

# King's College London Students' Union

Job Pack





# About Us

King's College London Students' Union (KCLSU) is the oldest students' union in the UK. We were founded in 1873 as the Union Society of King's College London and then changed our name in 1908 to KCLSU.

KCLSU is where we help King's College students to make friends through joining student groups and sports clubs such as football, dance or the coffee appreciation society, or by meeting new people in our cafes and bars. Should students run into any difficulties during their time here at University, we also give them guidance and advice about academic problems and focus on uplifting and supporting their wellbeing by organising activities and working with students to help with other issues. KCLSU offers a fun, social and flexible work environment attracting talented professionals who want to make an impact on a diverse student body!

We welcome you to join us.

### **Our Vision**

A future where every member of KCLSU has the opportunity to thrive.

### **Our Mission**

Together with our members we are a union of students where individuals love their university experience, are involved in shaping the future, have the power to make change and connect to each other openly.

### Our Values

We strive by our four values of being **Inclusive**, **Collaborative**, **Open** and **Brave**. These are what we are as people within an organisation, and how we go about our work.

King's College London Students' Union is an equal opportunity employer.





### Message from the CEO

Welcome to KCLSU. We are delighted to have your interest! At KCLSU, our vision is to create a future where every student has the opportunity to thrive and and we seek like-minded individuals to help achieve this goal. KCLSU is the oldest Students' Union in the UK and together, with your expertise, you will help to provide the tools for King's College London students to feel a sense of belonging, and to have a platform to raise their voices while looking forward to a bright future. Our HR Department looks forward to receiving your application and matching your skill set with our opportunities, and should you be successful in joining us – I am positive that our organisation will greatly value your contribution!

**Denis Shukur Chief Executive Officer** 

## Our Teams

KCLSU relies on the collaboration of many likeminded people to provide support for King's College London students. We're built up of:

### **Community & Representation**

The Community Engagement Directorate strives to **build students' sense of belonging, community voice and leadership potential** at university by supporting 400 student-led clubs, societies and communities; 3000 volunteers, representatives and community leaders; and 14,000 active student participants through community development, events management, community volunteering, policy and research, facilitation of community voice, campaigning, community leadership training, our peer mentoring buddy scheme, and democratic practices.

### Advice & Wellbeing

KCLSU Advice provides **free**, **confidential and impartial academic advice to students** about issues affecting their studies. We're here to help students in a way that is non-judgmental, straightforward and empowering.

Wellbeing has become a pivotal part of KCLSU, providing students with the **best support in collaboration with King's University.** 

We have various support groups like **Positive Peers, Black Student Talk** support group and a **Wellbeing Hub** that helps students cope with their new transition into university life.

### **Communications Marketing & Data**

The KCLSU Communications, Marketing and Data Directorate supports the organisation in implementing strategy to **effectively amplify, communicate and showcase the work KCLSU does** in maintaining students' collective vision.

The Directorate **offers guidance and expertise** to the organisation on specific focal points of communications, messaging, brand, and delivery **aiming for best practice across all our print and digital channels.** 



access, whilst keeping Health and Safety in check.

### Our Venues

All our commercial spaces employ student-staff and funds from the venues go back into running services for students! They are:

### The Shack

Bush House, The Strand

The Shack is an **alcohol-free cafe** on the ground floor of our Union at **Bush House**, where students can enjoy great quality coffee, sandwiches, pastries and other grab and go snacks at extremely student-friendly prices. The cafe sits in a **vibrant**, **open space** with multi-purpose seating, a games area, nearby cinema, performance area and a host of other facilities.

### The Vault

Bush House. The Strand

The Vault is a **sports bar, restaurant and nightclub.** It serves food throughout the day, with lots of activities and day/night events, including club nights and opportunities for private hire.

The Union Shop Bush House Arcade, The Strand Located at Bush House Arcade on the Strand, The Union Shop is the only place for King's College London branded merchandise; think hoodies, tees, bags, accessories, gifts and stationery.

### The Shed

Guy's Campus

The Shed is our **alcohol-free Guy's campus coffee shop** serving fresh food, coffee, baked goods and frappes, providing that much needed boost for the day from morning to evening.

### Guy's Bar

Guy's Campus

A crucial part of our Medics and Dentists history but open to all, Guy's Bar **opened in 1882** and has been a cornerstone of the **GKT** (the medical school of King's College London and the three hospitals, Guy's Hospital, King's College Hospital and St Thomas' Hospital) community since. The Bar hosts events like quizzes, karaoke nights and **Sports Nights** for students.



# Our Spaces

We work across four campuses in our mission to support the student populus. These locations are:

### The Strand

### South East Wing, Bush House, 300 Strand, London | WC2R 1AE

The Strand Campus is home to:

- Faculty of Arts & Humanities
- The Dickson Poon School of Law
- Faculty of Social Science & Public Policy (also at the Waterloo Campus)
- King's Foundations
- King's Business School

### Guy's

### Boland House, Great Maze Pond, London | SE1 9RT

Guy's Campus is home to:

- Dental Institute

### Waterloo

### Franklin-Wilkins Building, Stamford Street, London | SE1 9NH

The Waterloo Campus is home to:

- Florence Nightingale Faculty of Nursing and Midwifery
- Faculty of Life Sciences & Medicine (also at Guy's Campus)
- Faculty of Social Science & Public Policy (also at the Strand Campus)
- London Dental Education Centre (LonDEC), part of the Dental Institute (also at Guy's and Denmark Hill)

#### Denmark Hill

### 16 De Crespigny Park, London | SE5 8AF

The Denmark Hill Campus provides facilities for the Faculty of Life Sciences & Medicine, the Dental Institute, and is the home of the Institute of Psychiatry, Psychology and Neuroscience and the Champion Hill Residence.



# Our Benefits

Alongside our welcoming organisation, we offer a competitive benefits package.

We have a strong commitment to supporting our staff to grow and develop within their role as well as having an active interest in their well-being.

Staff can take advantage of flexible hybrid working, and our holiday entitlement is 25 days per annum, plus bank holidays and 8 discretionary closure days. See below for what we offer in terms of allowances, various discounts, and personal development opportunities.

- Hybrid Working Policy
- Pension Contribution
- Interest-Free Season Ticket Loan & Computer Loan
- Cycle to Work Scheme
- Enhanced Sick Pay
- Enhanced Maternity and Paternity Pay
- Eye tests & single focal glasses allowance
- 25 days annual holidays plus bank holidays and additional closure days
- Discounts at KCLSU Venues
- Employee Assistance Programme
- 'No Meeting Friday' ethos
- KEATS Learning Platform & LinkedIn Learning subscription
- Access to King's College London Libraries

# The Role

Job Title
Accountability
Reports To
Location

Contract Type
Hours
Salary & Band
Application End Date

**Key Responsibilities** 



# The Role

**Job Specification** 

# The Candidate

**Candidate Specification** 

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