

SHEFFIELD HALLAM STUDENTS' UNION

STUDENT GROUPS NEWSLETTER



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WELCOME 2023

We were delighted to welcome you back to the Steel City and had a blast this Welcome. We hope you did too!

The Students' Union held a number of events for you to socialise, join a student community and much, much more!

Welcome isn't over yet! With a number of Give it a Go opportunities running throughout October, it's never too late to take advantage of the activities on offer.

What's On
[hallamstudentsunion.com](https://www.hallamstudentsunion.com)

SOCIETY SPOTLIGHT

SOCIETY OF THE MONTH, NEW SOCIETIES AND MORE!



Society of the Month

Want to be featured here? Send activitiesadmin@shu.ac.uk a quick line and photo about what you have been up to this month.



SOCIETIES

NEW SOCIETY:

GRAPHIC DESIGN

We are a society purely revolved around travelling- whether it is internationally or nationally, there are always fun events going on! *[Check them out here!](#)*



NEW SOCIETY:

VEGAN AND VEGETARIAN

Miss the golden age of gaming? Then Nintendo Society might be the place for you! Join them for weekly games, quizzes and more. *[Check them out here!](#)*

STUDENTS' UNION NOTICES



JOIN OUR TEAM CHECK OUT YOUR OPPORTUNITIES NOW

Interested in joining our team? We're recruiting roles that might be right up your street.

They're the perfect opportunity to make new friends, gain experience in new areas, and explore issues important to you. Most require a small commitment but will look great on your CV! The voluntary roles even count towards your volunteering hours - bonus!

[Explore Roles](#)

Health, Wellbeing and Life Sciences College Officer (Part-Time)

- 16 hours per week - paid
- Be the main representative for students in the College of Health, Wellbeing and Life Sciences and make sure the uni is paying attention to the concerns of students in your College.
- Skills/experience: Leadership, campaigning, and decision-making.

Rep roles

- 2 hours per month - voluntary
- Help to deliver projects, events, and campaigns to benefit particular groups of students. Multiple roles available.
- Skills/experience: Campaigning, policy making, and teamwork.



Union Council - Chair & Open Space Reps

- 2 hours per month - voluntary
- Influence SU policy and help to ensure both us and the University are working in the interests of all students.
- Skills/experience: Campaigning, policy making, and teamwork.

NUS Reps

- 2 days per year - voluntary
- Attend the NUS National Conference 17-18 April 2024 and contribute to conversations that can help to get the best outcomes for students.
- Skills/experience: Developing strategy, oversight, and engaging with different groups of people.
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Trustees

- 20 hours per year - voluntary
- Shape the strategy of your SU and ensure it's working in the interests of students.
- Skills/experience: Developing strategy, oversight, and engaging with different groups of people.

Working Committee roles

- 6 hours per year - voluntary
- Share ideas and run projects, events, and campaigns to benefit particular groups of students. Choose from LGBTQ+, BAME, Disabled, International, Trans, Mature, Women's, Sustainability, Societies, or Wellbeing Working Committees.
- Skills/experience: Collaborating with like-minded students and exploring issues important to you.

Explore Roles

Got any questions? Drop us a line:

democracy@shu.ac.uk



SOCIETY COMMITTEE BY ELECTION

Fancy being a committee member in your Society?

All our societies have at least four committee members who volunteer their time to help run a society. If your society has any vacant committee roles this is your chance to nominate yourself for a role!

The Requirements

- You are currently a Hallam Student.
- You hold a membership for the society you would like to be a committee member for.

Find below some dates for your diary:

Nominations:

- Open: 9th October at 09:30am
- Close: 22nd October at 23:59pm

Voting:

- Opens: 23rd October at 09:30am
- Close: 29th October at 23:59pm

Results announced: 30th October from 16:00pm.

Got any questions? Drop us a
line:
activitiesadmin@shu.ac.uk

GIVE IT A GO!

Check out the full list of activities in the Give it a Go programme here:
www.hallamstudentsunion.com/get_involved/giveitago/

Our picks



BARISTA WORKSHOP AND LATTEE ART

For more information about this give it a go and how to sign up, check out the event webpage [here!](#)



TRIP TO THE PUMPKIN FESTIVAL

For more information about this give it a go and how to sign up, check out the event webpage [here!](#)



GHOST WALK

For more information about this give it a go and how to sign up, check out the event webpage [here!](#)

SENSORIA FILM & MUSIC FESTIVAL

GIVE IT A GO: A SWEET SIXTEENTH SENSORIA 5TH - 8TH OCTOBER

Sensoria, the UK's festival of film, music and digital, is excited to reveal the line-up for its sweet 16th edition of the event, which will bring live music, film screenings, exhibitions and events to iconic venues across Sheffield. A celebration of a city and its music, film, art and electronica, Sensoria runs from 5th - 8th October (with the My Brutal Life exhibition taking place the weekends of 6th - 9th and 13th - 16th October).

The festival kicks off with NORDIC GIANTS on 5th Oct, a visceral live music performance accompanying short films - at University of Sheffield Drama Studio. THE BLACK DOG launch their new album MY BRUTAL LIFE with a live set on 7th Oct at University of Sheffield Drama Studio plus a photography exhibition at the iconic Moore Street Substation.

HIGH SCORES showcases a selection of artists that celebrate the influence of videogame music including PIZZA HOTLINE, CHIPZEL and HARLEYLIKESMUSIC.

SENSORIAPRO, an annual gathering of composers, filmmakers and music industry professionals welcomes Will Gregory of Goldfrapp and Adrian Utley of Portishead; the music team behind THE FULL MONTY TV series and the ever popular SCORING CONTEST.

The packed programme features more events from film talks to SynthFest UK - further info and tickets are available from sensoria.org.uk

VOLUNTEERING



HARVEST APPEAL 2023

This Autumn, we're teaming up with local homelessness charity [Archer Project](#) for their big Harvest campaign.

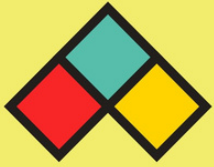
The Harvest campaign is all about students and staff coming together to help ensure Archer Project have enough food, toiletries, and clothes to keep them stocked up for another year, so they can continue delivering essential services to Sheffield's homeless population.

We're looking to help Archer Project make this year's Harvest campaign their most successful ever. If you'd like to get involved, please donate as many or as few items as you can. Every item donated counts - from tins of beans to socks, T-shirts, and shampoo!

Check out the webpage for more information: [Harvest Appeal 2023](#)

Got any questions? Drop us a line: volunteering@shu.ac.uk

Check out the full list of volunteering opportunities here:
[Volunteering Opportunities](#)



**The Archer
Project**

Life changing support

H **Hallam
Students'
Union**



Scan the QR Code for
more information on:

- Items to donate
- Drop-off points
- Access to the Amazon wishlist
- To let us know you've donated



Please donate between the 2nd October to the 23rd October.



VOLUNTEERING FAIR 2023

Give yourself the edge while you're at Hallam and volunteer.

Make a difference to the community – and to yourself. We hand-pick roles that let you gain experience, discover new interests and grow your confidence along the way. This is your chance to get involved and make a positive impact on the world. Whether you're interested in working with animals, helping children, or supporting the elderly, there's a volunteer opportunity for everyone.

Meet our charity partners, and explore their volunteering roles. Our volunteering team will also be there to chat through any questions you might have.

So come along to the volunteering fair and discover the many ways in which you can get involved. You'll have the chance to meet with a variety of organizations and learn about the different volunteering opportunities available. You'll also be able to chat with current volunteers and find out what it's really like to be a part of their team.

Charities in attendance include: Goalball UK, RiteTrax CIC, Foodworks, FoodCycle, Grimm & Co, Sheffield Museums, White Rose, British Red Cross, Yorkshire Air Ambulance and many more!

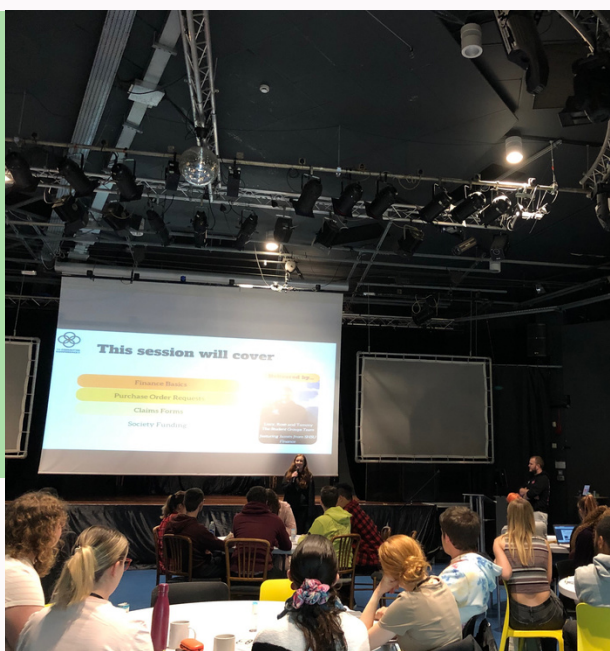
Check out the website to see the full list and sign up!

**Check out the full list of
volunteering opportunities
here:
[Volunteering Opportunities](#)**

[Sign up here!](#)

COMMITTEE CORNER

NOTICES FOR OUR SOCIETY COMMITTEE MEMBERS



Committee Conference 2022

Committee Conference 2023 and your training resources

It was wonderful to see so many of you ahead of the new academic year and we look forward to supporting you with your welcome activities.

Couldn't attend? Check out the training resources on the Committee Portal Training page to catch up or get in touch with the Student Groups team at activitiesadmin@shu.ac.uk.

Annual Paperwork deadline

Please remember that your annual paperwork is now due. The final Deadline is now: 14/10/2022

If you are participating in a by election or need an extension on this deadline you must inform the Student Groups team - this will stop you from receiving reminder emails!

- Constitution
- Annual Risk Assessment
- Annual Guest Speaker Form



Committee Conference 2022

WELLBEING

Whether you are feeling lonely or need some advice, there is support available!



SELF HELP Online resources

The SU website provides access to online self help resources for different kinds of advice and wellbeing support.

Check those out here:
[Advice Self Help](#) | [Wellbeing](#)

WELLBEING CONTACT INFORMATION

Need to talk to someone?

THE STUDENT ADVICE CENTRE:

<https://www.hallamstudentsunion.com/advice>

Email: advicecentre@shu.ac.uk
Phone: 0114 225 4148

UNIVERSITY WELLBEING SERVICES:

<https://www.shu.ac.uk/wellbeing>

URGENT HELP:

<https://www.shu.ac.uk/wellbeing/urgent-help>



WELLBEING ACTIVITIES

Check out the [Whats On](#) page for activities to support your wellbeing.



MEET THE TEAM

Societies sit with the Student Communities and Development Team at Hallam Students' Union



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