

Student Forum Facilitators

Status: Voluntary student leadership role

Time commitment: 6 hours/month, training, planning, Forum, Collectives

Term: One academic year

Applications open: year-round with selection at the end of September

Perks:

Leadership and facilitation training

A certificate and reference from the SU

- Public speaking & teamwork skills
- · Free meal on Forum days, training days, and informal team building
- Leading the voice in shaping the direction of your Union and student experience

What's the Role?

Forum is your space to shape the student experience.

It's where students come together to discuss the issues that matter, hear from peers and officers, and decide what the Students' Union should stand for and work on.

Forum is open to everyone – whether you care about buses, housing, mental health support, climate justice, or something totally new. It's where your voice turns into action.

As Facilitators of Student Forum, you'll lead the space where real student issues get heard and turned into action. You'll plan the agenda, facilitate conversations, and help make Forum and Collectives a space that's inclusive, engaging, and meaningful.

This is a team role – you'll work closely with your fellow Facilitator, the SU Sabbatical Officers, and students to create a Forum that our members want to be part of. One of you might be more facilitation-focused, while the other takes the lead on slides or tech – but you'll both bring your strengths and support each other in the role.



What You'll Do (Together)

- Plan the agenda with SU sabbs and students
- Facilitate Forum meetings guide discussion, keep it respectful, fun, and inclusive
- Invite relevant guests, students, or speakers with lived experience to contribute
- Support hybrid meetings slides, tech, timing, and access
- Capture the outcomes and help follow up what happens next
- Help promote Forum and get more students involved
- Be a visible presence make yourselves known as the go-to people for Forum

Shared Values

We're looking for students who:

- Believe in the power of student voice
- Value accessibility, inclusion, and kindness
- Want to help others make change happen
- Can work well as a team, balancing responsibilities
- Are happy to learn as they go we'll support you!

How to Apply

Applications Open: You can apply at any time, applications are open year-round (if the position is filled at the time you apply you will be considered for the next academic year) **Selection Period**: September 26th - 30th

Format:

- A short application form (video format answers available)
- If you'd like to be considered alongside another candidate you can name them on your application

Got Questions? Come and chat to us before you apply – we are happy to support you!