

StudentShapers Recruitment: Calling all (Undergraduate Students Y1-Y4 Department of Aeronautics)

(Gender and Mental Health in STEM)

Bursary: £325 per week- x4 week project =£1,300 total.

Who should apply: Students only enrolled on Aeronautics Undergraduate Programme should apply.

4 students required UG 1-4, ideally one from each year group. Open to all genders. Encouraging applicants from a range of backgrounds and experiences- including but not limited to BAME, LGBTQ+.

Campus/Location: Remote

Project details:

Four weeks full time commencing on 12th **July-6 August-** Must be available for entire duration of project full time 9-5pm Monday-Friday UK time.

The four student shapers and wellbeing adviser will work together to send out a survey, help run a focus group facilitated by wellbeing adviser at start of week 2 on the potential barriers to support, allowing an opportunity for students to Investigate the barriers to men seeking mental health support and difficulties women may be experiencing in a STEM environment and how this may or may not be contributing to higher levels of stress.

Student shapers and wellbeing adviser will consider the themes identified and formulate a set of standardised questions and a conversation starter resource based on the common themes.

In the second half of the project, the planning for the gender and mental health in STEM event will start, including adding the anonymous research findings, questions, and convo starters into a presentation to form the context of the presentation and promote to students the use of the resources during the event and next academic year.

Experience required:

Survey collection and presentation skills, strong team working skills, basic understanding of mental health.

How to apply:

Email to Amy Picton Student Wellbeing Advisor with 300-500 words on why a student wishes to engage with the project. Informal interviews or meetings can be used for selection if high number of applicants.

Deadline for applications: Monday 24th May, successful applicants will be notified by 31st May.

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