Junior International Committee – Meet the team

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A First5 GP in London, Sonia splits her between Japan and the UK working to promote and strengthen general practice. She has also completed her DTM&H and has worked in both Uganda and India and has observship experience of primary care in Japan, Australia, the U.S, South Korea, Denmark and Turkey.  
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**Vongai Mugadza**, Beyond Europe
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