Candidate Statement – ISOC UK England Chapter Executive Council Election 2025
Haider Ali – Candidate for Executive Council

I have been part of the internet generation since 1996, witnessing its evolution from a simple communication tool to a force that reshapes every aspect of our lives. Today, as the AI revolution accelerates, I believe it's our responsibility to ensure that communities across the UK can navigate and benefit from these powerful technologies.

As a co-founder of **London AI Centre**, I am deeply committed to digital inclusion and education. Through this platform, I aim to offer **free and accessible AI tools training**, consultancy, and workshops for students, professionals, and community organisations. This directly aligns with the Internet Society's [2025 Action Plan](#), especially its focus on **empowering communities**, **building internet skills**, and ensuring **a secure, trustworthy internet for all**.

If elected to the Executive Council of ISOC UK England Chapter, I will actively champion initiatives that promote:

- **AI literacy and free training resources** for underserved communities;

- **Collaborative partnerships** with educators, local councils, and grassroots organisations;

- **Responsible and ethical use of AI**, ensuring transparency, inclusivity, and safety;

- Greater community engagement with ISOC's global mission to build an open and trusted internet.

Based in London, I am enthusiastic about making ISOC UK more visible and impactful at a local level, helping individuals and communities embrace AI with confidence, knowledge, and purpose.

Let's shape a future where **everyone has the power to understand and use AI**—not just those with access to privilege or capital.

Thank you for your support.

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