

Trustee – Board Position (Voluntary Role)

Are you passionate about God, sport, church, and community, and looking for an opportunity to serve in a strategic leadership role? Sports Chaplaincy UK & Ireland is seeking dedicated and dynamic individuals to join our Board of Trustees as we work together to fulfil our vision and mission.

Who We Are:

At Sports Chaplaincy UK & Ireland (SCUKI), we desire to see a chaplain for every sport, transforming lives and communities across the UK and beyond. We are driven by our values and have a vision to see an expression of Gods love and compassion in every community called sport. Our mission is to train, support and help facilitate sports chaplains provide pastoral and spiritual care to the world of sport, partnering with the local churches and communities.

Your Role:

As a trustee, you will play a pivotal role in helping steer the charity, ensuring the delivery of our charitable objectives in line with our values: *Christ-centred, Humility, Accountability, Integrity, and Relationship/Results* (CHAIR). We are committed to strengthening our Board with a special attention for greater ethnic diversity and gender balance.

Key Areas of Expertise We Are Looking For:

- **Secretary (Charity Governance):** To ensure compliance and good governance.
- **Lawyer (Commercial/Corporate):** To provide legal guidance and support.
- **HR:** To help provide legal guidance and support in terms of HR and policies
- **Safeguarding Lead:** A dedicated role focusing on the welfare and protection of those we serve.
- **Sporting Lead:** To enhance our partnerships and engagement with the sporting community and government.
- **Church:** To enhance our partnerships and engagement with the church.
- **Funding:** To drive fundraising strategies and opportunities.
- **Country Representatives:** To represent regional interests and initiatives.

Time Commitment:

The Board meets five times a year – four virtual Zoom meetings (1.5-2 hours each) and one in-person gathering, which usually takes place over a weekend (Friday night to Saturday afternoon). Additionally, trustees are expected to be actively engaged between meetings, offering support in their areas of expertise.

What We Offer:

By joining SCUKI's Board of Trustees, you will be part of a movement that is transforming lives in the largest untapped mission field in the UK and Ireland. You'll collaborate with a passionate team of Christians, share in our vision, and play a vital role in shaping the future of sports chaplaincy in the UK and beyond.

If you are Christian who can commit to the EA Statement of Faith and ready to make a meaningful impact, we would love to hear from you.

How to Apply:

If you are a passionate and experienced leader looking to make a meaningful difference in the community of sport, we would love to hear from you. Please submit an expression of interest via our website <https://sportschaplaincy.org.uk/volunteer-scuk/> and will contact you for an initial chat to discuss why you may be suitability for the role.

We will then take up references before inviting you to a meeting.

Let's work together to ensure that sport is a place where people can experience care and community.