

# **British Universities & Colleges Sport**

Hockey Sport Advisory Group

# STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE (WOMEN'S HOCKEY) – ROLE DESCRIPTION

Organisation	British Universities & Colleges Sport (BUCS)
Title	Student Representative (Women's Hockey) – Hockey SAG
Remuneration	Voluntary Role (reasonable expenses covered)*
Reports To	Hockey SAG Chair & BUCS National Competitions Manager
Commitment	Approximately 6 - 8 days per year
Term of Office	Reviewed Annually

\* For the 2022-23 season, it is recommended all SAG meetings remain virtual as there will be no budget available through BUCS to cover costs incurred at each meeting.

#### **ROLE PURPOSE**

BUCS is looking to recruit an enthusiastic and motivated individual who is currently studying at a BUCS Member Institution to act as Student Representative for the Women's Hockey programme on the Hockey Sport Advisory Group (SAG). The Student Representative will present the voice and opinions of student-athletes within the Women's programme, and act as an ambassador for the BUCS Women's Hockey programme.

#### MAIN DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Act as an ambassador for BUCS and the Women's Hockey programme
- Establish relationships between BUCS and student-athletes within member institutions.
- Build and maintain a communication network with other students playing Hockey
- Advise the BUCS Sport Advisory Group (SAG) on all matters relating to the student perspective of BUCS Hockey.
- Offer insight and feedback on the current BUCS Hockey structure and provide member led feedback for the future or BUCS Hockey
- Help develop a strategic annual delivery plan encompassing student feedback as one element of the plan.
- Attend all relevant SAG meetings and provide any updates on actions from previous meetings.

#### **KEY RELATIONSHIPS**

SAG Chair, BUCS National Competitions Manager, Home Nation Governing Bodies, SAG members, BUCS member institutions, other external partners as appropriate.

#### APPLICATION

Please detail in your application any experience you have in the following area's;

University Hockey, BUCS, NGB space, Coaching, Umpiring, Sports Union, Volunteering, Participation, or any other Hockey or committee/ board experience.

This list is not exhaustive, just offered as a guide to help applications.

### **Closing:**

23:59 on Sunday 02 October

## **Person Specification**

Role: Student Representative (Women's Hockey) - Hockey Sport Advisory Group

Requirements	Essential/ Desirable
Experience/ Knowledge	
Current student at a BUCS member institution competing within specified leagues.	E
Current member of a Hockey team at a BUCS member institution.	E
Good sport specific knowledge	E
Working within voluntary committees	D
Understanding of developments within the wider sporting landscape	D
Understanding of HE sporting landscape	E
Skills & Abilities	
Proven advocacy capability	E
Excellent communication skills	E
Ability to motivate a team	D
Ability to think and act creatively	E
Time Commitment	
Approximately 4-5 SAG meetings per year	1-3 hours per meeting (approx.)
Attendance at key sport specific events	1-3 days