

## Intern employment opportunity Share Somewhere Community Ambassadors

### Share Somewhere

Share Somewhere helps communities across the UK to make the most of their unused spaces. The platform helps people showcase their spaces, take bookings and payments online, and celebrate positive activity at a community level. Think Airbnb for your community assets! Share Somewhere is managed by youth charity The Mix, and does not profit from bookings arranged through the site.

### Where we are currently

For a combination of reasons since Covid-19, partners with loads of great spaces have found it challenging to fill their venues and make sure they're well used. Share Somewhere therefore needs to adopt a more personal and entrepreneurial approach in order to keep shaping and building its brilliant platform.

Venues and spaces have opened up, but will remain tentative, so through working with interns as Community Ambassadors for Share Somewhere, we want to connect with venues, learn about the great activities they host, and then help them get listed on Share Somewhere. With young people powering this data collection as Community Ambassadors, we can aim to get the Share Somewhere platform moving, whilst celebrating community activity through a youth employment model, in spite of the ongoing challenges we are all facing as a result of cost of living and the fallout from the pandemic.

### This idea

This internship offers a job opportunity that will help you develop lots of skills. As Community Ambassadors at a local level, you'll be communicating with spaces you know about, and discovering ones you don't. The role includes training, a peer generated toolkit, wraparound support, key skills development, and progression routes if you really go for it!

### Candidates for the Community Ambassador Internship roles

Draft criteria for these roles;

- *16-24 years old*
- *keen to develop transferable skills that will support future employment*
- *confident communicators, happy to pick up the phone*
- *responsible, will be open to our guidance around C-19, and sensitive towards others around this too*
- *understand the need to record their work, and are IT literate*
- *able to work up to 20 hours a week*

### Benefits for our young Community Ambassadors

This is a good development opportunity on a number of fronts;

- *Understanding the value of data*
- *Developing communication skills; organisation skills; IT skills; networking skills*
- *Building their own networks at a local level, and finding opportunities for future work and collaboration*
- *Use of a Community Ambassador Toolkit and the chance to feed into it too*



## The Detail for this Role

The details for this role are as follows;

- 3 month funded roles
- Immediate start available
- Up to 20 hours/week
- Paid at London living wage

## Application Process;

To apply, please send through a short summary of how your experience matches the role and answers to the four questions as outlined below to [workforus@themix.org.uk](mailto:workforus@themix.org.uk).

1. *When organising a project that you've worked on before, what different technologies have you used of to make sure you've stayed on track? Think Google Sheets, email, phone calls. Please explain why each one was important.*
2. *Please give an example of a job, a project, or a situation where you have used your communication skills to ensure you achieved your goals. Why are communication skills important for professional projects?*
3. *What are you hoping to get out of this opportunity, and where do you want it to lead professionally?*
4. *What spaces have you made use of locally, and in other towns and cities that have been memorable? Please explain what you used them for and why.*