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LGBT Students Officer – Job Description

1. Overall Responsibilities

- 1.1 To promote the Aims and Objectives of the Union, and in particular their own areas of activity, on every campus of the University.
- 1.2 To act fairly and reasonably in the making of any decision.
- 1.3 To act in the best interests of the Union and to not seek any personal gain from the term of office.
- 1.4 To work as a member of the Executive team on all campaigns of the Union as determined by the Student Council from time to time.
- 1.5 To actively engage with the students they represent, encouraging their participation & involvement in all Union activities.
- 1.6 To follow the Equality Policy of the Union representing disadvantaged and minority groups in all areas of student life, ensuring that they are able to play as full a role as they wish without fear of harassment or discrimination.
- 1.7 To report back on all activities undertaken to the Student Council and the rest of the Executive Officer team as required.

2. LGBT Students Officer

- 2.1 To identify issues relevant to LGBT students.
- 2.2 To canvass student opinion to be aware of common problems and concerns and, where these exist, ensure that Union Council is made aware of these.
- 2.3 To run campaigns related to LGBT student issues.
- 2.4 To liaise with the Vice President Education and Welfare and Vice President Activities and Sports as necessary to ensure that the social, educational and welfare needs of LGBT students are met.
- 2.5 To ensure that the needs of LGBT students are reflected through the activities of the Union.
- 2.6 To be lead officer in all matters related to the NUS LGBT Campaign.
- 2.7 To attend all relevant training, conferences and conventions that are relevant to the remit of this position.