

New youth focused lobby group founded to pressure ‘youth-blind’ political establishment

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Think Forward to advocate for an intergenerationally fair Australia

Australian governments of all persuasions need to prioritise issues of intergenerational fairness or risk failing an entire generation of Australians, according to newly founded youth-led lobby group Think Forward.

Think Forward is committed to raising awareness of intergeneration fairness issues and placing them front and centre in Australia’s political debates. Founded by three young Australians hailing from all sides of politics it is a youth led movement to pressure politicians to tackle intergenerational inequity.

Often forgotten in the political conversation, intergenerational fairness is the idea that there should be economic and social fairness between generations. In practice, Think Forward believes intergenerational fairness occurs when governments make choices that don’t just benefit the older voting population, but consider the future prosperity of young people.

In the lead up to the next Federal election Think Forward will lobby Australia’s major political parties to act on intergenerational fairness by focusing on four key issues:

- Fair representation
- Fair social services
- Fair housing
- Fair taxation

Think Forward’s full campaign platform is available here <https://www.thinkforward.org.au/>

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