

# FAYE VOGELY

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## EXPERTISE

### Participatory youth practice

Designing inclusive programmes that centre young people's authentic voices and lived experience.

### Safeguarding

Writing and embedding policy; managing risk at residential and high-profile events.

### Campaigns & advocacy

Supporting young people to advocate on issues they care about through media, policy and public speaking.

### Equity, Diversity & Inclusion

Dismantling barriers to participation.

### Monitoring, evaluation & learning

Designing adaptive frameworks.

## EDUCATION

### Manchester Metropolitan University

#### MSc Animal Behaviour

2013–2015

### University of Salford

#### MA Wildlife Documentary

2012–2013

### University of Salford

#### BSc Wildlife Conservation

2009–2012

## PROFILE

An experienced youth engagement leader with a strong track record of working directly and participatorily with young people aged 11 to 30. I have built youth programmes, managed Youth Advisory Panels, delivered residential, and supported young people to become campaigners and advocates. I am deeply committed to feminist, anti-racist and inclusive practice that dismantles barriers to participation.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Head of Youth Programmes

London Wildlife Trust (London, UK)

2024–present

- **Lead on youth engagement strategy**, championing young people's voices across the organisation and externally, including managing the **Youth Board** and their **advocacy work**
- Manage and develop **participatory youth programmes** for young people aged 11–30, with a strong focus on inclusion, diversity and reaching young people from underserved communities
- Plan and deliver a **range of events**, workshops and residential for young people including the annual Green Careers Showcase
- Oversee **safeguarding** across all youth programmes, including risk assessments for off-site and residential activities
- Manage a budget exceeding £1m across multiple grants
- Implement MEL frameworks to capture impact and learning
- **Line manage** staff, trainees and volunteers
- Represent LWT at external events
- **Collaborate with partners** across London and the eNGO sector

### Youth Engagement Manager

British Trust for Ornithology (Cambridge, UK)

2021–2024

- Created, developed and implemented BTO's Youth Engagement Programme and youth engagement **strategy**
- Creation of online learning resources, e.g. Nature Natters
- Line management of the Youth Engagement staff team
- Created, developed and lead the **Youth Advisory Panel**
- Managed the **Youth Representatives** (35+ young volunteers across the UK) with delivery of community events
- Design and deliver the BTO **Young Leaders Course**
- Organised a wide range of events for young people age 11+
- Organised and **deliver training** on a wide range of topics
- Lead on the delivery of the **Youth in Nature Summit**
- Developed and enforced safeguarding and other policies
- Founded BTO's **Equity, Diversity and Inclusion working group**
- **Lecturer** for the MPhil in Conservation Leadership (Cambridge)

## LANGUAGES

<b>Dutch</b>	native	<b>French</b>	B1
<b>English</b>	native	<b>Portuguese</b>	A1
<b>Spanish</b>	B2	<b>Bahasa Indonesia</b>	A2

## FIELDWORK

- Costa Rica
- Brazil
- Poland
- Tanzania
- Indonesia
- Malaysia

## TRAINING

**British Sign Language Level 2**  
SignReach, 2025

**Outdoor First Aid**  
First Aid Training Coop, 2025

**Project Management**  
WildTeams, 2025

**Mental Health First Aid**  
MHFA England, 2025

**GDPR UK Essentials**  
IHasco, 2024

**Child Protection & Safeguarding**  
NSPCC, several courses, 2021/22

## SKILLS

- Participatory youth engagement
- Youth Advisory Panel management
- Safeguarding & child protection
- Campaigns & policy advocacy
- Event & residential delivery
- Equity, Diversity & Inclusion
- Anti-racist practice
- Team leadership & capacity building
- Budget & project management

## REFERENCES

Available upon request.

## Social Media Manager

British Trust for Ornithology (Cambridge, UK) 2018–2021

- Designed and implemented a new social media **strategy**
- Delivered content and reporting for multiple platforms
- Collaborated closely with the science and engagement teams
- Monitored, analysed and evaluated platform performance
- Maintained relationships with external partners, e.g. BBC

## Science Communications Manager

British Trust for Ornithology (Thetford, UK) 2017–2018

- Editor-in-chief of members' magazine, BTO News
- Created captivating narratives about our scientific work for a range of audiences, using e-newsletters and social media
- Developed a new communications strategy
- Worked closely with the scientific team to source stories

## Marine Research Assistant

Lang Tengah Turtle Watch (Lang Tengah, Malaysia) 2017

- Responsible for **key research into turtle biology**
- Designed and implemented reef and shark **surveys**
- Trained and supervised over 50 volunteers in the field
- Built relationships with **community and stakeholders**
- Developed and managed a documentary and art project

## Project Manager

Orangutan Foundation UK (Kalimantan, Indonesia) 2016

- Created a visitor's centre for viewing site in Borneo
- Managed the scope and delivery of the project to time
- Worked with a **remote team** spread across the UK, The Netherlands, and Indonesia
- Secured funding and partners for collaboration
- **Led on fieldwork** in remote Kalimantan
- Worked directly with **local government and community**
- Managed budget and fundraising reports
- Worked with a group of six students to develop content

## Public Relations & Outreach Officer

Little Fireface Project (Java, Indonesia) 2015–2016

- Participated in primate research using telemetry
- Developed and managed novel PR and outreach **strategy**
- Managed all external communications for the charity
- Led the education team and supervised volunteers
- Created **capacity building** opportunities for local staff
- Organised community events for up to 300 people
- Created and produced award-winning documentary