



Student Placement Opportunity – National Volunteer for Youth and Community Teams

**Home Based / Loughborough Performance Centre / Birmingham Head Office
Expenses Only**

England Athletics has an exciting opportunity for a sandwich year student to join us in supporting delivery of England Athletics Schools and Community based programmes across the country. The successful candidate will assist in the review and development of the Youth Competition and Awards Resources, assist in the promotion, roll-out and implementation of the Youth Competition and Awards resources in Schools and Clubs, assist in aligning all existing Awards and National Competition Entry standards with the "Power of 10" and provide support to the National Coach Mentor with the review, development and implementation of existing programmes.

The role will offer the successful candidate an excellent opportunity to contribute to the development of athletics at the club and grassroots level, build relations with a wide range of internal and external stakeholders and to influence the future direction of operational plans and gain a wide range of experience of the role of a National Governing Body.

This is a full-time placement over 35 hours a week. It is anticipated that the placement will begin 1st October 2013 and end 31st August 2014, although this will be subject to agreement by both parties.

The successful applicant will be studying on a Sports degree, and be passionate about athletics at a grass roots level. The role will involve travel to the Loughborough Performance Centre and Birmingham Head Office, so the candidate must have their own transport and driving license. This role is not salaried, but expenses will be paid for travel and any associated costs with overnight stays. England Athletics is committed to supporting the successful candidate's studying and will set in place agreed terms for the placement, provision of a supervisor, induction programme and the provision of learning and development opportunities throughout the placement.

To apply for this role please follow the link;

<http://www.networxrecruitment.com/Jobs/Advert/25880?FromSearch=False>

For an informal discussion please contact Scott Grace, National Coach Mentor for Youth Development on sgrace@englandathletics.org or 07912 406498.

Please note that we reserve the right to close this application process early if a large number of applications are received.

England Athletics is an equal opportunities employer and positively encourages applications from suitably qualified and eligible candidates regardless of sex, ethnicity, disability, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, religion or belief.