

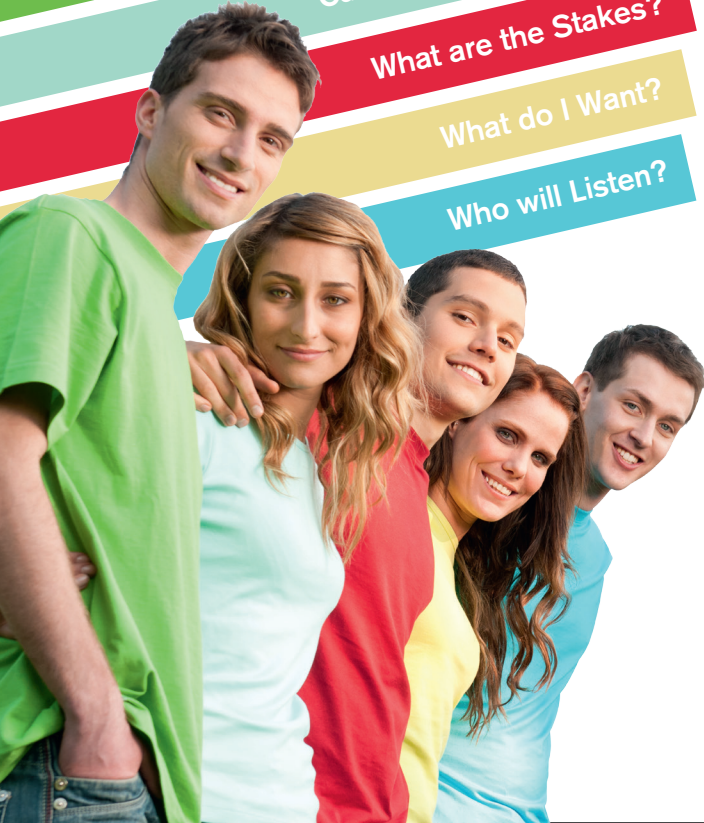
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## Engaging Young Swiss Adults in the Swiss Political Process

To help young adults with this complex challenge, a special information event has been initiated by FOSSUK, and jointly organised with the New Helvetic Society, the City Swiss Club and Unione Ticinese.

A panel of three will present and, among other topics, will identify the stakes involved in young Swiss adults residing in the UK, engaging, or not engaging, in Swiss politics.

Entrance is free, but space is limited, so registration by 24<sup>th</sup> October 2016 is essential.

The event takes place at  
**The Royal Society of Medicine**  
1 Wimpole Street  
London, W1G 0AE  
**Thursday, 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2016**  
from 18.30 – 20.30

#### Moderator:

- **François Voeffray**, Deputy Head of Mission at the Swiss Embassy in London.

#### Panellists:

- **Anja Wyden Guelpa**, State Chancellor, Republic and State of Geneva.  
The Chancellery promotes the participation of the young population in Swiss political life. This includes promoting media created by young adults, targeted at young adults, that communicates the stakes involved from being excluded from the political process.
- **Nick Couldry**, Professor of Media, Communications and Social Theory at the London School of Economics. Nick publishes extensively on what it means to live in a media-saturated world and argues for the value and recognition of individual 'voice' as the basis of true democratic politics.
- **Davide Wüthrich**, President of the Youth Parliament of the Swiss Abroad (YPSA), founded in August 2015 in Geneva at the 'Congress of the Swiss Abroad'. The YPSA believes that the 'voice' of young citizens living outside Switzerland needs to be better represented in Swiss politics.

## A reception will follow the event

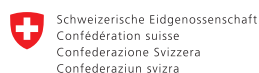
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Join our free event where we guide you through the complex Swiss political processes and answer your questions.

Applications have to be submitted by **24<sup>th</sup> October**.  
Do register early as spaces are strictly limited.

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## Registration form

I/We would like to attend

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Replies to:

via email: [secretary@swiss-societies.co.uk](mailto:secretary@swiss-societies.co.uk)

via post: Youth Event; Lincoln House; 75 Brookesley Street; E3 4QJ London

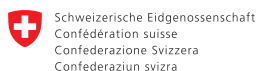
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