

Committee: **London Public Library**

Organization/Sector represented: **Arts and Non-profit Healthcare**

Name: **Adi Berardini**

Occupation: **Regional and Digital Engagement Coordinator**

Work experience: **I have experience in the Arts and Non-Profit Healthcare sector and I am currently the Regional and Digital Engagement Coordinator at Regional HIV/AIDS Connection. I have experience in marketing, publishing, and editing with a strong literary interest. Recently, I started my own digital arts publication called Femme Art Review. I also completed a digital archiving co-op at Emily Carr University of Art and Design Library.**

Education: **I have a degree in Cultural and Critical Practice with a minor in curating from Emily Carr University of Art and Design. I also have past education in communications.**

Skills: **First and foremost, I am community minded with a strong passion for literacy and the arts. I am organized, reliable and detail-oriented. I have a strong financial sense and I have successfully managed a publication budget of \$15K.**

Interest reason: **I am interested in serving the City of London on this body since I am passionate about democratic literacy in our community. Libraries bring much more than just books--they bring the power of education, knowledge and community service.**

Contributions: **I can contribute to this body since I bring an opinion that reflects young adults which can be an asset to the library. I have a unique reflection on how this demographic engages with the library material, both physically and digitally.**

Past contributions: **I volunteered at the LPL Central Branch in the Teen Annex throughout High School and helped facilitate workshops firsthand. I have active volunteer experience with the Middlesex-London Health Unit as well as mindyourmind.ca where I had to voice my opinion to shape health campaigns directed to youth.**

Interpersonal: **I have experience planning Regional meetings of healthcare professionals in Huron, Perth, Middlesex, Lambton and Elgin County, leaving space for reporting and collaboration. I have experience leading volunteers who are part of a vulnerable and at-risk population with varying personalities. One of my strengths is collaborating with others and a large part of that is respecting different opinions, knowledge and skills.**

Interview interest: **Yes**