

Motivation Letter

Dear Members of the ICA Youth Committee,

I am honored to submit my candidacy for the position of Executive Committee Member-at-Large of the ICA Youth Committee.

As a representative of the Russian cooperative movement and an active member of the ICA Youth Committee, I have dedicated my professional career to empowering young people through cooperative education, leadership development, and meaningful engagement with employers and communities. In my current role as Head of the Career Center at UTEP of Centrosoyuz of the Russian Federation, I lead initiatives that connect students with employment opportunities, strengthen partnerships with industry, and promote practical education that prepares young people for successful careers.

Over the past several years, I have managed educational projects, coordinated multidisciplinary teams, organized youth-focused events, and worked closely with cooperative organizations and regional stakeholders. These experiences have strengthened my leadership, communication, and organizational skills while reinforcing my belief that cooperatives provide one of the most effective models for creating inclusive and sustainable opportunities for young people.

If elected, I will actively contribute to implementing the ICA Youth Committee's four-year work plan by promoting greater youth participation, strengthening collaboration among ICA members across regions, and sharing successful practices in cooperative education and youth engagement. I am committed to representing the diverse voices of young cooperators, encouraging international cooperation, and helping build a stronger global network of future cooperative leaders.

I am fully prepared to dedicate the necessary time and effort to participate in Executive Committee meetings and activities, collaborate with colleagues worldwide, and contribute constructively to achieving the Committee's objectives.

Thank you for considering my application. I would be privileged to serve the global cooperative movement and work alongside fellow young leaders to advance the values and principles of cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

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