



**JERMAIN
JACKMAN**

MANIFESTO

**LABOUR PARTY
CLP NEC PLACE**

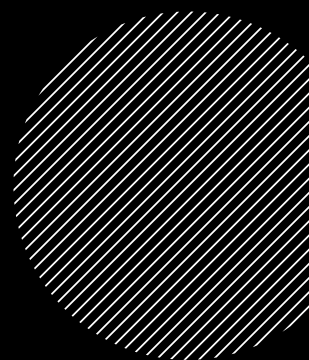


INTRO

I'm standing to be your next CLP representative and I'm asking for your support and your CLP's nomination. When I think about the unprecedented times we are living in and the uncertainty that lies ahead, this is a crucial moment for our Party to rebuild and invest in a strong network of active branches, grassroots activists, members and local communities - ensuring that we listen and learn from all corners of our movement to shape our strategy, policy and campaigns as we fight for a radical Labour government. I'm a proud young socialist and community activist who has tirelessly campaigned, canvassed locally and nationally and led efforts to tackle issues in and outside of our party.

The various roles I held within my CLP as Youth Officer and in our Ethnic Minority Forum, chairing Islington's Fair Futures Commission and Hackney's Young Futures Commission, has enabled me to not only be an effective representative by fighting for those who feel disheartened and disengaged but empower them to be actively involved in the decisions that shape their lives.

With my experience of community activism, I hope to bring new, creative and innovative ideas to the NEC. Our members and CLP's deserve a strong grassroots voice on the NEC to ensure our Labour movement remains committed to its socialist and anti-racist values as we continue to democratise and diversify our party - I am that candidate. The decisions made by the NEC impact the future of our movement. It is vital our party has CLP representatives that have the interests of members, Trade unions, grassroots activists and communities at heart. I want to announce Five Key Pledges which sets out my focuses if elected as CLP representative on the NEC:





FIVE PLEDGES

1

A robust complaints procedure fit for purpose with a zero-tolerance approach to all forms of racism, sexual harassment, transphobia and other forms of discrimination.

2

Further Party democratisation and member participation in shaping policy.

3

Implement political education conferences & retain the Bernie Grant and Jo Cox Women in Leadership programmes to educate and empower members.

4

Increasing the accessibility of CLP meetings.

5

Supporting the campaign for a radical Labour Government.

CLP NOMINATION SPEECH #JJ4NEC

I'm here to nominate Jermain Jackman for the NEC CLP position. We all know how important this election is. The NEC is a vital body to this party and this movement, as such, it should shame us all that we have never elected a black man into the NEC. We all must work together to break that ceiling, and I feel that Jermain Jackman is that candidate. Jermain is a young socialist who has always put his community first. He's tirelessly campaigned and canvassed locally and nationally and led efforts to tackle issues in and outside of our party. Jermain pledges to make our party more accessible and democratic. These include A robust complaints procedure fit for purpose, Further Party democratisation, the expansion of political education programs, improving accessibility to CLP meetings and finally supporting a radical Labour Government looking to the future. Jermain commits himself to all of these pledges to improve this party for good.

In the era of Black Lives Matter, we need an NEC who can respond to this with true anti-racist credentials. Jermain has consistently campaigned for black lives matter and has always challenged those in power within his community to do better in responding to the systemic injustices we have in society today. Many members of colour currently feel disenfranchised, disheartened and disengaged from getting involved within the party. That was the reason why Jermain helped set up the 1987 Caucus (a group for young black men in the Labour Party, campaigning on issues & to increase representation at all levels of the Labour Party). If you believe that this party can always do more to champion and progress the needs of those marginalised communities If you feel like this NEC needs more community activists if you feel that the NEC should act less as a sectarian tool and more of a true representation of our grassroots. I urge you to nominate Jermain.

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