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Job Description

Job title: Human Rights Outreach Officer

Reports to: SCA Director

Duration: 4 year fixed term contract (with a 3 month probationary period)

Hours: Part-time, 21 hours (3 days) per week.

Salary: £22,000 per annum (FTE salary = £36,500)

Location: SCA offices at Southall Town Hall, 1 High Street, Southall, UB1

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Holiday entitlement: 15 days

Duties:

- 1. Developing and delivering Human Rights Act based rights training workshops and support sessions
- 2. Analysing human rights law and development in cases and communicating the practical impact of these through outreach visits to local community sector
- 3. Develop and improve our resources and support sessions on the practical use of UK human rights law
- 4. Plan and develop human rights information resources, including guides, handbooks, factsheets
- 5. Arrange short talks for a range of audiences.
- 6. Provide commentary via a range of means including blogs and news pieces (for SCA and for other groups and media), research papers, social media, etc.
- 7. Use initiative to identify and forge relationships with new partners and forums.
- 8. Act as primary contact for the programme and policy work and ensure effective relationship management and development.
- 9. Ensure good working relationships with a range of key contacts including policy and programmes partners
- 10. Attend training courses and sessions, as may be required
- 11. To ensure inclusion and diversity in all aspects of SCA's operation and work
- 12. To carry out other duties including outreach work, as may be assigned by the Director, from time to time



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Person Specification

Essential characteristics:

- 1. Have at least two year's experience of working in the charity sector, voluntary sector, or the public sector in a role with some similar role and functions.
- Experience of developing and delivering outreach work to build the capacity of people to develop the knowledge, skills, and confidence to bring about social change.
- 3. Understanding of working in the charity sector, and in particular what it means to work for positive change whilst not being a campaign group.
- 4. Understanding of human rights law and practice and implications for diverse communities
- 5. Excellent interpersonal skills and ability to communicate effectively, verbally and in writing, with a wide range of people
- 6. Able to receive visitors and to deal with their queries, signposting to other agencies, where required
- 7. Experienced in dealing with work of a confidential nature, ensuring compliance with GDPR and other regulatory requirements
- 8. Experience of report writing, preparing newsletters, project monitoring reports, publicity and promotional material
- 9. High standard of computer literacy, including experience of Microsoft Office Word, Excel, Powerpoint etc
- 10. Able to work with project partners and service users from diverse cultural and religious backgrounds within an equal opportunities' framework
- 11. Work related experience of conducting research either desk-based/legal research and/or participative research directly with stakeholders.
- 12. Excellent self-administration and time management skills, with the ability to prioritise and manage multiple tasks simultaneously to a high standard.
- 13. Gather monitoring data and produce progress reports and work summaries
- 14. Recruit and train volunteers to assist with project delivery
- 15. To attend meetings and prepare agendas, minutes and other relevant materials