# UNIVERSITY

# **Environment & Ethics Officer**

### Aim

The role is to encourage students to live more sustainably and promote environmentally focussed events at the University of Hull and Hull University Union.

## Key responsibilities

- Attend Union Council and Welfare & Community Zone meetings;
- Educate students at the University of Hull (UoH) on environmental issues, both locally, nationally and globally;
- Educate students at the UoH on ethical issues, both locally, nationally and globally;
- Promote and support active student participation in environmental and ethical campaigns such as Fair Trade Fortnight;
- Organise and run awareness and pressure campaigns to lobby increased environmental and ethical practices by both HUU and UoH;
- Liaise and work with local, national and international organisations over environmental and ethical issues;
- Work towards HUU leading the Student Union movement in both innovation and participation on environmental and ethical issues.

# Useful skills or characteristics

- An interest in the environment and ethical issues
- Have a wide outreach with the student body
- Effective time management
- Be adaptable and communicative
- Good organisational skills
- Creativity

### Skills you can expect to learn and develop

- Develop communication and liaison skills.
- Become more confident at meetings with the senior management.
- Gain experience organising events and running meetings.
- Improve time management skills.
- Get a good understanding of a wide diverse range of environmental and ethical issues.

### Expected time commitment

On average you will spend between 6-8 hours a week on this role. Some weeks will be more demanding than others.

# Further questions

Please email the current office holder of this post, Ruth Williams on <u>Ruth.Williams@2015.hull.ac.uk</u> or the responsible Student Officer, Jennie Watts on <u>j.l.watts@hull.ac.uk</u> if you have any questions about the role.