

President (Student Life) Role Description



Role Overview

As President (Your Student Life), your role is to lead on creating and supporting life-changing student communities, to break down barriers that hinder participation, and to actively celebrate diversity.

As President (Your Student Life) You Will:

- Represent the Student Body at the highest level with student groups, ensuring our members engaged with Sports Clubs and Active and Interest Societies are represented.
- Be a Trustee of Christ Church Students' Union as a charity.
- Be a Director of Christ Church Students' Union as a company.

We believe that learning extends beyond your course, and we are here to empower you to gain skills and experiences that prepare you to attain your future career and ambitions. The President (Your Student Life) will have a role to understand how you can truly build a sense of belonging as a member of CCSU which extends beyond your course and appreciates that University is not just the experiences inside a classroom but in your social networks and wider student experience.

Essential Criteria

To be eligible to put yourself forward for this role you must:

- be a Canterbury Christ Church University student;
- be full Members of the Union;
- be committed to the purpose, Charitable Objects and values of Christ Church Students' Union;
- be constructive about other officers' and trustees' opinions;
- act reasonably and responsibly when undertaking their duties;
- be fervent in pursuing the stated mandate, where appropriate, and in any additional work or projects they have been mandated to undertake by the Board of Trustees, Union Council or Petition;
- maintain strict confidentiality where appropriate;
- analyse information and, when necessary, challenge constructively;
- make collective decisions and justify and defend them;
- respect boundaries between officers, staff and members
- be excellent role models who exhibit the highest standards of integrity;
- attend all meetings where required, or send apologies;

- be firm supporters of equality of opportunity and committed to promoting diversity; and,
- abide by the Trustee and Elected Representative Code of Conduct at all times.

+ Compensation and Benefits

- Current salary of £23,662, subject to annual review (plus employer pension contribution).
- 185 hours annual leave plus bank holidays and university Christmas break.

Working Conditions

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| Hours of work | You will need to work 37 hours a week. Typically this will be 9:00-17:30 Monday-Thursday and 9:00-17:00 on Friday. You will be able to claim time off in lieu for work in the evening. You will also get 185 hours annual leave plus 59.2 hours bank holidays. |
| Work environment | You will be based in the Students' Union building in Anselm at the Canterbury Campus. You will also be expected to visit the Medway campus and travel as needed. |
| Travel requirements | travel may be required to the Medway campus or elsewhere, this will be covered through your expenses. |
| On-call responsibilities | There is no expectation that you will be on-call, however as a figurehead of the University, students may wish to contact you |
| Inclusive Practices | we are committed to providing an inclusive working environment for all. Our offices are accessible for those with access requirements and we are committed to creating an inclusive culture. |