

WHAT DO WE WANT?	
Host Organisation	Sheffield Hallam University Active
Role Title	Football Referee (12 posts)
Description	<p>As part of 'Active Universities', a project supported and funded by Sport England, Sheffield Hallam University Active require Football referees to help deliver our 5-a-side / 6-a-side and 11-a-side 2012/13 intramural Football competitions. The aim of the role is to referee matches between teams in a fair and impartial manner to increase the overall enjoyment and professionalism of our intramural Football competitions, as well as ensuring the health and safety of all participants is maintained at all times.</p> <p>As part of the Entry Level Football Referee course (provided by Sheffield Hallam University Active), you are required to referee 7 fixtures from the intramural league at Graves Park on Wednesday afternoons (on a voluntary basis). Please note that all equipment and transport to the venue is provided.</p> <p>By doing so, you will be offered paid work in the form of refereeing our 5-a-side &amp; 6-a-side intramural football leagues at Collegiate Campus and Goals Soccer Centre.</p>
Potential Hours Required, Pattern & Rate of Pay	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Voluntary / paid position</li> <li>• 3.5 hours (12.45 - 16:15) fortnightly (11-a-side intramural - voluntary)</li> <li>• Paid referee positions on a weekly rota throughout the season</li> <li>• Dates of work: October 2012 - December 2012 February 2013 - May 2013</li> </ul>
Person Specification	<p><b>Skills:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Good communication</li> <li>• Organised and excellent time management</li> <li>• Reliable</li> </ul> <p><b>Knowledge:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Basic rules of Football</li> </ul>
Level/Course of Student	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Applications will be accepted from all degree routes and levels.</li> </ul>
Desirable Prerequisites/Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No referee qualification required.</li> <li>• Ability to attend an FA Entry Level Football Referee course (Sheffield Hallam University Active will fund successful candidates to achieve this).</li> <li>• Ability to attend fortnightly Wednesday refereeing (11-a-side intramural)</li> <li>• Working towards/already registered on <a href="http://www.sportspaceextra.org">www.sportspaceextra.org</a></li> </ul>
Responsible to:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sport Participation Co-ordinator</li> </ul>

## THE STUDENT OFFER - WHAT WILL THIS OPPORTUNITY PROVIDE YOU WITH?

<b>The Experience You Will Gain</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The refereeing experience required in order to gain a referee qualification</li> <li>• Helping to increase Sheffield Hallam University students' participation in sport and physical activity.</li> <li>• A relevant qualification to help further your employability.</li> <li>• The opportunity to refine and develop new skills</li> <li>• Enjoyment, satisfaction and the chance to meet new people</li> </ul>
<b>Qualifications you will attain:</b>	<p>Sheffield Hallam University rewards the commitment of it's voluntary workforce by funding opportunities to you to professionally develop, up-skill and boost your employability. Therefore, in return for your voluntary hours, Sheffield Hallam University Active will fund you in accessing the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• FA Entry Level Football Referee Award</li> </ul>
<b>Additional Information which might be of interest:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Football Association estimates that in some areas of the country, 20 per cent of games are played without a qualified match official.</li> </ul>
<b>Expenses</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Taxis provided from Sheffield Hallam University Active reception at Collegiate Campus to Graves Park (11-a-side intramural Football).</li> </ul>
<b>Academic/module related Information:</b>	<p>This role may give you the opportunity to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop a L6 Dissertation project with Sheffield Hallam University Active</li> <li>• Develop a L5 or L6 Independent Study module project.</li> <li>• Full-time L5 work placement opportunity in Semester 2.</li> </ul>
<b>Application Process &amp; Further Information</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Please download the application form by clicking <a href="#">here</a></li> <li>• Please send completed applications to <a href="mailto:getactive@shu.ac.uk">getactive@shu.ac.uk</a></li> <li>• Closing date for applications: 5pm, Wednesday May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2012.</li> <li>• Post due for commencement: October 2012</li> <li>• You will be required to attend a brief Sheffield Hallam University induction.</li> </ul>