# National Policy Forum Elections 2012

The following <u>three</u> candidates are standing together seeking CLP nominations for the 2012 National Policy Forum elections.

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### **Alice Perry**

I support progressive Labour policies aimed at addressing the inequality at the heart of many social problems in society. Policies aimed at creating jobs and apprenticeships for local people, supporting a living wage, building more affordable family housing, free school meals for all school children and opposing cuts to front line community policing are all policies that have won votes for Labour where I live, and saw me elected to Islington Council in Boris Johnson's ward, in August 2011.

As an NPF Representative I would be available and accountable to London CLPs and would attend CLP GC and branch meetings.

Councillor, St Peter's, Islington, Vice-Chair, Islington South & Finsbury CLP – also Co-op Party and UCU. **Membership number:** L0111249 **Contact:** aliceperryuk@gmail.com or @aliceperryuk



## **Gary Heather**

As a committed socialist I want Labour to end child poverty, improve health and education, tax the super rich, promote peace and international development, return utilities and the railways to public ownership, build more affordable council and social housing, enhance employment and trade union rights, and create a green economy with sustainable energy and green jobs.

I want to listen to the views of party members and be accountable to them by attending CLP meetings and staying in regular two-way contact with CLPs.

Chair, Islington North CLP - also a member of Compass, the Fabian Society, the Co-op Party and CWU. **Membership number:** A006966 **Contact:** garyheather@btinternet.com



# Sally Hussain for youth rep

I'm standing to be London's Youth rep on the NPF as someone who knows what harm this Tory government is doing to young people. I lost my EMA and I was politicised by these cuts. EMA, Connexions, Higher Education fees, Future Jobs Fund - we were right to oppose Tory cuts to the programmes we set up to invest in young people. With protests growing, we have to re-open our own debate on these issues and bring those young people in.

As young people increasingly use social media to express their concerns I will use it to seek opinions to take to our policy discussions - and to report back to you. As an NPF member I will be a voice for young Londoners at the heart of Labour's policy process.

I am a member of Ealing North CLP and have been an intern in the Ken Livingstone campaign office. **Membership number:** L1174873 **Contact:** hussainsally@hotmail.co.uk or @SallyHussain\_



In addition to Alice, Gary and Sally, we recommend you re-nominate sitting NPF representatives:

### Alon Or-bach and Nicky Gavron

Alon and Nicky have consistently fought for more transparency and accountability in our policy making, campaigning for one-member-one-vote and a stronger voice for members. *Between them* they've supported progressive policies on the NPF, speaking up for London on issues such as housing, environment, equalities, democratic reform, immigration, living wages and working rights.

Membership numbers: Alon L0000531 and Nicky A131078

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Your CLP can nominate five individuals, one for a youth place, for elections to the National Policy Forum which will take place by all-member postal ballot in the Summer. Your CLP Secretary must submit the nomination by 30<sup>th</sup> March.