

### **JOB DESCRIPTION**

Job Title:	Enterprise Adviser	Grade:	SG6
Department:	Business School	Date of Job Evaluation:	July 2022
Role reports to:	Head of Enterprise and Innovation (Faculty of Business)		
Direct Reports	N/A		

This role profile is non-contractual and provided for guidance. It will be updated and amended from time to time in accordance with the changing needs of the University and the requirements of the job.

#### **PURPOSE OF ROLE:**

The Enterprise Adviser delivers a range of activities designed to help students and graduates to develop entrepreneurial skills and to start and grow new ventures.

The role-holder will provide direct support to student entrepreneurs via 1-1 appointments and workshops delivered as part of the Generator's annual competition the Enterprise Challenge, which attracts over 100 applicants each year.

The role will suit somebody with a keen interest in entrepreneurship who has experience of either running their own business or projects (and who might want to use the part-time hours of this role to continue working on their own projects on the side), or who has experience of supporting businesses via training and education programmes.

Key responsibilities include:

- Managing a range of events and activities as allocated by the Head of Enterprise & Innovation, with the support of the Generator team.
- Preparing and monitoring budgets to ensure event costs don't exceed budget.
- Supporting student and graduate entrepreneurs via 1-1 appointments.
- Managing funding rounds to allocate bursaries to entrepreneurial students.
- Organising and delivering enterprise workshops as part of the annual Enterprise Challenge competition.
- Recruiting and retaining a team of entrepreneurial mentors who support events on a voluntary basis.
- Supporting the recruitment and monitoring process of the university's graduate Start Up Visa programme, assisted by the Enterprise Officer.



### **KEY ACCOUNTABILITIES:**

# **Team Specific:**

- Work closely with the Generator team to deliver a range of activities, leading on events as designated by line manager.
- To develop and deliver enterprise support in multiple formats including 1-1 appointments, workshops and lectures.
- Provide effective events management, delegating work to team members as appropriate and providing feedback on their work.
- To develop and maintain a customer relationship management system to monitor and grow the mentoring programme.
- Communicate outcomes from activities clearly in reports and promotional articles as guided by line manager.
- Build relationships with other university teams and academic staff to expand the reach of the Generator.
- To manage and report on budgets providing timely information to line manager.
- To work with other faculties, academics, central teams and external guests to develop a network of supporters for the enterprise programme.
- Contribute to other Generator activities as guided by the Head of Enterprise and Innovation.

#### Generic:

- Promote and enhance the faculty and organisation reputation.
- Pursue relationships with colleagues outside of the University in the areas of enterprise and entrepreneurship.
- Contribute to robust evaluation of activities that can be used to contribute to university level reporting.

### **Managing Self:**

- · Good communication skills.
- Able to build good relationships with a variety of stakeholders.
- Work to deadlines and event schedules.
- Ability to work well with others and to lead a variety of internal and external stakeholders.
- Manage own time and daily work tasks.
- Work independently and as part of a team.

## **Core Requirements:**

- Adhere to and promote the University's policies on Equality, Diversity and Inclusion and Information Security;
- Ensure compliance with Health & Safety and Data Protection Legislation;
- Support and promote the university's Sustainability policies, including the Carbon Management Plan, and carry out duties in a resource efficient way, recognising the shared responsibility of minimising the university's negative environmental impacts wherever possible
- Adhere to current legal requirements and best practice relating to digital content and accessibility, including Web Content Accessibility Guidelines when creating digital content.



### **Additional Requirements:**

- Must be able to work occasional weekends in return for time off in lieu (approximately 4 weekends per year).
- Any other duties appropriate to the post and grade.

#### **KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS:**

- Events are on time and within budget.
- Student feedback following 1-1s and workshops is positive and their objectives are met.
- The number of students engaging with the Generator continues to grow.
- A network of mentors is continuously expanded.
- The number of academic staff engaged with Generator activities continues to grow.

## **KEY RELATIONSHIPS (Internal & External):**

- Generator team
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- Students
- Employability teams
- Academic staff from all faculties
- External project partners
- Colleagues across the HE sector in related fields

### PERSON SPECIFICATION

### Essential

# **Experience**

- Experience of organising and managing events, both online and offline.
- Experience of designing and delivering workshops/ presentations.
- Experience of tracking and reporting on budgets.
- Experience of working to deadlines and managing own time.
- Experience of working in an enterprise or employability context.

# Skills

- A confident presenter who can communicate effectively with a wide range of audiences.
- Excellent writing skills including copywriting and report writing.
- Strong interpersonal skills.

### **Desirable**

### **Experience**

- Experience of working within Higher Education.
- Experience of setting up a new business or social enterprise, or of exploring a new business idea via a competition or training programme.
- Experience of delivering 1-1 guidance to clients.
- Experience of delivering enterprise training using design thinking methodology.

#### **Skills**

N/A



# **Qualifications**

• Educated to degree level.

# **Personal attributes**

We are looking for people who can help us deliver the <u>values</u> of the University of Greenwich:
Inclusive, Collaborative and Impactful

# **Qualifications**

• N/A

# **Personal attributes**

• N/A