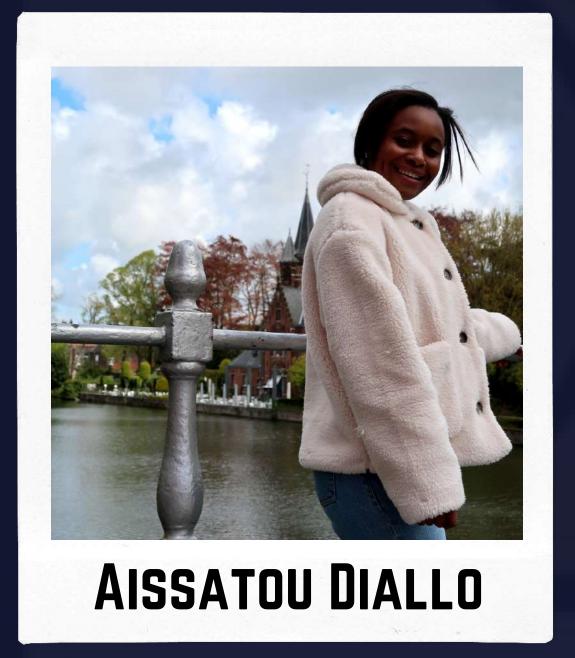
QUOTE: "BE YOURSELF; EVERYONE ELSE IS ALREADY

TAKEN."

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MALALA YOUSAFZAI
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: LAY ON A BEACH SOMEWHERE IN
THAILAND WITH A FRUITSHAKE IN MY HAND....



WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: THE MIRROR



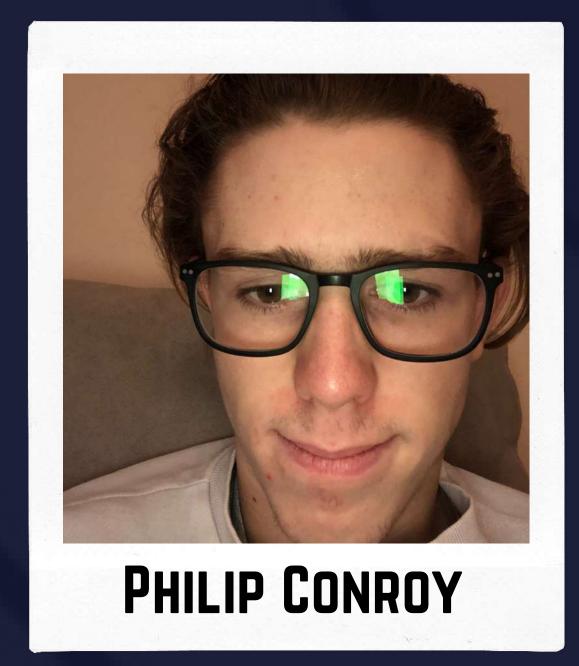
QUOTE: "IK BESLOOT DAT IK ALLES KON." — AISSATOU

DIALLO

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MARINA UZUNOVA

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

**DOING RIGHT NOW?: TAX LAW** 



AGE: 21 YEARS
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: PAUL MCCARTNEY
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: LIVING IN CANADA
WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS
YEAR?: SID DRINKING WATER WITH A BOWL & SPOON.



AGE: 20 YEARS
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: JACINDA ADERN
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRAVELLING THE WORLD
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: A DECENT
JOB WITH A NICE HOUSE IN AMSTERDAM.



QUOTE: "I TESTED VERY POSITIVELY IN ANOTHER SENSE SO-THIS MORNING. YEAH. I TESTED POSITIVELY TOWARD NEGATIVE, RIGHT."

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: FINALLY GETTING MY DRIVER'S LICENSE.

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?: DEVELOPMENT OF MACROECONOMIC THOUGHT



AGE: 19 YEARS

QUOTE: "NULLIFY THE ACCIDENT OF NATURAL

**ENDOWMENT.**"

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: KANYE WEST

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRY TO BECOME AN

ASTROPHYSICIST.



AGE: 24 YEARS

QUOTE: "YOU ARE NOT GOING TO HELP ANYBODY BY HAVING THE APPEARANCE OF MOTION." - SALMAN KHAN

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: THE FUTURE (AND I'M NOT TALKING ABOUT THE RAPPER)

WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR?: GETTING ROASTED BY A PROF IN A LECTURE.



AGE: 18 YEARS

QUOTE: "HELL IS EMPTY, ALL DEMONS ARE HERE"

- SHAKESPEARE

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MY MOM

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

**DOING RIGHT NOW?: MEDICINE** 



QUOTE: "WE CHOOSE TO GO TO THE MOON. NOT BECAUSE

IT IS EASY, BUT BECAUSE IT IS HARD."

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRAVELING SOUTH AFRICA.
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

HISTORY OF PHILOSOPHY



AGE: 19 YEARS

QUOTE: "MUT ZUR LÜCKE."

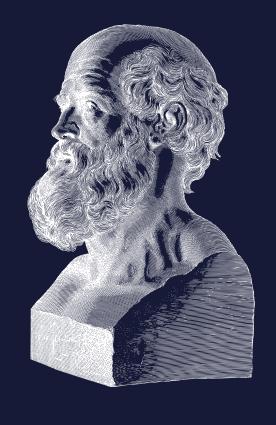
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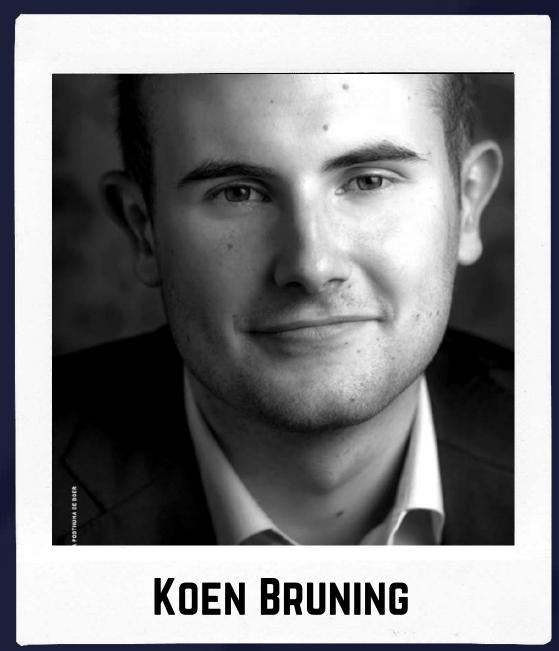
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

**ETHICS** 

# SECOND YEAR CLASS OF '22

EDUCATION IS THE MOST POWERFUL WEAPON WHICH YOU CAN USE TO CHANGE THE WORLD - NELSON MANDELA





QUOTE: IN THE LONG RUN WE ARE ALL DEAD
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: PLAYING SOCCER.
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

**POLITICAL INSTITUTIONS** 



AGE: 20 YEARS

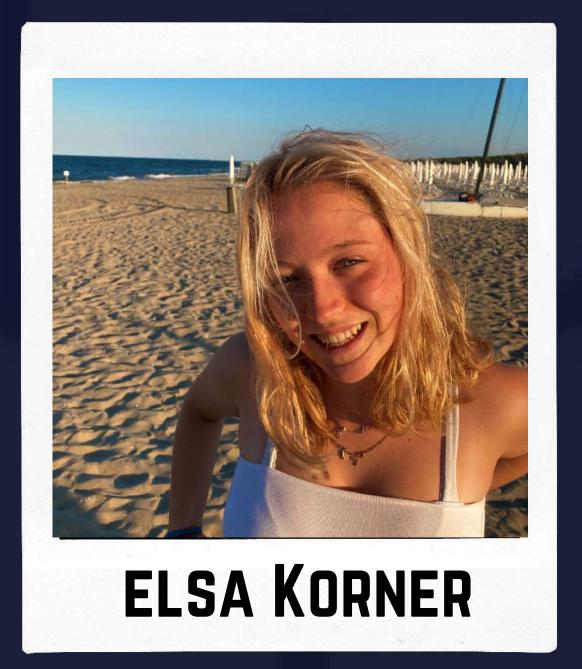
QUOTE: ITS NOT OUR ABILITIES THAT SHOW WHO WE REALLY ARE, ITS OUR CHOICES - ALBUS DUMBLEDORE

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: RUBEN TERLOU

WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR? RECORDING THE PPE ENCOUNTERS PODCASTS :P



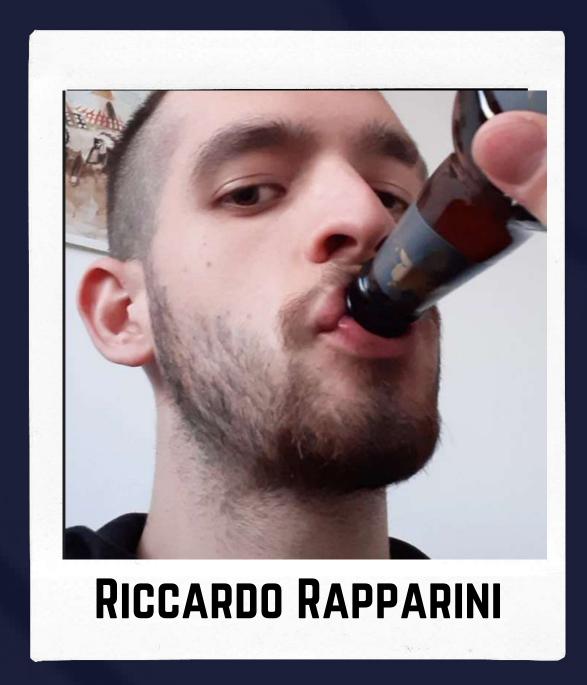
AGE: 19 YEARS
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: SLAVOJ ŽIŽEK
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW? :POLSCI IN GEORGETOWN
WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS
YEAR? THE CONTINUOUS ONE-YEAR LONG ZOOM CALL



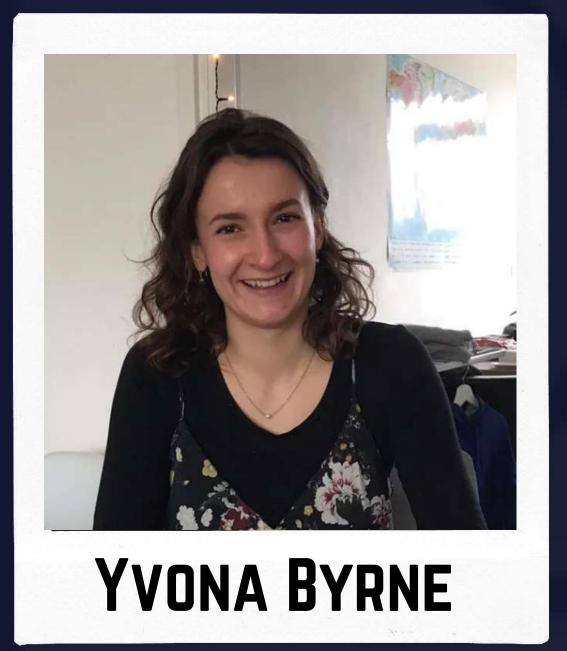
AGE: 19 YEARS
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: AOC
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRAVELLING SOMEWHERE AND
LEARNING MORE LANGUAGES
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS



QUOTE: YOU HAVE TO ACT AS IF IT WERE POSSIBLE TO RADICALLY TRANSFORM THE WORLD. AND YOU HAVE TO DO IT ALL THE TIME. ANGELA DAVIS
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: SOCIOLOGY OR ANTHROPOLOGY WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?
IN ACADEMIA MOST LIKELY

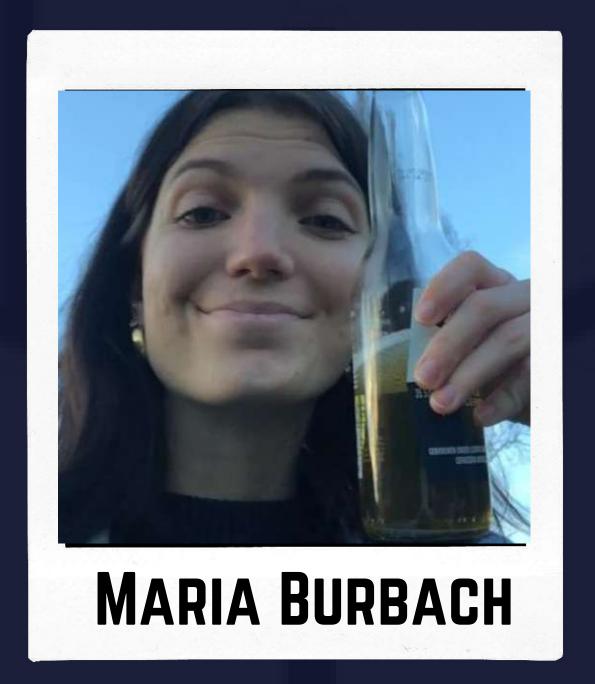


AGE: 22 YEARS
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: JORGE LUIS BORGES
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: ENJOYING LIFE
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: IN
UILENSTEDE



AGE: 21 YEARS
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:
EUROPEAN UNION

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MY FRIENDS AND NATURE
WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS
YEAR? PARTIES IN THE BOS

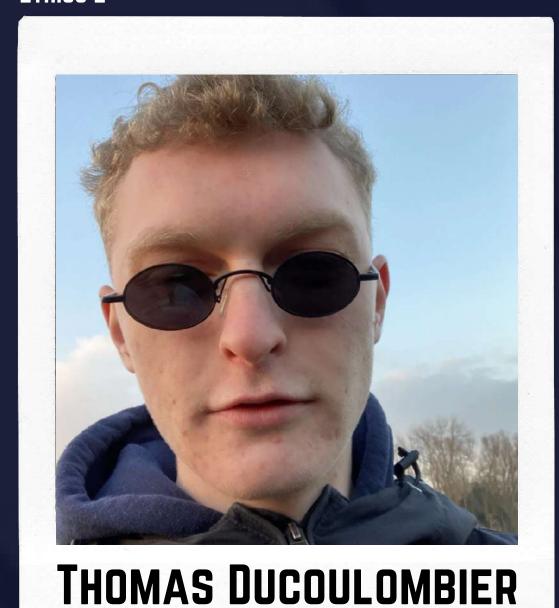


AGE: 21 YEARS
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: CECELIA AND HER RADICAL IDEAS
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: HIDING SOMEWHERE WARM
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: NEW
YORK / BRUSSELS / RECOVERING FROM A BURNOUT



QUOTE: LETS BE REALISTIC AND TRY THE IMPOSSIBLE IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: STUDYING PSYCHOLOGY, SOMETHING ADRESSING INTERCULTURAL EXCHANGES/EXPERIENCES OR INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?: ETHICS 2



AGE: 20 YEARS

QUOTE: 'YO NEYMAR SUNNY INNIT' (PLATO, THE

REPUBLIC)

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

**DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRAVELLING** 

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: IN

**DENMARK** 



AGE: 20 YEARS

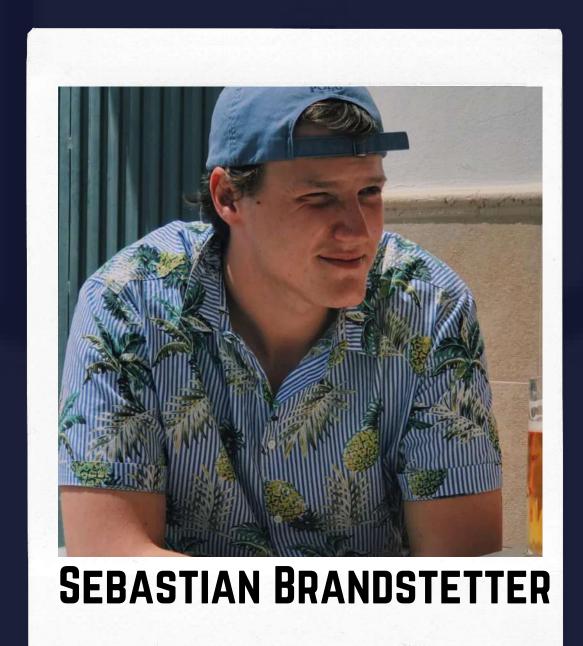
QUOTE: THIS WEEK'S LECTURES ARE NOT PART OF THE

**EXAM** 

WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS

YEAR?

WATCHING LECTURES IN BED WITH PYJAMAS ON WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: DRINKING CAIPIRINHA AT COPACABANA BEACH



AGE: 22 YEARS

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MARIA

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

DOING RIGHT NOW?: STUDY SOMETHING ELSE

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: I DON'T

KNOW



QUOTE: HOW CAN ECONOMICS BE A REAL SCIENCE IF IT WAS NOT ABLE TO PREDICT THE 2008 FINANCIAL

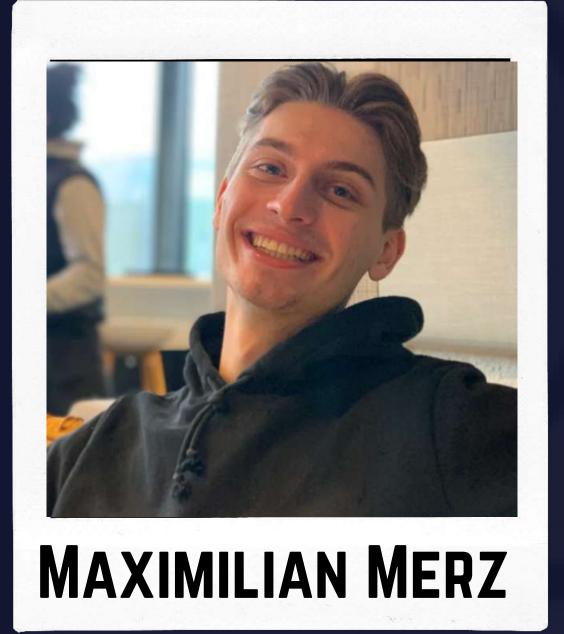
**CRISIS? - SEBASTIAN BRANDSTETTER** 

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

**DOING RIGHT NOW?: READ** 

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

MACROECONOMICS 2



AGE: 21 YEARS

QUOTE: I'M RADICALLY INDIFFERENT. OR I WOULD BE. IF

I WASN'T RIGHT.

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: JAKE SULLIVAN

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: THE TOP



AGE: 22 YEARS

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: HANNA MUIR

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRAVELLING TO NEPAL

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: HAVING

AN AMAZING FAMILY.



AGE: 21 YEARS

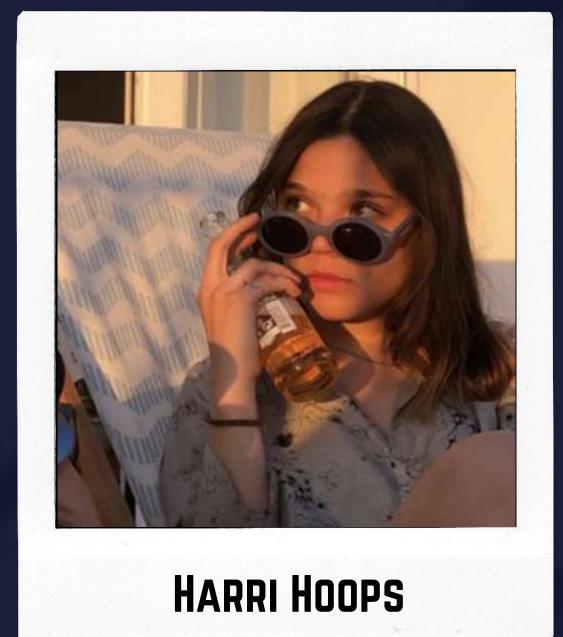
QUOTE: "CHUGGGG OR....CHUUG"

WHO INSPIRES YOU?:

MAX, LYING IN HIS BED AT 3PM, HAVING MISSED ALL HIS LECTURES BUT ASKING ME TO HAVE A BEER FIRST

WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR?

SITTING AT THE ROUND DESK IN THE STUDY AREA WITH HARRI AND EMIL <3



QUOTE: "THAT'S MY FUCKING BREAKFAST" -ED (JONA,

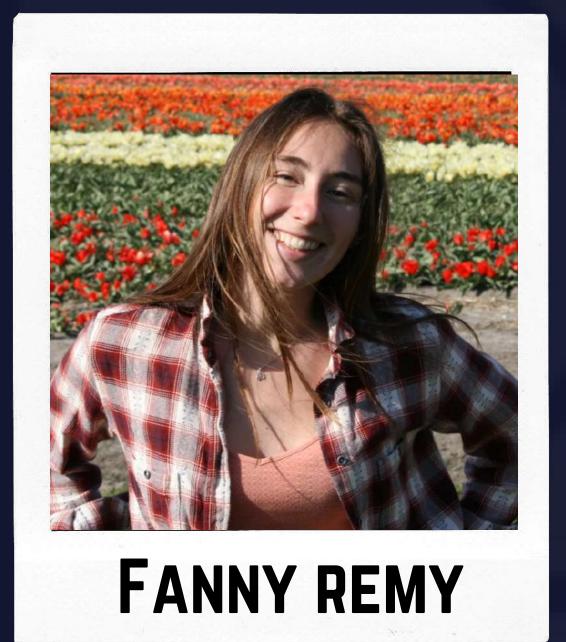
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WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?

AT A PPE REUNION

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

INTERNATIONAL TRADE



AGE: 21 YEARS

**QUOTE: YEAH WHY NOT** 

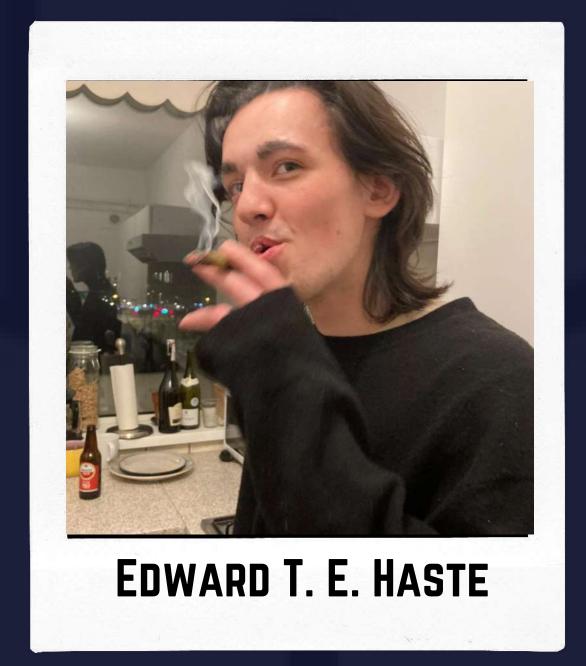
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MY FAMILY

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: AT A RESTAURANT WITH MY PPE MATES BECAUSE CORONA

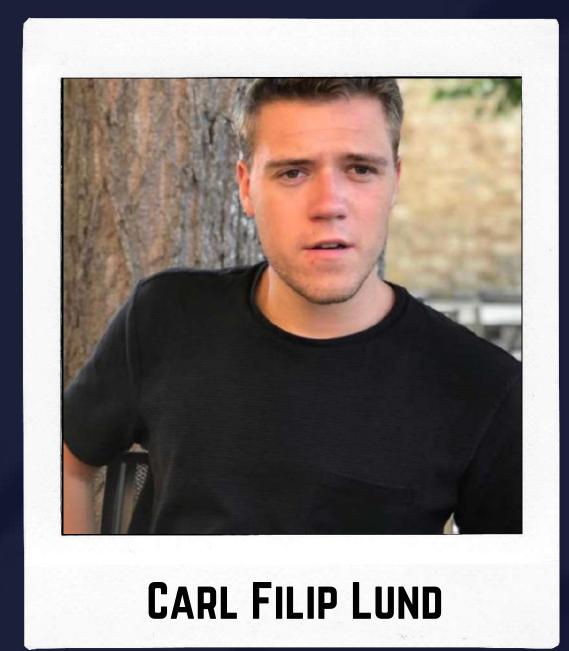
**WILL BE DONE SINCE A DECADE** 



AGE: 22 YEARS
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MY MOM
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?
THE EUROPEAN UNION COURSE
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?:
HOPEFULLY IN A WORLD THAT'S BETTER THAN TODAY



AGE: 22 YEARS
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: DRINKING
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: HOMPSON
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?
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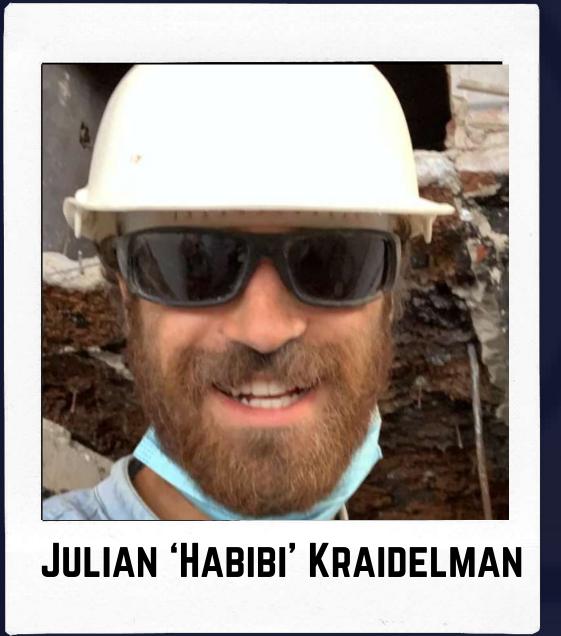


QUOTE: ACTION IS THE END OF THOUGHT
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?
STILL FIGURING OUT WHICH TRACK TO FOLLOW
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?

WRITING A BOOK IN THE MOUNTAINS



AGE: 21 YEARS
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?
THE EUROPEAN UNION COURSE



AGE: 21 YEARS

QUOTE: "I'M NOT A PESSIMIST, I'M AN OPTOMETRIST"—

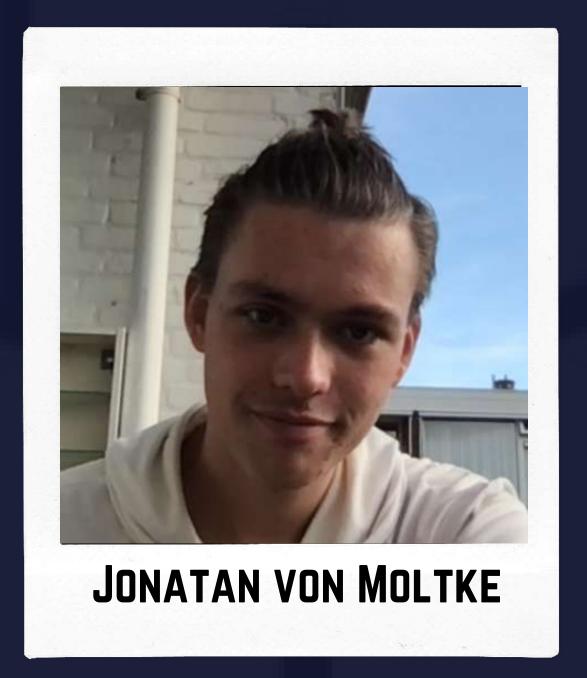
RICHARD "RICKY" LAFLEUR

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: THE ONE AND ONLY WESLEY

WILLIS

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?: DOING

THE SAME SHIT JUST NOT BEING A STUDENT



AGE: 20 YEARS

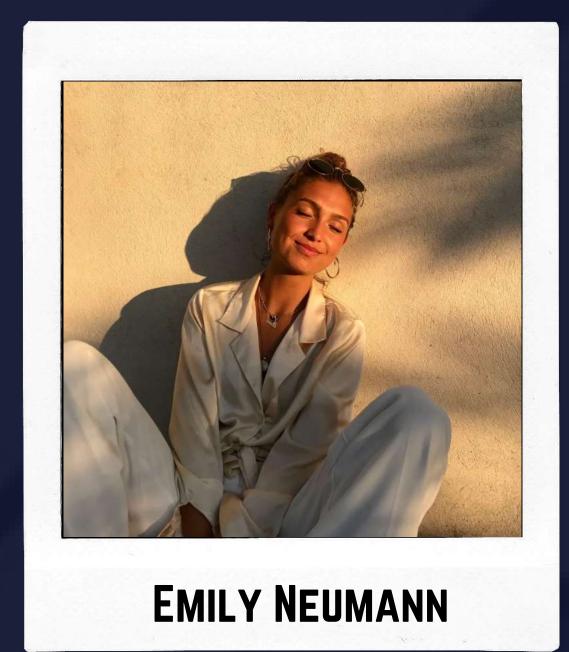
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: GARDENING

WHO INSPIRES YOU?:

MOMMA

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?

EU



QUOTE: IF YOU THINK YOU ARE TOO SMALL TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE, YOU HAVEN'T SPENT THE NIGHT WITH A MOSQUITO.

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR? ETHICS II

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?

TRAVELING THROUGH THE AMAZON



AGE: 21 YEARS

QUOTE: "OH MISTER CITIZEN, I WANT TO KNOW, WITH

HOW MANY KILOS OF FEAR IS A TRADITION MADE OF?"

-TOM ZE

WHO INCRINES YOU? DAVID BYDNE

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: DAVID BYRNE
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR:
POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY I



AGE: 21 YEARS

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND GLOBAL GOVERNANCE

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MICHELLE OBAMA

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

**DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRAVELING** 



AGE: 22 YEARS

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: ENJOYING MY SANITY.
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

ETHICS II

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?:

WHERE I SHOULD BE.



**QUOTE: SAPERE AUDE** 

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

PHILOSOPHY OF SCIENCE

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

**DOING RIGHT NOW?:** 

HAVING A HIBERNATION THROUGHOUT THIS LOCK-DOWN

**PERIOD** 



AGE: 21 YEARS
WHO INSPIRES YOU?:
ARUNDHATI ROY

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: BE A COOK OR A DOG TRAINER WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR? EPISTEMOLOGY



**AGE: 21 YEARS** 

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE QUOTE?

"YOU ARE NOT ALIVE JUST TO PAY BILLS AND LOSE

WEIGHT."

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: KIND, EMPATHETIC PEOPLE.

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE

**DOING RIGHT NOW?:** 

STILL FIGHTING FOR WHAT I BELIEVE IN AND ENJOYING BLACK SAND BEACHES.



AGE: 20 YEARS

WHO INSPIRES YOU?: I INSPIRE ME

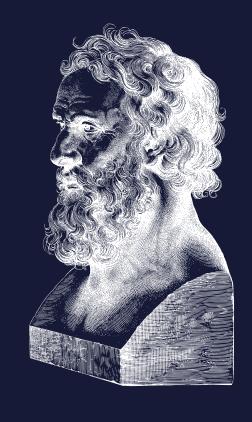
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: I WOULD LOVE TO BE IN A BAND, BUT I DON'T HAVE ANY TALENT.

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:

**EPISTEMOLOGY** 

# THIRD YEAR CLASS OF '21

### IF YOU DO NOT TAKE AN INTEREST IN THE AFFAIRS OF YOUR GOVERNMENT, YOU ARE DOOMED TO LIVE UNDER THE RULE OF FOOLS -PLATO





QUOTE: SORRY I WAS MUTED.
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: SAMANTHA POWER
WHAT WILL YOU BE DOING NEXT YEAR?:
(FINGERS CROSSED) STUDYING AT SCIENCES PO IN
PARIS



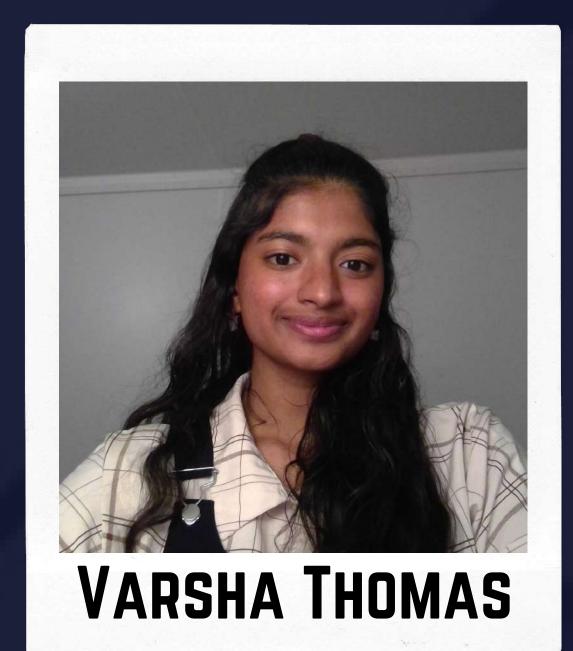
AGE: 21 YEARS
QUOTE?: FABULA ACTA EST, PLAUDITE
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?:
A €60.000 DEBT, BURN-OUT AND A CAT THAT DOESN'T
LOVE ME BACK. OH AND A GIRL
WHAT WILL YOU BE DOING NEXT YEAR?:
LSE MASTER IN INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY



AGE: 21
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MY FRIENDS AND FAMILY
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:
I ENJOYED COURSES FROM MY MINOR REAL ESTATE
ECON AND FINANCE THE MOST THIS YEAR.
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?:
HOPEFULLY DOING SOMETHING I'M STILL PASSIONATE
ABOUT



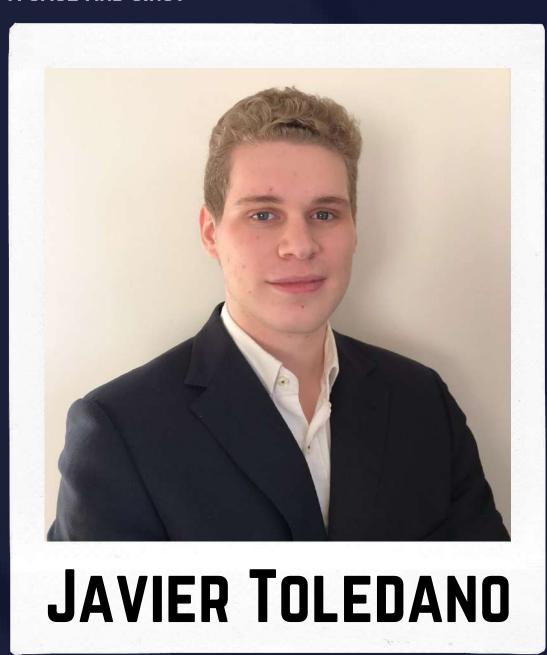
AGE: 23 YEARS
QUOTE: ICH BIN EIN SENDER, ICH STRAHLE AUS.
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: TRICKY
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: GARDENING



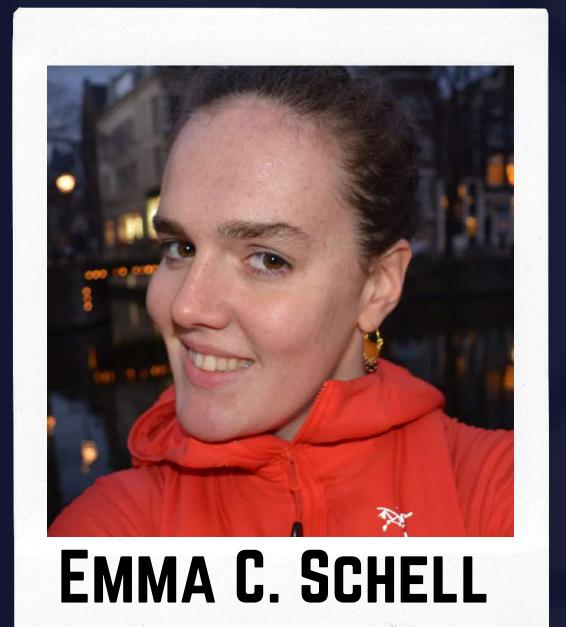
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: STUDYING SOMETHING ELSE PROBABLY.

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?: METHODS OF PPE III

WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR?: HOW CAN THE BIRD THAT IS BORN FOR JOY SIT IN A CAGE AND SING?



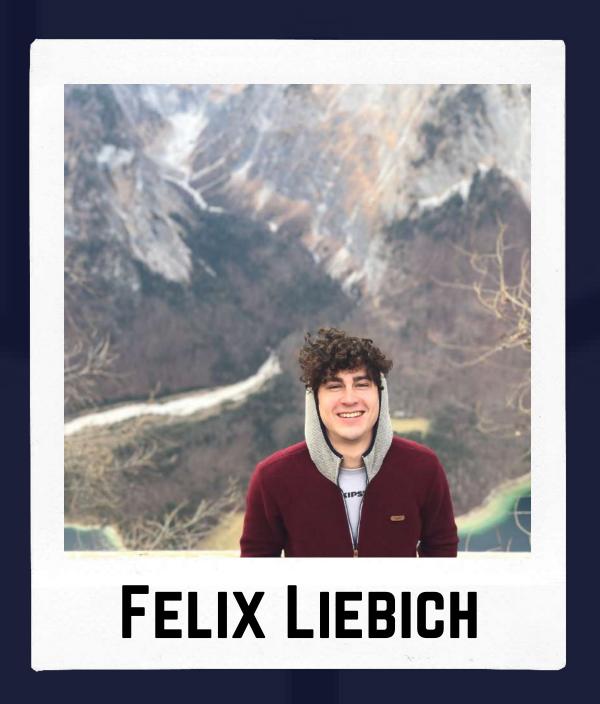
AGE: 22 YEARS
WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE QUOTE?: "IT IS VERY HARD FOR THEM TO ATTACK ME ON LOOKS, BECAUSE I AM SO GOOD-LOOKING" - DONALD TRUMP
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: MY BOY BAS BOUMAN
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: PROMOTING SPANISH NATIONAL INTERESTS IN LUXEMBOURG



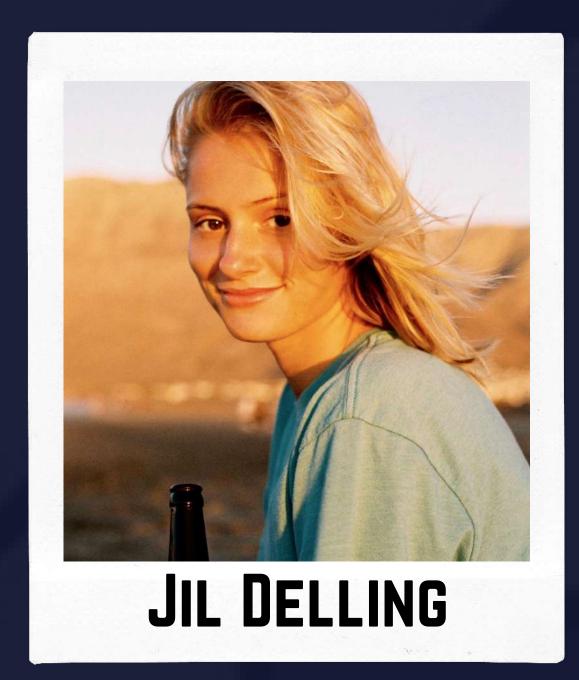
AGE: 21 YEARS

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE QUOTE?: "ARE YOU PLANNING TO FOLLOW A CAREER IN MAGICAL LAW, MISS GRANGER?" ASKED SCRIMGEOUR. "NO, I'M NOT," RETORTED HERMIONE. "I'M HOPING TO DO SOME GOOD IN THE WORLD!" (HARRY POTTER) WHO INSPIRES YOU?: LUISA NEUBAUER (GERMAN CLIMATE ACTIVIST)

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: ENJOYING LIFE IN THE MOST UNEXPECTED WAYS



AGE: 21
WHO INSPIRES YOU?: THE PUSHKINS
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE
DOING RIGHT NOW?: TRAVELING
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?:
THE THESIS TUTORIAL



**AGE: 20** WHO INSPIRES YOU?: FRED PUSCHKIN WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE **MOMENT THIS YEAR?: COSTA RICA** 



**AGE: 22** QUOTE:

AND IN THE END, IT'S NOT ABOUT THE YEARS IN YOUR LIFE THAT COUNT. IT'S "NEVER AM I LESS ALONE THAN WHEN I AM BY MYSELF, NEVER AM I MOR THE LIFE IN YOUR YEARS. - ABRAHAM LINCOLN

WHO INSPIRES YOU?

MY FRIENDS INSPIRE ME AND IN THE WORDS OF BARACK OBAMA: "CHANGE WILL NOT COME IF WE WAIT FOR SOME OTHER PERSON OR SOME OTHER TIME. WE ARE THE ONE'S WE'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR. WE ARE THE CHANGE WE SEEK.". IN ADMIRATION OF ALL THOSE GREAT PEOPLE I MET DURING THE LAST THREE YEARS.

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: AFTER THREE YEARS OF PPE, I DO NOT BELIEVE THERE IS NO POINT IN WASTING TIME WITH COUNTERFACTUAL QUESTIONS.



**AGE: 21** QUOTE: "GOD IS DEAD. GOD REMAINS DEAD. AND WE HAVE KILLED HIM." ~ NIETZSCHE IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?: **TRAVELING** 



**AGE: 21** QUOTE:

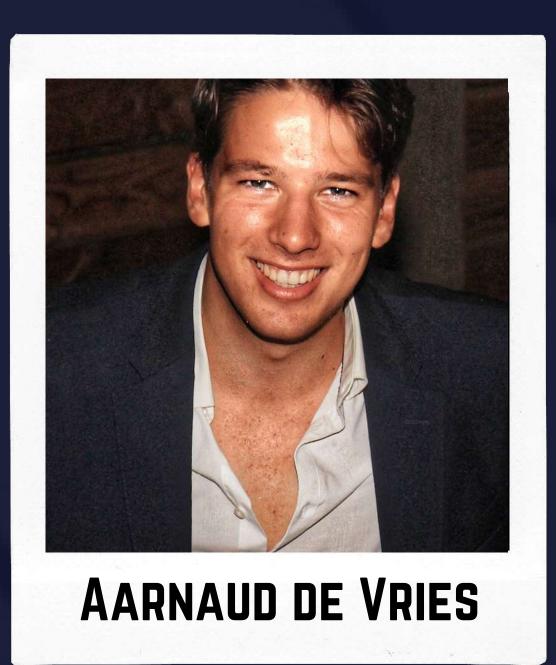
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WHO INSPIRES YOU? MY LOVED ONES.

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW? SUN, SURFING AND SLURPING.



AGE: 21
WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE QUOTE?
THE PROBLEM WITH THE WORLD IS THAT EVERYONE IS A FEW DRINKS BEHIND
WHO INSPIRES YOU?
LICOR 43 WITH MILK
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?
PROBABLY INCITING A NAPOLEONIC REVOLUTION SOMEWHERE



AGE: 21

QUOTE: "I DON'T KNOW WHY WE ARE HERE,

BUT I'M PRETTY SURE THAT IT IS NOT IN ORDER TO ENJOY OURSELVES"

- WITTGENSTEIN

WHO INSPIRES YOU?

**BILL GATES** 

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?
PROBABLY DAY TRADING BITCOIN AND LOSING ALL OF MY MONEY



**AGE: 21** 

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE QUOTE?

IF YOU DON'T HAVE ANY SHADOWS, YOU'RE NOT

**STANDING IN THE LIGHT** 

WHO INSPIRES YOU?

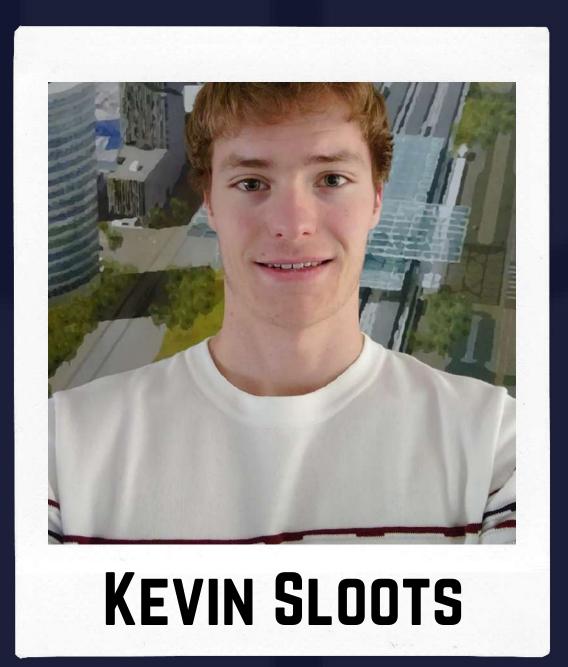
LADY GAGA

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU

**BE DOING RIGHT NOW?** 

LAYING IN BED, TAKING FREQUENT NAPS (JUST LIKE

NOW)



AGE: 21
WHO INSPIRES YOU?
ALEXANDER THE GREAT
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?
PHILOSOPHY AT KING'S COLLEGE LONDON
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?
POLITICAL VIOLENCE AND THE HUMAN CONDITION



AGE: 21 Who inspires you? Mom

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?
SELLING DUBIOUS WONDERTONICS TO UNKNOWING MIDWESTERNERS
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?
SECOND LOBSTER IN THE PRIMARY SCHOOL NATIVITY PLAY



AGE: 22

QUOTE: IF IN DOUBT, FLAT OUT

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?
FINALLY WITNESSING TOM BRADY'S RETIREMENT

FOR 3RD YEAR STUDENTS: WHAT WILL YOU BE DOING NEXT YEAR?

ALL OF THE STUFF THAT WASN'T POSSIBLE LAST YEAR



**AGE: 22** 

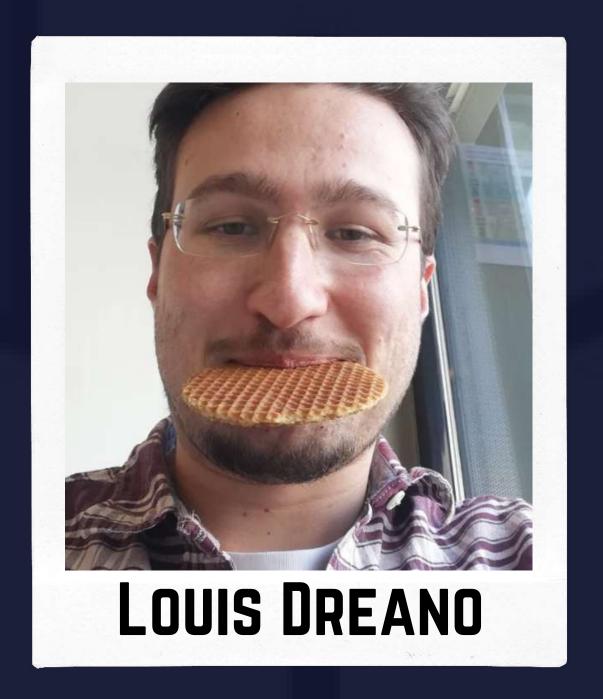
WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE QUOTE?

"IF A PROBLEM IS FIXABLE, IF A SITUATION IS SUCH THAT YOU CAN DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT, THEN THERE IS NO NEED TO WORRY. IF IT'S NOT FIXABLE, THEN THERE IS NO HELP IN WORRYING. THERE IS NO BENEFIT IN WORRYING WHATSOEVER." — THE DALAI LAMA WHO INSPIRES YOU?

CONFIDENT WOMEN WITH BIG DREAMS AND THE COURAGE TO CHASE THEM

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?

PROBABLY WORKING SOMEWHERE IN SOUTH AMERICA OR TAKING ACTING CLASSES



AGE: 23
QUOTE: WELL....
WHO INSPIRES YO

WHO INSPIRES YOU?

ABHIJIT BANERJEE & ESTHER DUFLO AT THE MOMENT BUT AMARTYA SEN ALWAYS

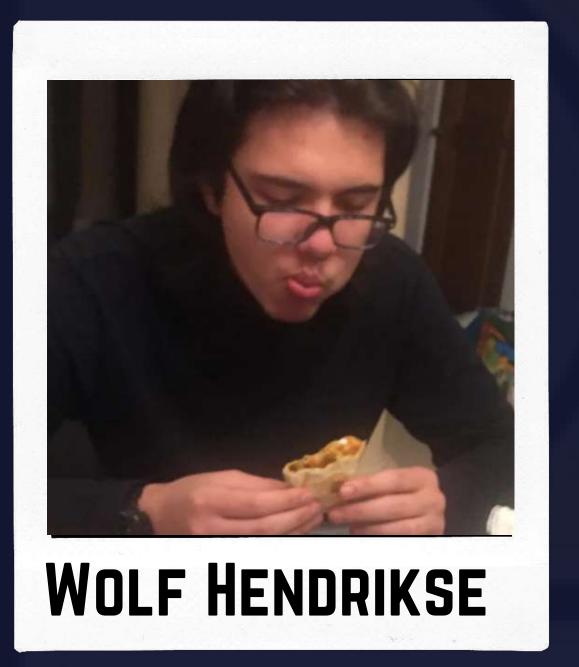
FOR 3RD YEAR STUDENTS: WHAT WILL YOU BE DOING NEXT YEAR? STUDYING ASIAN LANGUAGES AT INALCO IN PARIS AND DOING A COOL INTERNSHIP SOMEWHERE (INSHALLAH)



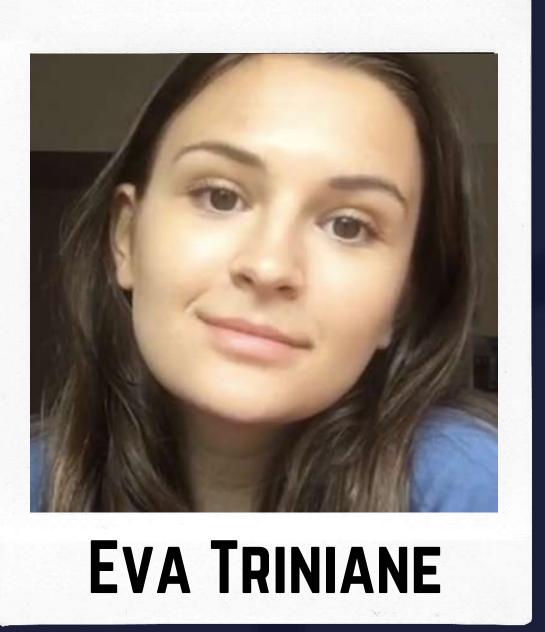
AGE: 21
WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE QUOTE?
DONALD TRUMP: "I TESTED POSITIVELY TOWARDS NEGATIVE".
WHO INSPIRES YOU?
BARACK OBAMA, RUTH BADER GINSBURG AND NELSON MANDELA
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?
ENJOYING SOME FREE TIME



AGE:22
WHO INSPIRES YOU?
CANADIAN CHARLES TAYLOR
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?
STUDYING POST-MODERN DANCE THEORY
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?
POLICY LAB



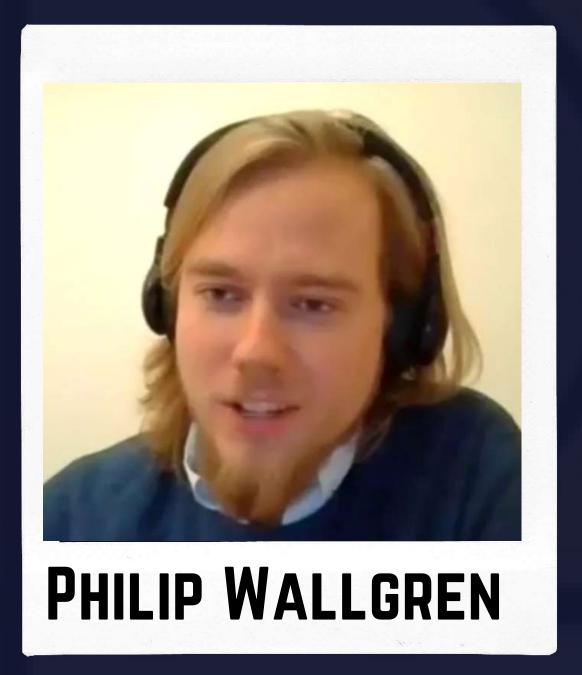
AGE: 21
WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE QUOTE?
"BEER CAN WITH A BRITISH ACCENT SOUNDS LIKE BACON
WITH A JAMAICAN ONE"- SEÑOR BLANCO
WHO INSPIRES YOU?
NINNETTE AND JOHN WILKES BOOTH
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING
RIGHT NOW?
SMILING



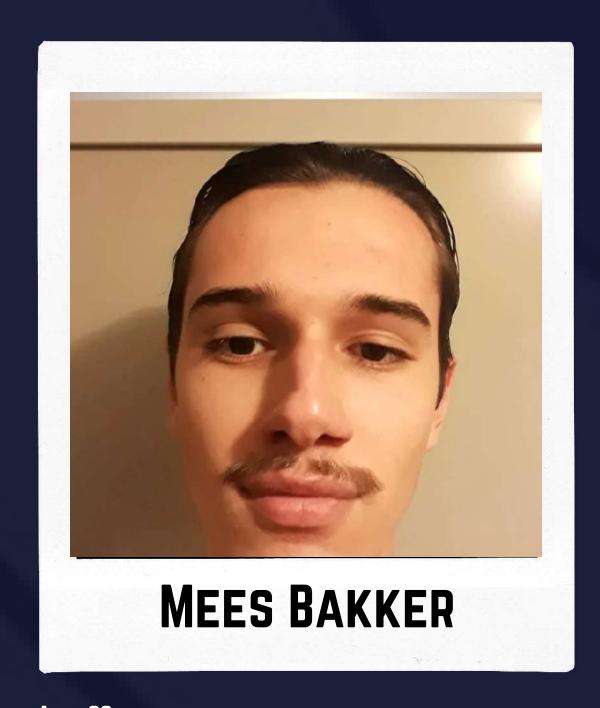
AGE: 21
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?
DESIGNING T-SHIRTS ON JACKBOX
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?
THESIS
WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR?
WHEN LOUIS CHANGED HIS GLASSES



AGE: 22
QUOTE: "GET YOUR SHIT TOGETHER" - ROLAND
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?
'DEFINITELY' POLICY LAB
WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR?
HOPEFULLY GRADUATING



AGE: 23
QUOTE: "YOU'RE ON MUTE"
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?
THE ONES WITH PROCTORED EXAMS.
WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR?
"YOU'RE ON MUTE"



AGE: 22

QUOTE: THE SKY IS FALLING, THE WIND IS CALLING STAND FOR SOMETHING, OR DIE IN THE MORNING

WHO INSPIRES YOU?

5 YEAR OLD ME

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?

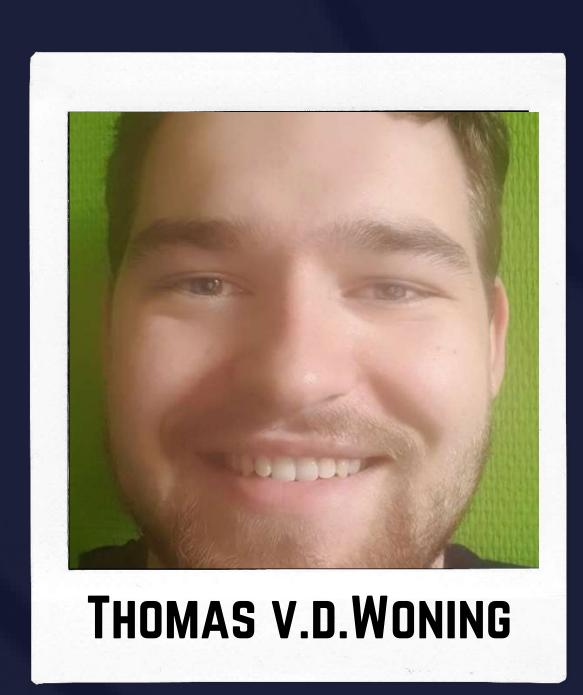
LISTENING TO "GET DIS MONEY" SOMEWHERE IN BREDA



AGE: 21
QUOTE: THE WORLD BELONGS TO THE BRAVE
WHO INSPIRES YOU?
FAMILY AND FRIENDS
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?
PILOT TRAINING



**AGE: 22** WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR? **METHODS III** WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR? 1 WEEK HOLIDAY IN MAY



**AGE: 21** 

WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR? WRITING THE THESIS.

WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR? THE FIRST TIME SEEING EACH OTHER ONLINE AGAIN (THE YEAR WAS PRETTY MEH FOR MEMORABLE MOMENTS) WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS? BEING A VENTURE CAPITALIST.



**AGE: 22** WHO INSPIRES YOU? **ASBESTOS REMOVAL SPECIALIST** IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW? \*LOOK AT ATTATCHED PHOTO\* WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?



**AGE: 20** 

OTSO'S WOK. IT'S PENG.

QUOTE: 'HAPPINESS IS ALWAYS THE JOUISSANCE OF THE IMPOSSIBLE.' **ALAIN BADIOU** 

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?

SUMMIT OF K2, WHO KNOWS.

FOR 3RD YEAR STUDENTS: WHAT WILL YOU BE DOING NEXT YEAR? KITESURFING AND MOUNTAINEERING SOMEWHERE IN SOUTH-AMERICA.



AGE: 22
WHO INSPIRES YOU?
ERICO DUEMON AND HIS DEDICATION
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?
DRINKING A GLASS OF RED WINE SOMEPLACE SUNNIER
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?
METHODS 3



AGE: 21
WHO INSPIRES YOU?
BERNIE SANDERS AND SYLVANA SIMONS
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?
DRINKING WINE WITH TAMARA



AGE: 29
WHO INSPIRES YOU?
MY OLD ROOMMATE CARLA - SHE IS THE MOST INSPIRATIONAL
WOMAN I HAVE MET IN MY LIFE
IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?
PROBABLY WORKING MY ASS OFF SOMEWHERE
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?
METHODS III - GAME THEORY



AGE: 22
QUOTE: "PEOPLE ALWAYS SAY THAT I DIDN'T GIVE UP MY SEAT BECAUSE I WAS TIRED, BUT THAT ISN'T TRUE... NO, THE ONLY TIRED I WAS, WAS TIRED OF GIVING IN." - ROSA PARKS WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?
EU INSTITUTIONS, POLITICS AND POLICY



Age: 22 Who inspires you? LIZZO

What course did you enjoy most this year?
I really liked the courses in my minor: Gender & Diversity
For 3rd year students: What will you be doing next year?
Starting the master: Comparative Cultural Analysis



AGE: 24

WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR?
THE MOMENT WHEN YOU CLOSE ALL THE TABS AFTER FINISHING ANY ASSIGNMENT. BEST. SHIT. EVER.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?

DRINKING BEER WHILST COMPLAINIG ABOUT HOW EASY UNIVERSITY IS NOWADAYS.



AGE: 23
WHAT COURSE DID YOU ENJOY MOST THIS YEAR?
METHODS III THANKS TO MARINA
WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR?
I WENT TO UNI ONCE AND SAW 3 PEOPLE
WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?
VERY WEALTHY



**AGE: 22** 

WHAT WAS YOUR MOST MEMORABLE PPE MOMENT THIS YEAR?
STUDY ADVISOR NOT KNOWING THAT YOU CAN DELAY GRADUATION
WITH 1 YEAR

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?

MILKING HOUSES

FOR 3RD YEAR STUDENTS: WHAT WILL YOU BE DOING NEXT YEAR? GOING ON EXCHANGE



AGE: 23

IF YOU WEREN'T STUDYING PPE WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING RIGHT NOW?

EITHER STUDYING MEDICINE OR WORKING AS A SURF INSTRUCTOR

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF IN 10 YEARS?

SOMEWHERE CLOSE TO THE OCEAN

FOR 3RD YEAR STUDENTS: WHAT WILL YOU BE DOING

**NEXT YEAR?** 

STUDYING IMPACT ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT IN LISBON



AGE: 23 WHO INSPIRES YOU? VERONICA IVY

FOR 3RD YEAR STUDENTS: WHAT WILL YOU BE DOING NEXT YEAR? HOPEFULLY NOT MY PPE THESIS

## MEET THE TUTORS



**AKSHATH JITENDRANATH** 

- Q: What do you do when you're not teaching?

  A: Research, tending to my houseplants, reading poetry,

  curating playlists on Spotify, and watching Test Cricket.
- Q: GENERAL LIFE ADVICE FOR STUDENTS?
  A: EDUCATE. AGITATE. ORGANISE.
- Q: Who is your favorite scholar or academic role model? A: Amartya Sen.
- Q: In one sentence, what is your PhD research?
  A: What, if anything, is a hard choice?
- Q: WHAT WAS YOUR FAVORITE MOMENT THIS YEAR?

  A: AS ALWAYS, TEACHING ETHICS IN THE FIRST PERIOD TO THE NEW COHORT OF STUDENTS.
- Q: WHAT DO YOU DO WHEN YOU'RE NOT TEACHING?
  - A: THIS YEAR NOT A WHOLE BESIDES RESEARCH, READING AND WALKING THE DOG... AND, OBVIOUSLY, ENDLESS NETFLIX SCROLLING.
- Q: GENERAL LIFE ADVICE FOR STUDENTS?
  - A: TRY TO KEEP THINGS SIMPLE
- Q: WHO IS YOUR FAVORITE SCHOLAR OR ACADEMIC ROLE MODEL?
  - A: ANTHONY ATKINSON FOR HIS WORK ON THE MEASUREMENT OF POVERTY AND INEQUALITY AND WHAT CAN BE DONE.
- Q: IN ONE SENTENCE, WHAT IS YOUR PHD RESEARCH?
  - A: INVESTIGATING THE ROLE OF PARENTAL BACKGROUND ON DIFFERENT KINDS OF LIFE OUTCOMES.
- Q: WHAT WAS YOUR FAVORITE MOMENT THIS YEAR?
  - A: TEACHING IN 3 DIFFERENT TIME ZONES AT THE SAME TIME.





## MEET THE TUTORS



- Q: WHAT DO YOU DO WHEN YOU'RE NOT TEACHING? A: RESEARCH.
- Q: GENERAL LIFE ADVICE FOR STUDENTS?

  A: WHATEVER YOU DO NOW IS IMPORTANT FOR YOU BUT DOESN'T DEFINE YOU OR DETERMINE YOUR LIFE, AT ALL, SO DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT.
- Q: Who is your favorite scholar or academic role model?

  A: TO BE HONEST, I HAVE FAVOURITE IDEAS IN AND APPROACHES TO SCHOLARSHIP,
  BUT WOULDN'T SAY PEOPLE. MY ACADEMIC ROLE MODELS ARE ALL
  EXCELLENT TEACHERS I'VE PERSONALLY ENCOUNTERED AT VARIOUS STAGES OF
  MY LIFE SO FAR.
- Q: IN ONE SENTENCE, WHAT IS YOUR PHD RESEARCH?
  A:POWER.
- Q: WHAT WAS YOUR FAVORITE MOMENT THIS YEAR?

  A: SEEING STUDENTS PERSEVERE DESPITE IT ALL.
- Q: WHAT DO YOU DO WHEN YOU'RE NOT TEACHING?
  A: I LOVE TO COOK AND PLAY SPORTS.
- Q: GENERAL LIFE ADVICE FOR STUDENTS?

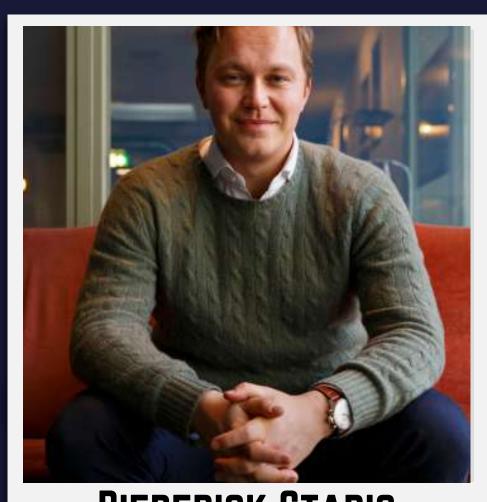
  A: IF YOU LOVE SOMETHING. SET IT FREE. UNLESS IT'S A TIGER
- Q: WHO IS YOUR FAVORITE SCHOLAR OR ACADEMIC ROLE MODEL?

  A: MARK BLYTH
- Q: IN ONE SENTENCE, WHAT IS YOUR PHD RESEARCH?

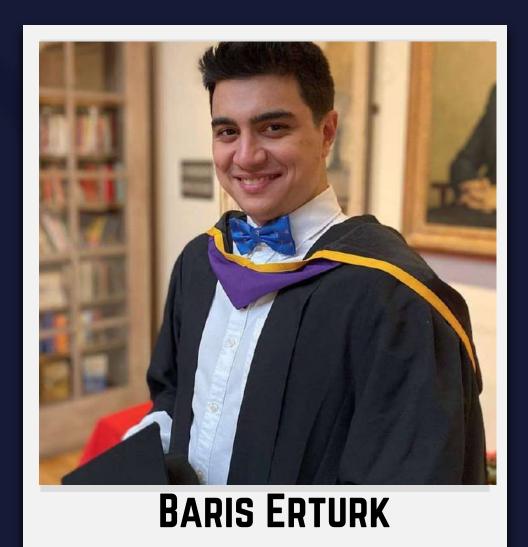
  A: I LOOK AT WHY AND WITH WHAT EFFECTS CORPORATE TAXES HAVE BEEN REFORMED IN THE EU.
- Q: WHAT WAS YOUR FAVORITE MOMENT THIS YEAR?

  A: THERE ARE JUST TOO MANY ZOOM SESSIONS TO CHOOSE FROM. HONESTLY THOUGH, I

  HAVE BEEN VERY IMPRESSED WITH HOW STUDENTS HAVE COPED WITH ONLINE TEACHING.



**DIEDERICK STADIG** 

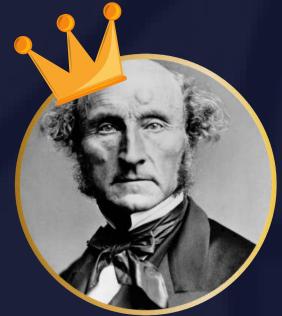


ADVICE: LIFE WILL COME WITH UPS AND DOWNS; YOU WILL NEED TO GRASP THE IMPORTANCE OF THE "PROCESS". SUCCESS AND HAPPINESS WILL TURN UP AND RISE THROUGH THESE "PROCESSES".

RESEARCH TOPIC: MY RESEARCH TOPIC IS ABOUT THE POLITICIZATION PROCESS OF THE EUROPEAN UNION FOREIGN POLICY.

### 1ST YEAR WHO'S MOST LIKELY TO ....

#### **BECOME PRIME MINISTER?**





Elias Marseille 2. Damian Schenk

#### START A SOCIALIST REVOLUTION?





1. Emilio Haumer 2. Tate Gibbs

#### BECOME AN INTERNET CELEBRITY?





Alba Roiner 2. Anne Valerie Lyeb

#### **BECOME THE NEXT ELON MUSK?**





1. Niklas Schumacher 2. Matthew Guo

#### WRITE A BOOK?



Jan Otte 1.



2. Henrik Reineke

#### BECOME A PROFESSOR?



1. Job Siegmann



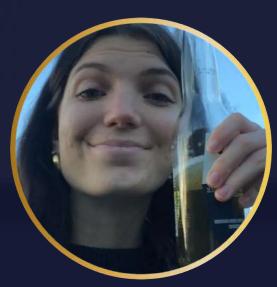
2. Ana de Boer

### 2ND YEAR WHO'S MOST LIKELY TO ....

#### **BECOME PRIME MINISTER?**







#### START A SOCIALIST REVOLUTION?



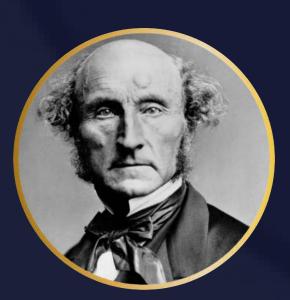




#### BECOME AN INTERNET CELEBRITY?



Cecilia Gonzalez



2. No runner-up

#### **BECOME THE NEXT ELON MUSK?**





1. Maximilian Merz 2. Max Uphoff

#### WRITE A BOOK?





1. Koen Bruning 2. Nyoxani Mazive

#### **BECOME A PROFESSOR?**



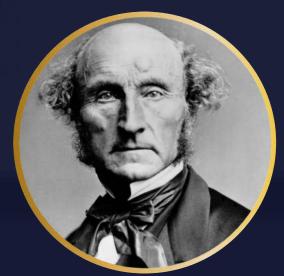


1. Jacob Grein 2. Svenja Hitzemann

### 3RD YEAR WHO'S MOST LIKELY TO ....

#### **BECOME PRIME MINISTER?**





Bas Bouman 2. Eline van Leeuwen

#### START A SOCIALIST REVOLUTION?





#### BECOME AN INTERNET CELEBRITY?





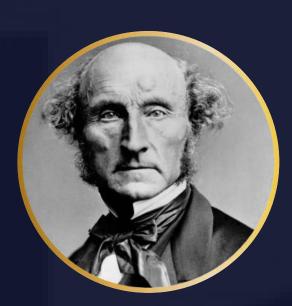


2. Jil Delling

#### **BECOME THE NEXT ELON MUSK?**







Floris Rozema 2. Jerome Zaalberg

#### WRITE A BOOK?



1. Varsha Thomas

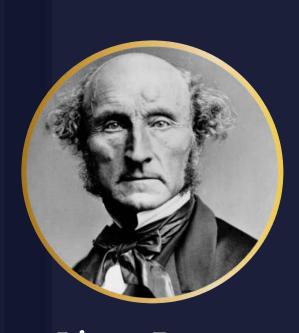


2. Nina Reis

#### **BECOME A PROFESSOR?**



1. Noah Schmitt



2. Lieve Bogtrop

## The Kalliope Board



A WEIRD BUT NEVERTHELESS UNFORGETTABLE AND WONDERFUL YEAR - THIS IS WHAT WE HOPED FOR AT THE BEGINNING OF OUR BOARD YEAR AND WE CAN CERTAINLY SAY THAT OUR EXPECTATIONS WEREN'T DISAPPOINTED. IT WAS A VERY DIFFICULT YEAR FOR EVERYONE: INDIVIDUALLY, FOR US AS THE BOARD, AND FOR THE COMMITTEES. WE HAD TO ADAPT, BE CREATIVE AND FOCUS ON DIFFERENT THINGS.

AS A BOARD, WE HAVE LEARNED AND GROWN A LOT AND WE ARE VERY HAPPY WITH HOW OUR OUTPUT TURNED OUT GIVEN ALL THE CHALLENGES WE FACED. WE ARE VERY PROUD OF OUR COMMITTEES AND ALL THE MEMBERS, WHO DESPITE COVID, PUT IN A LOT OF HARD WORK AND EFFORT, BRINGING LIFE TO THE PPE COMMUNITY AND BRINGING PEOPLE CLOSER TOGETHER - EVEN WHEN BEHIND SCREENS. FROM THE ONLINE BORRELS, THE SPORTS TOURNAMENTS, THE GAMES AND TALKS, TO THE LATE MERCH, THIS YEAR WAS A VERY SUCCESSFUL AND FUN ONE FOR KALLIOPPE!

WE HOPE EVERYONE ENJOYED IT AS MUCH AS WE DID.

Now, to quote Board III, "It is time for new, fresh minds to take over and put their stamp on the ever-evolving project that is Kallioppe".

See you on the 4th floor!

BEST WISHES,
BEA, FELIX, MAX, XANI, AND MARIA
KALLIOPPE BOARD IV (2020-2021)

### PPE

## ENGOUNTERS



WE ARE YVONA, ELSA, CECILIA, WIEKE, ENZO, GIULIA, JAKOB AND MARIA - THE 2020/2021 PPE ENCOUNTERS TEAM! OUR STUDENT-LED INITIATIVE WAS FOUNDED IN 2018 WITH THE AIM OF CREATING AN INNOVATIVE PLATFORM, WHERE MOTIVATED STUDENTS CAN ENGAGE IN A GENUINE ENCOUNTER WITH EXPERTS AND PROFESSIONALS FROM DIFFERENT BACKGROUNDS. OUR GOAL IS TO PROVIDE OUR AUDIENCE WITH NEW KNOWLEDGE BUT ALSO, AND MAYBE MORE IMPORTANTLY, TO SPARK CONTROVERSY AND AS MUCH DISCUSSION AS POSSIBLE. WE ENJOY CHALLENGING OUR GUESTS BY DIVING INTO THEIR FIELD WITH CARE AND ASKING DARING QUESTIONS.

THIS YEAR WAS DIFFICULT BECAUSE, DUE TO COVID, WE HAD TO ADAPT OUR EVENTS TO AN ONLINE FORMAT. HOWEVER, WE MANAGED TO INVITE A RANGE OF INTERESTING SPEAKERS WITH WHOM WE TALKED ABOUT DEMOCRACY AND INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITY, HOW TO INCORPORATE EUDAIMONIA INTO OUR DAILY LIVES, RETHINKING THE ECONOMY IN THE FORM OF STEWARD OWNERSHIP, AND ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE.

WE ALSO LAUNCHED OUR VERY OWN PPE ENCOUNTERS PODCAST WHICH IS AVAILABLE ON SPOTIFY! OUR EPISODES COVER TOPICS RANGING FROM YOUTH ENGAGEMENT IN POLITICS TO TOXIC MASCULINITY AND INTERVIEWS WITH PPE-RELATED GUESTS.

INSTAGRAM: @PPE\_ENCOUNTERS
WEBSITE: HTTPS://PPEENCOUNTERSAMSTERDAM.HOME.BLOG/
SPOTIFY: PPE ENCOUNTERS

## PPE

## IN PERSON



THIS YEAR WAS NOT ONLY PPE IN PERSON'S THIRD YEAR, BUT ALSO ITS FIRST ONE FULLY ON ZOOM. IN FACT, WE COULD HAVE RENAMED OURSELVES PPE IN ZOOM.

JOKES ASIDE, WE ARE LOOKING BACK TO AN EVENTFUL AND FULFILLING YEAR:

HAVING SAID GOODBYE TO THREE OF OUR OLDER MEMBERS, NOAH, LENA AND MEES, WE CONTINUED TO WORK ON OUR FUNDAMENTAL AIM TO PROVIDE A SAFE AND INCLUSIVE SPACE FOR CRITICAL DISCUSSION AND REFLECTION FROM A PERSONAL AND SOCIAL PERSPECTIVE UPON TOPICS FROM THE PPE PROGRAM AND COMMUNITY.

WE ALSO FOCUSED ON SUPPORTING UNDERPRIVILEGED SPEAKERS AND RAISING AWARENESS, BRINGING TO THE TABLE IMPORTANT TOPICS SUCH AS MENTAL HEALTH, FEMINISM AND ANTI-RACISM. EVEN THOUGH COVID HAS BEEN MOSTLY A BURDEN, MAKING IT MORE DIFFICULT TO PERSONALLY CONNECT AND OPEN UP, IT ALSO ENABLED US TO VIRTUALLY HOST PEOPLE THAT IN NORMAL CIRCUMSTANCES WOULD HAVE BEEN VERY DIFFICULT: LEARNING ABOUT ANTI-RACISM WITH SHARUN GONZALES IN MIAMI OR DISCUSSING THE RESPONSIBILITY OF PPE CAREERS WITH A PANEL OF ALUMNI AND STUDENTS RESIDING ALL AROUND THE WORLD.

AS A TEAM, A CLEAR HIGHLIGHT HAS BEEN TO WELCOME TWO NEW MEMBERS ON BOARD: AISSATOU AND SOPHIE!

WE ARE VERY PROUD OF WHAT WE HAVE DONE THIS YEAR AND HOPE TO BE CLOSER AGAIN NEXT YEAR.

SINCERELY,
- THE PPE IN PERSON TEAM,
AISSATOU, BEA, ETHAN, JULIAN, SOPHIE AND SVENJA

# PICTURES VOLLEYBALL









# PICTURES MUN CONFERENCE



# PICTURES COMMITTEE DAY







## PICTURES FRESHERS WEEK







