



Senate Representative

This opportunity profile is designed to give you an idea of what your role as Senate Representative will involve. It highlights the commitments, skills and benefits you can expect from taking up that role.

Role: Senate Representative

Time Commitment:

One academic year term of office.

Department: The SU

- 1 Day Academic Representatives' Conference
- 2 hours per month attendance at Academic Executive.
- 2 hours every 2 months (for Senate)
- 1 hour prior to and after Senate meetings to attend briefing/debriefing for all attendees

Time to liaise with members of relevant Students' Union and University bodies as appropriate.

Opportunity:

The Senate Representative sits on Senate (the most senior academic University committee), alongside SU Officers, with the aim of seeking to positively uphold and implement the aims and objectives of The SU.

The Senate Representative is elected from the student body and will sit on the Academic Executive.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Attend and represent all students at Senate.
- Attend a briefing and debriefing with The SU prior to and after each meeting of Senate.
- Attend Academic Executive and report after each Senate meeting.
- Liaise with SU Officers and Faculty Representatives as appropriate on academic issues, including relevant content of University meetings.
- Positively promote the aims and objectives of The SU.
- Support running of Academic campaigns and research throughout the year.

Venue:

No single location.

Supported by:

SU Education Officer, Engagement & Quality Coordinator, Representation & Engagement Manager, SU Postgraduate Officer, SU President, Academic Representation Co-ordinators.

Useful previous experience:

Must have an interest in student issues.

Benefits:

Communication

- Training provided
- Enhances employability
- Represent the interests of a large group at a high-level decision-making body
- Work with a diverse group of colleagues
- Develop a depth of understanding of relevant issues
- Develop the confidence and skills to achieve your goals.

Skills Gained: Participating in this opportunity will enable you to develop and practice the following skills (marked ✓)								
Written	>	Teamwork	>	Financial Management				

Verbal Communication	>	Time Management		I.T.	
Delegation		People Management		Organisation/ Planning	>
Decision Making	>	Negotiation	>	Marketing	

Others (as specified below):

Committee work and public speaking

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