Independent Students' Officer

Represents students including care-leavers, estranged students, refugees, young carers and parents in education. Running campaigns, supporting students and acting as a source of information, they work with other Officer to ensure the needs of specific groups of students are met while protecting and extending equality for all who self-define or identify with the role.

Responsibilities of the Mature Students Officer

The Independent Students' Officer(s) will be responsible for:

1. Representing students who identify as independent (which include care-leavers, estranged students, refugees, young carers, and parents in education) on matters relevant to them.
2. Co-ordinating and leading campaigns on matters relating to the needs of independent students (where appropriate)
3. Acting as a source of information and point of contact for independent students.
4. Advising Undeb Aber on ways it can improve its work in line with the needs of independent students.
5. Working with students, full-time officer and officers across Wales and the UK to ensure the needs of independent students are represented.

Responsibilities of all Volunteer Officers

1. To attend all appropriate Undeb Aberystwyth and University meetings including Senedd Meetings and Forums.
2. To act in a professional and appropriate manner always.
3. To ensure that all decisions and actions are taken in line with the Undeb Aberystwyth constitution and current Undeb Aberystwyth policy.
4. To be prepared to report on the progress of the work under their remit.

5. To regularly meet and liaise with relevant Officer Trustees and staff members.
6. To attend relevant meet and greets throughout the year.
7. To attend all training relevant to their role.

The Volunteer Officer (also referred to as “Part-time” Officer) Portfolios are not intended to be exhaustive list of the procedures and tasks carried out by the officer(s). It does however set out the main expectations of Undeb Aber in relation to the post-holder’s duties and responsibilities.

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