

SENIOR DEVELOPMENT INTERNS

Part time 16hrs per week - 13 Month Fixed Term Contract
£7,923 p.a.

A JOB WITH A DIFFERENCE?

Kick start your CV

The Scout Association and Pears Foundation have come together to provide a unique opportunity to gain experience and develop skills whilst leading part of a project team. The project aims to open new Scouting provisions across parts of Avon and Gloucestershire Scout County (youth sections for young people aged 6 -18yrs). The development interns will be lead by a project manager and will work with local volunteers to provide hands on practical support engaging with schools, the community, partnership organisations and parents of the new youth members. The project aims to enable and deliver the recruitment of adults and young people and to open new sustainable Scout provisions in Gloucestershire initially focusing around Cheltenham.

The induction programme and ongoing support will provide a range of training in the following areas: communication skills, project planning and organisation, presenting and training delivery, working with young people, working in a team, creative thinking and problem solving methods as well as support with IT knowledge.

About You

You will be a creative and innovative thinker with a determination to make things happen. Possess a high level of communication skills to build effective relationships with a wide range of people including; young people, potential adult volunteers, existing volunteers, community representatives, external bodies and funders. Have a willingness and potential to learn and develop from the experience. Be able to work with and lead a team but also be motivated enough to work independently of direct supervision. You must live within the project area, be a self starter and be willing to work frequent evenings (usually 2-3 a week). You understand the potential of positive activities to have a transformative effect on people lives, and share the values of The Scout Association in developing young people.

About us

Young people are our future and The Scout Association plays a vital role in developing them for adult life. Scouting has developed a vision and strategy to take it forward to 2018 and beyond. In 2018 Scouting will be enjoyed by 500,000 young people. They will come from every background, making their voices heard and bring positive change to their communities www.scouts.org.uk/whatwedo . The Scout Association in partnership with Pears Foundation (www.pearsfoundation.org.uk) is currently looking for a New Provision Intern to help deliver this vision in Bristol, Bath and South Gloucestershire.

For more information and to apply

As this is a new project and role for The Scout Association applicants are advised to contact Ben Powlesland for more information benjamin.powlesland@scouts.org.uk (07984)210724 Application forms and a full Job pack can be downloaded from www.scouts.org.uk/jobs

Details of closing and Interview date

Closing date: 15th July

Interview date: 22nd July Cheltenham

