

College Sport - Sports Ambassador

Job Description

York Sport Union are looking to recruit enthusiastic students to drive sport and physical activity participation at the University of York. This programme aims to support the college and social sport programme, to grow participation, continue to develop the competition framework and develop a sustainable workforce. The role of the Sports Ambasador is to develop and implement a sport programme.

Why get involved?

* Gain a unique experience, insight and understanding of working in sports development and project management
* Gain experience in delivering sports activity and events
* Develop and maintain partnerships and relationships
* Develop your soft skills (communications, leadership)
* Gain coaching and officiating qualifications and experience within your sport
* Develop relationships with stakeholders within the University and National Governing Bodies.

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| **Role Title**  | **Sports Ambassador** |
| **Responsible to**  | YUSU - Sports Coordinator |
| **Contract & Hours** | 8 hours per week, flexible working hours with some evenings and weekends |
| **Salary** | Voluntary (£500 annual bursary) based on performance |
| **Office location** | Home working and YUSU hot desk can be arranged.  |
| **Benefits** | Funding towards relevant qualifications in your sport as well as NGB training daysSports Ambassador KitFree College Varsity & Roses ticketsReferences from YUSUDBS CheckFirst Aid courseA number of opportunities to gain additional training, work experience and coaching opportunities within the local community |
| **Role Summary** | To facilitate the provision of appropriate sporting opportunities for all students within the University settingTo increase participation within sports at the University To encourage and support participants to continue playing sport outside of University |
| **Key Responsibilities** | Provide opportunities for students to take part in sportFacilitate/Coordinate/deliver sessions when neededTo communicate, market and promote sporting activity across the UniversityTo ensure every individual taking part in sports at the University uses the correct reporting tools on PlaywazeRecruit and retain students in sports and physical activityAttend training dates when needed |
| **Additional responsibilities** | To act as a key communication point for York Sport Union and the student population. To promote wider sporting opportunities,in particular coaching, officiating andvolunteering development opportunitieslinked to the University Develop student leaders, coaches and volunteers within the University |
| **Person specification**Essential | Student at the University of YorkAbility to manage own time and act on own initiativeIT literateExperience as a volunteerAn interest and enthusiasm for SportAn interest and enthusiasm for sports development and/or project managementAbility to plan and manage sessionsGood interpersonal, presentation and communication skillsAbility to develop relationships with students, staff and others |