Vice President Sports & Wellbeing

Full Time, Salary: £19,305 (Grade 4.1)

What's the role?

The VP Sports & Wellbeing coordinates all sporting activities at Strathclyde. They lead the operation of the Sports Union as Sports President, chair committees, and represent the members to the University and external audiences. They are responsible for the mental and physical wellbeing for all Strathclyde students.

Person Specification

A strong interest, and experience, in Sports is crucial to this role. Prior experience of the Sports Union as a club convenor or member of the Sports Executive would be highly beneficial.

The post holder would also benefit from general leadership experience.

The post holder will need to be extremely organised to manage their time effectively, and be prepared to take responsibility for the finances and budgets of the Sports Union.

The post holder would also benefit from prior campaign experience—either from organising a campaign, or participating in one.

Remit

i. Act as President of the Strathclyde Sports Union, and promote the profile of the Sports Union, and general sporting activities, amongst the student body.

ii. Develop an effective strategy for increasing participation in, and widening access to, all sporting and physical activities.

iii. Convene relevant Sports Union committees, and represent Strathclyde sporting interests to the University and national student sports bodies.

iv. Oversee the financial management of the Sports Union, including the drafting of a Sports Union budget, and ensuring that club budgets are adhered to.

v. Ensure that the Sports Union implements, maintains, and adheres to appropriate and relevant policy for the purposes of health and safety within sport.

vi. Work with the other members of the Executive Committee, to collectively manage the committee and the Association on a day to day basis.

vii. Organise & Coordinate the work of Sports Union committees, including the AGM.

viii. Be responsible for the promotion and awareness raising of relevant health and wellbeing issues, and organise events, campaigns and materials to this end.

ix. Ensure that those who are running clubs receive the information, support and training that they need to run the clubs effectively.

x. Organise and coordinate the annual Sports Fair, and other appropriate events throughout the year. xi. To act as Trustee of the Students' Union

Trustee Eligibility

The VP Sports and Wellbeing will also become a trustee of the Students' Union and will be responsible for the management and administration of the Union (subject to the Education Act and Strathclyde Students' Union's Constitution and its Schedules). The Board's power under Article 28 of the Students' Union Constitution shall include but not be limited to responsibility for: the governance of the Union; the budget of the Union; and the strategy of the Union.

To be eligible to become a Trustee:

You must be at least 18 years old to be a trustee of the Students' Union You cannot act as a trustee if you are disqualified under the Charities Act This includes if you:

- Are disqualified as a company director

- Have an unspent conviction for an offence involving dishonesty or deception (such as fraud)

- Are an undischarged bankrupt (or subject to sequestration in Scotland), or have a current composition or arrangement including an individual arrangement (IVA) with your creditors

- Have been removed as a trustee of any charity by the commission (or the court) because of misconduct or mismanagement

Got any questions?

Contact current officer: ussa.vpsw@strath.ac.uk