

Purpose of a Community Ambassador:

As a Community Ambassador for the Student Community Partnership, you will be engaging with the local community on behalf of the student population in Bath. You will help to promote harmonious relationships between the Higher Education Institutions in Bath, the student residents, the permanent residents and the Bath and Northeast Somerset Council. A Community Ambassador will work closely with the Students' Unions at both Bath Spa and University of Bath, with the Community Liaison Co-ordinator and with external partners to create a culture where students love Bath and where Bath loves students back.

This role would suit you if you:

- Would enjoy taking on a representative role and talking about issues of concern in the community.
- Are outgoing and enjoy actively meeting new people and getting involved with the community.
- Have good communication skills.
- Have event planning/campaign experience
- Would enjoy designing and running an event for the whole community.
- Work well as part of a team.
- Are committed to promoting Equality and Diversity and have the ability to work in a way that respects people's differences
- Have a sympathetic approach to resident and student problems.
- Have good organisational skills

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Reports to the Community Liaison Co-ordinator and informs of any relevant events, issues or problems related to the SCP
- Developing and maintaining good relations with local residents and students
- Assisting the Community Liaison Co-ordinator and the SCP with local campaigns.
- Promoting student behaviour expectations and key messages around noise and waste and recycling,
- Encouraging students to get involved with local activities and community discussions.
- Encouraging student engagement with local democracy.
- Using social media to gather student views, share opportunities and feedback from relevant meetings.

Opportunities & Benefits:

- Opportunities to get involved with community events and activities.
- An understanding of community issues and needs.
- Gaining an insight into local democracy.
- Volunteering as part of a team.
- Opportunity to gain experience in designing and running a community project/event.
- Developing your confidence in communicating with individuals (diplomacy skills)
- Valuable experience for your CV and volunteer hours towards recognition

Venue:

Due to the nature of this role, it will primarily be off campus.

Time commitment:

The minimum amount of hours is 8 per month. One off campaigns and events will ensure these hours are met or exceeded. There will also be occasional Community Ambassador meetings.

Skills Gained:

Participating in this opportunity will enable you to develop and practice the following skills (marked X)

Teamwork*	X	Delegation	X	Financial Management	
Verbal Communication*	X	Negotiation	X	Diplomacy	X
Written Communication*	X	People Management	X	Organisation/Planning	X
Leadership*	X	Time Management	X	Creativity	X
Commercial Awareness*		Marketing	X	Initiative	X
Problem Solving*	X	Decision Making	X	Public Speaking	X

*Skills required for the Bath Award

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