



## YOUTH AMBASSADOR OF CHANGE, PROJECT AMBASSADOR

The Project Youth Ambassadors of the Scottish FA will form small working groups and together will design and deliver a self-defined project that directly contributes to the Scottish FAs success against one of it's key 'Scotland United, A 2020 Vision,' outcomes. These are: Performance; Strong Quality Growth; Improving Football's Finances; and Leading the Game. The successful candidate will become an active member of the Youth Congress and will contribute to and ensure that the opinions of young people are included in the future vision of the Scottish FA. With the support of the Participation and Engagement Officer and a Project Champion, you will create and research a project that you hold a personal passion for. While this project must address a Scottish FA strategy outcome, applicants are encouraged to think of vibrant and creative projects which can impact the future of our game. You will take an active role in representing the views of young people to the Scottish FA. You must have a passion for Scottish Football and youth engagement, be a strong communicator with good project work experience. We look forward to receiving your application.

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| <b>TITLE OF POSITION:</b>  |
| Youth Ambassador of Change, Project Ambassador   |
| <b>REPORTS TO:</b>   |
| Participation and Engagement Officer   |
| <b>ROLE PURPOSE:</b>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Actively provide the opportunity for children and young people in Scotland to advise and support the direction of football in Scotland by consulting with the business and staff of the Scottish FA.</li><li>Attend and contribute to the direction and action of the Youth Congress.</li><li>Contribute to the planning and delivery of projects within Scottish football involving children &amp; young people.</li><li>Contribute to other work involving children and young people and/or related projects as agreed by the Youth Congress.</li><li>Develop a project that actively contributes to the future strategic vision and success of the Scottish FA.</li></ul> |



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| <b>KEY DUTIES &amp; RESPONSIBILITIES</b>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Attend a minimum of 3 Youth Congress meetings per year.</li><li>Agree, manage and complete a personal work plan with the Participation and Engagement Officer and your fellow Project Youth Ambassadors. You will also coordinate Youth Congress projects if and when required.</li><li>Support other Youth Congress members to fulfil their duties.</li><li>Represent the Youth Congress at National events, Scottish FA and external events as and when required to do so.</li><li>Be a spokesperson for the Youth Congress and be a positive role model at all times.</li><li>Working within a small subgroup made up of other Project Youth Ambassadors you will create and define a project within the scope of the Scottish FA's work.</li><li>Research and develop your project against the future vision of the Scottish FA's 2020 vision, strategic paper.</li><li>Deliver your project and potential recommendations to contribute to the positive future and growth of the Scottish FA and Scottish Football.</li><li>Work toward the strategic goals and development of the Scottish FA and Scottish Football at large.</li><li>Establish good rapport with Scottish FA representatives and other football groups/members as and when necessary.</li><li>Abide by Scottish FA standards of professionalism.</li><li>Be an ambassador for equality, diversity and inclusion, and Children's Rights and Wellbeing across Scotland.</li></ul> |
| <b>QUALIFICATIONS</b>  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>You will have obtained a passing mark in Higher English and Maths, or equivalent.</li></ul>  |

| SKILLS   |   |
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| ESSENTIAL  | DESIRABLE   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• An ability to develop relationships, via strong teamwork and communication skills.</li> <li>• Self-motivated, committed, with an ability to manage your own tasks.</li> <li>• Computer literate.</li> <li>• Willing to learn and committed to personal development</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Proven leadership skills.</li> <li>• Ability to present to audiences outwith the Youth Congress.</li> <li>• Understanding of the impacts of social media and its various uses.</li> </ul>  |
| COMPETENCIES   |   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Able to communicate and build relationships with others regardless of age or background.</li> <li>• Able to respect other people's views and behaviors and treat others without judgement or discrimination.</li> <li>• A commitment to and enthusiasm for the sport of football.</li> <li>• Is passionate to improve the voice and view of young people in football in Scotland.</li> <li>• Acts with discretion and confidentiality.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Take a collaborative approach to work, and can work toward common goals.</li> <li>• Able to put forward ideas with enthusiasm and provide solutions to issues or problems.</li> <li>• Able to prioritise as appropriate.</li> <li>• Willing to challenge those resistant to change.</li> </ul> |
| EXPERIENCE and KNOWLEDGE   |   |
| ESSENTIAL  | DESIRABLE   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A keen interest for Scottish Football.</li> <li>• Experience of active participation as part of a team.</li> <li>• Demonstrable experience of previous project management.</li> <li>• Experience of working as part of a team.</li> <li>• Experience of previous voluntary work.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Passion for Equalities, Diversity &amp; Inclusion, and Children's Rights.</li> </ul>   |
| ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS  |   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Willingness to undertake training and development.</li> <li>• Willingness to obtain and hold a full PVG membership.</li> <li>• Willingness to sign a Non-Disclosure Agreement, ahead of your participation in the Scottish FA.</li> <li>• Willingness to travel within Scotland as and when necessary and agreed.</li> <li>• Willingness to fulfill weekend work as and when necessary and agreed.</li> </ul>                                     |   |