

Postgraduate Students' Officer

What does the Postgraduate Students' Officer do?

The Postgraduate Students' Officer is the main representative of postgraduate students, both taught and research, within the Students' Union and LSE as a whole. The victorious candidate will become the fifth sabbatical officer at LSESU, responsible for leading the organisation along with the four full-time officers elected in March. The victorious candidate will also take up a senior position on the SU Executive Committee, as well as the Trustee Board.

The Postgraduate Students' Officer can represent students in a variety of ways, such as campaigning on issues that affect postgraduate students and working to ensure that their voices are heard at all levels of LSE and LSESU. The winning candidate will also have the chance to put on events for postgraduate students throughout the year, as well as ensuring everything LSESU does is accessible to postgrads.

You should nominate yourself if ...

- You wish to be a champion for postgraduate students at LSE by representing their views.
- You want to make changes at LSE and LSESU to improve the postgraduate student experience during their time at both institutions.
- You would like a flexible job with good pay that you can fit around your studies.
- You want to develop leadership skills in an executive role, and improve your CV.

As the role involves being a member of the Trustee Board, you cannot have been convicted of an offence involving deception or dishonesty (unless the conviction is spent), and you cannot have a history of bankruptcy.

Time commitment

You will hold the post from after Michaelmas Term Elections until the end of June. You will go through a period of handover shortly before the post begins.

This post works 2 days per week during term-time (hours flexible around studies).

Training and support

- LSESU staff will support you in your role and you will receive:
- Ongoing job-specific training throughout the year
- Individual training to suit your needs
- Opportunities to attend conferences and external training days

Benefits

- Salary for this role is recalculated every year. It includes a Cost of Living Allowance based on the

London Living Wage. You are paid pro-rata.

- 25 days holiday + Christmas and bank holidays
- Free gym membership
- Looks great on your CV
- Develop your communication, organisational and leadership skills
- Take action on something you're passionate about
- Make a long lasting impact on student life at LSE

How to nominate yourself

- Go to www.lsesu.com/democracy/elections and fill out a nomination form.
- The deadline for nominations is available on this page. We cannot accept nominations after this time.
- If you have any questions or if you would like more information about these roles, please email Engagement Co-ordinator Rhodri Roberts at r.roberts3@lse.ac.uk.