

## YES Board

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To Whom It May Concern,

I am pleased to recommend Iryna Strusevych, who has been an integral part of our team during her internship with Yalta European Strategy (YES). Irina's dedication and exceptional performance in managing participants, coordinating with high-profile speakers, and preparing critical event materials have made her an invaluable asset to our organization.

During the YES Annual Meeting, Iryna was responsible for participant management and liaising with high-level speakers, including Ministers of European states. She approached this role with outstanding professionalism, ensuring seamless coordination with multiple stakeholders. Her attention to detail, ability to adapt quickly, and skill in maintaining diplomatic yet efficient communication contributed significantly to the event's success.

Recognizing her contribution, we extended her internship to our upcoming events at the Munich Security Conference, where she now manages liaison activities with officials' offices, including Heads of States and Governments. Irina continues to excel in this role, coordinating complex schedules, handling high-level engagements, and maintaining strong working relationships with key diplomatic and governmental contacts.

Beyond her organizational skills, Iryna has also shown proficiency in preparing analytical materials, briefing documents, and supporting key decision-making processes. Her analytical mindset, ability to anticipate logistical challenges, and collaborative spirit have made her a highly effective team member.

I am confident that Iryna's dedication, exceptional organizational skills, and proven ability to work with high-profile figures will make her a valuable addition to any team or project she pursues.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require further details regarding her performance or qualifications.

Best regards,

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