

International Students Representative

Term:	1 Academic Year
Expected Commitment:	4-6 hours per month
Location:	University of Chester Campuses

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF CHESTER STUDENTS' UNION

Chester Students' Union represents you and over 19,000 other students across a range of matters covering all of our campuses, sites and distance learners around the world.

Chester Students' Union are here for you, representing you and your views, inspiring and empowering you to chase after things you are passionate about. We are here to support you throughout your time at University and our total aim is to do our best to enhance your student experience both academically and socially!

So get ready, get involved and let's do this together!

PURPOSE

The Students' Union is committed to listening to and capturing the voice of all students. This is a fantastic opportunity for students at the University to involve themselves in the democratic processes of the Union, organise of student-led activities and make a real difference to the student experience. We are seeking volunteers to take on the responsibility for collecting the feedback and thoughts from International students, to lead this student group and ensure their opinions are heard by the Sabbatical Officers.

MAIN ACTIVITIES

Principal Duties and Responsibilities

- Connect with and collect feedback from the students you represent, focussing on eliciting constructive feedback and solutions to problems.
- Attend Student Union Council meetings where appropriate to represent the thoughts and opinions of International students and plan positive campaigns.
- Where appropriate ensure issues are placed on the Union Council agenda for discussion.
- Follow up with the Students Union President any task delegated and ensure that they report on such activity at a later meeting.

SKILLS/INTERESTS

- An excellent communicator, able to summarise complex information verbally.
- Open-minded and fair, able to see both sides of an argument.
- Enthusiastic about the role of the Students' Union at the University of Chester.
- Committed to equal opportunities and diversity principles.
- Committed to improving skills through training and experience.



TRAINING

Successful candidates will be required to undertake an induction with other Union Council members, Sabbatical Officers and the Student Engagement Co-ordinator. This will cover your role on Union Council.

COMMITMENT & LOCATION

You will be expected to make all Student Council dates.

WHAT YOU'LL GET OUT OF IT

- The opportunity to develop your skills in time management, team work, negotiation, verbal communication, and problem solving increasing your employability.
- Recognition of your commitment through the University's Volunteering Department and certificates.
- Sense of achievement of making a real difference to the lives of those studying on campus.
- The opportunity to work with many interesting people within our student community.