StudentShapers Recruitment: Calling all UG students across all Departments

Shaping student-centred learning experience for I-Explore STEMM Module "Creating Evidence-Based Solutions to Environmental Pollution and Health"

Bursary: £330 per week x 8 weeks

Who should apply:

Year-3 undergraduate (UG) STEMM faculty students should apply

You must be free for eight weeks, full time from the 27th June 2022**

*Dates can be flexible and open to negotiation to allow personal circumstances but need to be during summer holidays so as not to disrupt studies and allow for a break

*If you are final-year/graduating students you are welcome to apply but please suggest how your availability fits in with the project timescale

Campus/Location: Remote working/White city campus

Project details:

We would like to recruit student partners to work together on co-designing a new interdisciplinary I-Explore STEMM Module "Creating Evidence-Based Solutions to Environmental Pollution and Health" in October 2022. The module leaders have collated a wide range of content for students, through multiple delivery mode including podcasts, videos, workshops and a *Golden's Den* activity. This activity to this point has been staff-led but lacks an element of student-driven learning. Studentshapers will focus on enhancing the 'student-centred' education of our new I-Explore STEMM module. Student partners in this project will collaborate with us:

- To co-design the interaction activity such as learning activities in weekly theme-related workshops
- To co-determine our planned core teaching resources (podcasts, videos and lecture contents);
- To initiate and create the e-learning space for peer support and peer discussion;
- To co-devise the "Dragon's Den" assessment.

Initial plan of this project:

Week 1: Get introduced to the project and to familiarise with the module platform & structure;

Week 2-3: To research and co-design options for theme-specific interaction activity for workshops (8 in total) and skills workshops (careers, presentation skills and entrepreneurship, 2 in total)



Week 4-5: Creatively assess the current content within the module (emphasis on non-facilitated project as peer activities) and co-creating further resources;

Week 6-7: To create the e-learning space for peer support & discussion, and to pilot the 'Dragon's Den' assessment and provide feedback for refinement;

Week 8: A group closure meeting to summarise the project and finalise report

Benefits for participant:

- This opportunity provides a unique opportunity to not only engage, but also immerse students in the beginning of undergraduate module design;
- This project empowers students to explore opportunities for student-driven learning, enhance their experiences of higher education administration and delivery and activate/promote peer engagement and support to learn collectively, in a multidisciplinary way and inclusively;
- Opportunity to gain a deeper understanding and practice the college's learning and teaching strategy
- Opportunity to earn financially by providing invaluable consultation and advice
- Opportunity to put this excellent partnership experience on their CV/application for potential Associate Fellowships of the Higher Education Academy
- Opportunity to involve in future projects of the department and even to propose new projects in partnership once the trust was built

We would love to hear from you if you are:

- ✓ Passionate about education and learning
- ✓ Independent working
- ✓ Open mind to new ideas
- ✓ Works well in a team

We commit to Equality, Diversion and Inclusion and thus equal opportunity for all our students.

How to apply:



Expressions of interest (300-500 words) should be made via the 'expression of interest' form on the StudentShapers website (here) or accessed using the above QR code. This will then be distributed directly to the appropriate staff partner.

Deadline: 31st March 2022 **Contact details**: h.zhang@imperial.ac.uk