

Trustee for Starpic Project (SCIO)

The board of Starpic Project is seeking to appoint new Trustees to support the effective governance and strategic leadership of the charity. STARPIC PROJECT is a registered Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation whose charitable purposes are:

To advance citizenship and community development in the interests of social welfare, with the objective of improving the conditions of life in the community; and to work with organisations to assist in the advancement of public participation in sport.

Our programmes focus on enhancing community wellbeing, increasing youth participation, and ensuring equitable access to positive developmental opportunities.

Role of a Trustee

As a Trustee, you will share collective responsibility for the governance of the organisation in accordance with the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) Act 2005 and OSCR guidance. This includes the duty to:

- Act in the interests of STARPIC PROJECT (SCIO) at all times;
- Ensure that the charity's assets are used solely to advance its charitable purposes;
- Comply with the charity's constitution and relevant legislation;
- Manage the charity's resources responsibly, ensuring proper financial oversight and risk management;
- Ensure the organisation is accountable, transparent, and operating with integrity;
- Contribute to the development of strategic plans that support the advancement of citizenship, community development, and participation in sport.

Trustees are expected to attend 5-7 board meetings per year and contribute to additional governance activities as required. This is a voluntary, unpaid position; reasonable expenses may be reimbursed.

Person Specification

We welcome applications from individuals who support our mission and can demonstrate sound judgement, integrity, and a commitment to strengthening communities. Experience in any of the following areas would be advantageous:

- Charity governance or strategic leadership
- Finance, fundraising, or income development
- Youth work, community development, or social impact programmes
- Sports development, physical activity participation, or partnership working
- Safeguarding, regulatory compliance, or risk management
- Communications, digital engagement, or stakeholder relations

We encourage applications from people with lived experience relevant to our work and from underrepresented groups.

How to Apply

Applicants are invited to submit a CV and a brief supporting statement outlining their interest in the role and the skills they would bring. You can find more information about the project at https://www.starpicproject.co.uk/scio

Please send applications of interest with CV to trustee@starpicproject.co.uk
For further information about the role or to request an informal discussion, please contact a member of the board on 0131 259 2175.