

# Women's Officer

Part-time, 1-year fixed term contract | Voluntary role

July 2019 to June 2020



**Are you ambitious? Looking for a new challenge? Do you want to improve the student experience at LSE for women?**

Nominate yourself to be the next Women's Officer: visit [lseyu.com/elections](https://lseyu.com/elections) by 3pm, Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March.

You must self-define as a woman to run for this position. If you have any questions about this, please email [su.engagement@lse.ac.uk](mailto:su.engagement@lse.ac.uk).

## Responsibilities:

- Represent members and campaign on issues that relate to women's issues and women's liberation
- Lead the Union on delivering students' general and political priorities related to women's issues and women's liberation
- Open up relevant dialogues and debates related to women's issues and women's liberation; discuss ideas and run campaigns; challenge stereotypes; promote equality at LSE and LSESU
- Be an active member of the Executive Committee
- Work closely with Executive Committee to review, challenge and execute Union policy; find out students' opinions on policy and feedback to the Executive Committee
- Be accountable to your members
- Feedback actions to students, update students regularly via emails, blog posts and other methods and be available to meet and discuss relevant issues with students

## How you'll do it:

- Set and carry out annual objectives
- Attend one-to-ones with relevant LSESU staff once a month, and remain in regular contact through email/phone between meetings
- Attend executive meetings and UGMs, or send official apologies if this is not possible
- Communicate and collaborate with the Sabbatical Officers where necessary
- Communicate your work to students both in person and using the LSESU social channels

## Why run?

- You'll help shape the future of LSE and LSESU
- You're interested in improving support and advice for students regarding LGBT+ students' liberation
- You'll gain experience working in the third sector
- Develop your communication, organisational and leadership skills
- Your chance to act on something you're passionate about
- Make a long-lasting impact on student life at LSE
- Looks great on your CV

## Training and support:

LSESU staff members are here to support you throughout your time in your role. You'll develop transferrable skills throughout your time working with us.

- Project management
- Negotiation skills
- Individual training to suit your needs
- Opportunities to attend conferences and external training
- Successful chairing skills
- Public speaking
- Budgeting skills

## Time commitment:

Hours are part-time but flexible, accountability and executive committees are compulsory meetings.

## Any questions?

Email Rhodri Roberts, Engagement Co-ordinator, at [r.roberts3@lse.ac.uk](mailto:r.roberts3@lse.ac.uk) or the current Women's Officer at [su.womens@lse.ac.uk](mailto:su.womens@lse.ac.uk).