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Everyone's Contribution Counts
The Boy and the Starfish

The Boy

and

The Starfish
FIG Young Surveyors European Network

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FIG Working Week, Hanoi
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Involvement with FIG YSEN

IGSM 2014 Istanbul

FIG 2nd YSEM Berlin 2014

FIG 3rd YSEM Sofia 2015

FIG 4th YSEM Amsterdam 2016

FIG 5th YSEM Helsinki 2017

FIG 4YSC Istanbul 2018

MSc Graduation 2018

FIG YSEN @ CLGE 2019
We are Active

FIG Young Surveyors European Meetings

• 2013 – Lisbon, Portugal
• 2014 – Berlin, Germany
• 2015 – Sofia, Bulgaria
• 2016 – Amsterdam, The Netherlands
• 2017 – Helsinki, Finland
• 2018 – Istanbul, Turkey
• 2019 – Porto, Portugal
We Collaborate
We are Connected

CLGE (Council of European Geodetic Surveyors)
SDSN Youth (Sustainable Development Solutions Network)
International Geodetic Student Organisation (IGSO)
We are Ready

2019
- International Geodetic Student Meeting (23-29 June)
- 6th FIG Young Surveyors European Meeting (11-12 October), city of Porto, Portugal
- InterGeo Stuttgart (17-19 September)

2020
- 5th FIG Young Surveyors Conference (9-10 May 2020)
Thank you
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“Everyone’s Contribution Counts”

Kelvin Tang, MALAYSIA
Because Geomatics Engineering sounds fancy!

Why involved in this profession?
First involvement in FIG....

• FIG Congress 2014, Kuala Lumpur
• FIG WW 2015, Bulgaria
• FIG WW 2016, Christchurch
• FIG WW 2019, Hanoi
TAking action by following what we love is the key to finding life-long passion.

Spread the load!

• We can’t do it all, so we need to delegate. *(This is opportunity to YS – grab them)*

• Once the plan is in place, share out roles and tasks to YS according to their skills and availability. *(Don’t worry, they have all the energy and eager to contribute, BUT, mentor them)*

• Connecting the dots: YS may have creative and contrary views about the way the surveying industry will unfold into the future. *(This is the investment!)*

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The best way to predict the future is to create it. TOGETHER!

- Abraham Lincoln
Individually we are one drop
Together, we are an ocean...