

A New Direction Talent Scout Job Description

Job title: A New Direction Talent Scout

Contract: Freelance

Hours: Casual ad-hoc basis

Number of Roles: Open

Salary: £15 / Hour plus £10 Travel per shift/day

- One hour for lunch unpaid*

** Some shifts may require you to work through lunch or take shorter breaks, in which case we'll pay you for this time*

The Role

To engage new audiences with our Employment and Skills programmes at public events, careers fairs and job centres.

Why are we doing this kind of work?

- To scout for new talented participants for our programmes
- To increase the visibility of our organisation for both existing and potential new partners and funders
- To increase our participation with new audiences, those who may not have heard of us before

Who can register with onto our programmes?

- Aged 18-30
- Interested in the creative and cultural industries
- Unemployed, underemployed or not in full-time education

A New Direction offer employability programmes and job opportunities for young Londoners (18-30) in the creative, cultural and tech industries. We introduce employers to talented and diverse young people, bringing new ideas and energy to the sector.

Skills and Abilities

- Good communication skills in oral, written and visual communications
- Confident public speaker and keen to engage and support other young creatives
- Ability to work under own initiative and prioritise a range of tasks with minimal supervision
- Ability to research information from a wide range of sources
- Existing network of creatives that you can connect with

Further potential development opportunities

- Opportunities to plan and facilitate alumni sessions in new community spaces. (dependent on government restrictions around Covid 19)

- Opportunities to learn about on and offline event production

To apply for this role, you must be 18 – 30 years old and interested in youth engagement.

It would be great if you have connections with youth clubs or grassroots organisations in and around London. There is opportunity for you to progress in this role and develop events here at A New Direction.

The deadline for this role is ongoing.

Please email mhairi.mcgee@anewdirection.org.uk with your CV and a cover letter detailing your experience and interest in the role. Please make your cover letter no longer than one page.