#Young Elected Liberal Leaders
Summit of Young Elected Local and Regional Politicians
**WHAT**

Following on from the success of the previous Summits of Young Elected Local and Regional Leaders that took place in 2017, 2018 and 2019, Renew Europe CoR group have yet again teamed up with European Liberal Youth (LYMEC) and Young Democrats for Europe (YDE) to organise a fourth in 2020. Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the event will take place online.

**WHERE**

Online.

**WHEN**

25 September 2020.

**WHY**

To provide an opportunity for young liberal democrat local and regional elected leaders to meet and share ideas and best practice amongst themselves.

**WHO**

You are encouraged to apply if: 1) you are between 18 and 35; 2) you hold an elected mandate at local or regional level; and 3) you hold a position of responsibility either in government or in opposition.

**HOW TO APPLY**

Visit lymec.eu or youngdemocrats.eu website. Fill in registration form indicating your elected mandate, your current position of responsibility in government or opposition, the dates these began, and your preferred policy topic to be discussed at the summit.* Deadline for registrations 11 September. Final selection and agenda will be communicated in early September.

*Places are limited (5 applications per member organisation) and selection will be carried out by Renew Europe CoR based on experience, and with a view to ensuring geographical, policy and gender balance. The draft agenda and confirmations will be sent in early September.

**ABOUT**

The European Committee of the Regions is a political assembly giving voice to cities and regions in the EU policy process. Its members include mayors, regional presidents, regional parliamentarians, and members of municipal councils. The President of Renew Europe CoR is François DECOUSTE, Mayor of Saint-Omer.

The European Liberal Youth, abbreviated as LYMEC, is a pan-European youth organisation seeking to promote liberal values throughout the EU as the youth organisation of the ALDE Party and the Renew Europe parliamentary groups in the European Parliament and European Committee of the Regions.

The Young Democrats for Europe is the youth wing of the European Democratic Party and Renew Europe groups in the European Parliament and the European Committee of the Regions. It was announced on 9 May 2007, the 50th Anniversary of the Treaty of Rome, and formally established at its first conference on 22 September 2007 in Vilnius, Lithuania. The founding members are the youth wings of the seven EDP founding political parties.