

Part Time Officer Role Descriptors

Information below regarding each Officer role is pulled from the Guild of Students Bye-Laws. *please note that pending approval, the current roles as noted below are available for full members of the Guild of Students to stand for, subject to full approval at University Council on Tuesday 6th February 2024)

Disabled Students' Officer (who is expected to self-define as a Full Member with a disability)

The Disabled Students Officer shall:

- Campaign on issues of concern to students with disabilities.
- To support the work of any Student Groups relevant to their role.
- Promote the interests of students with disabilities to the University of Birmingham, the Guild and wider as appropriate.
- To ensure that representation of all Disabled students occurs at all levels of the Guild in the absence of a committee.

Sustainability Officer

The Sustainability Officer shall:

- Campaign on issues of concern to students related to Sustainability.
- Support the work of any Student Groups relevant to their role.
- Support the development of sustainable practices and policy within the Guild.
- Promote sustainability initiatives and activities to the University of Birmingham, the Guild and wider as appropriate.

Ethnic Minority Officer (who is expected to self-define as an Ethnic Minority Full Member)

The Ethnic Minority Officer shall:

- Campaign on issues of concern to students of an ethnic minority.
- To support the work of any Student Groups relevant to their role.

- Promote the interests of Ethnic Minority students to the University of Birmingham, the Guild and wider as appropriate.
- To ensure that representation of Ethnic Minority students occurs at all levels of the Guild in the absence of a committee.

Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans, and Queer+ Students' Officer (who shall self-define as a Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans or Queer Full Member)

The Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans and Queer Students' Officer shall:

- Campaign on issues of concern for LGBTQ+ students.
- To support the work of any Student Groups relevant to their role.
- Promote the interests of LGBTQ+ students to the University of Birmingham, the Guild and wider as appropriate.

To ensure that the representation of LGBTQ+ students occurs at all levels of the Guild in the absence of a committee.

Trans and Non-Binary Students' Officer (who shall self-define as a Trans or non-binary Full Member)

The Trans and Non-Binary Students' Officer shall:

- Campaign on issues of concern to Trans or non-binary students.
- To support the work of any Student Groups relevant to their role.
- Promote the interests of Trans or non-binary students to the University of Birmingham, the Guild and wider as appropriate.
- Ensure that the Guild actively promotes initiatives to ensure that the welfare and interests of Trans or non-binary students are protected.

Women's Officer (who is expected to be a Full Member who self-defines as a woman)

The Women's Officer shall:

- Campaign on issues of concern to women and non-binary students.
- Support the work of any Student Groups relevant to their role.
- Promote the interests of women and non-binary students to the University of Birmingham, the Guild and wider as appropriate.
- To ensure that representation of Women students occurs at all levels of the Guild in the absence of a committee.

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