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Antonia currently serves as an Intern to the Permanent Observer Mission of the Sovereign Order of Malta to the United Nations in New York City. She is enrolled in a four-year Bachelor's degree in Politics, Administration, and International Relations at Zeppelin University in the South of Germany. She is especially devoted to topics of human rights and dedicated a term paper to the Order of Malta as a subject of international law.

Since the age of fifteen, she has been to Lourdes several times and has supported the care of elderly people. Following a one-year training, Antonia was admitted to the Auxiliary Service of the Order of Malta in Austria. As an active member of the Auxiliary Service, she has organized events independently, including the financing and the assumption of responsibility for disabled people. During the COVID-19 pandemic, she was regularly helping at the Malteser testing and vaccination center. Through working with the German Youth Association and in their project in Chabrouh, Lebanon, she has been given multiple insights into the international work of the Sovereign Order of Malta. In 2022 she was responsible for one of the "Lebanon on Stage" locations and helped raise money for the Order's projects in Lebanon.

In her free time, she tries to foster what she experienced as a volunteer in Austria, Germany, France, and Lebanon through working with differently abled people in her hometown. To make the values of the Order a reality around the world speaks to her greatly as a politically engaged and strong Catholic.

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