

Person Specification

This form lists the essential and desirable requirements needed in order to do the job.

Applicants will be shortlisted **solely** on the extent to which they meet these requirements.

Job title: Events Coordinator

Department: International Relations

Accountable to: Student Experience Manager

Criteria	Evidence	E/D
Knowledge and Experience	Educated to degree level, or equivalent experience	E
	Substantial experience in organising and managing events of varying sizes/types – including lectures, seminars, and workshops/conferences	E
	Experience organising or managing events in Higher Education, government organisations, charities, or NGOs	E
	Excellent IT skills – including Microsoft Office applications	E
	An interest in International Relations	D
	Experience of managing/supervising staff	D
	Experience of promotion, marketing and use of social media	D
	Experience of budget management	D
Communication	Excellent written and verbal communication skills, with the ability to understand and convey information in a clear and accurate manner	E
	Excellent attention to detail, and accuracy, in drafting written documents	E



	Experience of interacting effectively with a wide variety of people, both internally and externally Confidence in communicating with contacts at varying levels of seniority, including senior stakeholders	E
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Planning and Organising Resources	Ability to plan and prioritise own workload, often working on multiple tasks simultaneously Ability to work with minimal supervision,	E
	and to make autonomous decisions regarding own workload, including effectively dealing with peaks and troughs in the work cycle	E
	Ability to improve existing systems and processes, and propose new systems where appropriate	E
	Ability to effectively maintain records accurately and with attention to detail	E
	Proactive attitude including the ability to think through the requirements of a project and put in place the necessary steps to ensure it is carried out on time.	E
Initiative and Problem Solving		
	Ability to stay calm under pressure, anticipate problems and develop and implement solutions	E
	Ability to be self-reliant, but with the ability to recognise when to refer problems to others	E
	Ability to adapt to quick-changing circumstances and shifting or overlapping deadlines	E
	Evidence of ability to think creatively to develop new initiatives and or/projects, or to find solutions.	E
Teamwork and Motivation	Ability to work collaboratively as part of a team and make a positive contribution	E



	Experience of effective delegation or work/tasks to an individual or team	E
	Self-motivated and a proactive approach to work, and the ability to work independently with limited supervision	E
Liaison and Networking	Ability to represent the Department and School professionally	E
	Ability to develop constructive relationships with internal and external contacts	E

E - Essential: Requirements without which the job could not be done.
 D - Desirable: Requirements that would enable the candidate to perform the job well.