

# NOMINATE SEEMA CHANDWANI



I have been your CLP Representative on the Conference Arrangements Committee (CAC) since October 2017. In that time I have had a 100% attendance record, I have updated CLP Secretaries and members who have subscribed to my mailing list every month with a report and have responded to 342 individual queries from members.

My key achievements have been:

- Improving our accessibility issues with Disabled members.
- Launched a Conference Charity scheme
- Ensured equality monitoring takes place of delegates and visitors to ensure Conference is representative.
- Overseen changes to our registration system
- Ensured a more accountable appeals system for rejected delegates
- Enabled a CLP Secs event to take place at Conference
- Undertaken a key piece of work on how we can increase participation of Scottish CLPs
- Pushed for a fairer 'speaker selection' process
- Advocated for a dedicated fund for Disabled delegates who require additional support to participate at Conference
- Visited over 18 CLPs and spoken at 11 events to discuss how Conference works.

I am now seeking your nomination and vote again to be your representative on the CAC until 2021. I believe there are still many things to do. The Democracy Review has enabled us to make many changes to Conference, and I hope you have confidence in me to be part of the team to ensure its implementation.

My goal for the next two years is to:

- Ensure motions passed on the Conference floor becomes our party's policy.
- Find ways more grassroots campaigns can be part of the Conference
- Address the barriers some CLPs have in participating in Conference
- Open the work of the CAC further for members so members have the knowledge to ensure Conference works for them.

In October 2018 I undertook a membership survey with over 300 people taking part. I was humbled to receive a 95% satisfaction rate. I hope that confidence in my work remains and you nominate and elect me again.

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**Seema Chandwani currently represents the CLPs on the CAC and is re-standing for election**

**Tottenham CLP**

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CLPs can nominate up to two candidates for the Conference Arrangements Committee till Friday 14 June. Please urge your CLP to nominate the CLGA supported candidates.

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