

# UNION SHOP INDUCTION

**Part one** 

>> Student Staff

**March 2020** 



# Firstly...

# Congratulations!

# UNION SHOP INDUCTION Part 1



How does the Students' Union operate & Our Values

**2** Rotas & Getting Paid

3 Uniform & Paperwork

# YOUR INDUCTION & TRAINING



4. Duty Manager*	1. Union Induction			
Your Journey				
3. Supervisor*	2. Team/Online Training			

Shop	Retail Induction	SU venue	3h	1 week after offer
Assistant	Basic training	Union shop	5h	Sign up at induction
	Food hygiene	iHASCO	1h	Between offer & induction*
	Manual handling	iHASCO	35m	Between offer & induction*

### **Basic Training**

- · Health and safety in the shop
- Shop and facilities tour
- Replenishing stock, storage containers
- Practical and demonstrations using our equipment and tills

### Manual Handling (online)

- Your back during Manual Handling
- Daily Tasks
- LITE Assessment
- Techniques

### Food Safety and Hygiene training - Level 2 (online)

- Food Hazards and Food Poisoning
- Personal Hygiene
- The 4 C's of Food Safety
- Procedures and Premises

### Further training and opportunities

Supervisor and Duty Manager training/development programmes



# WE'RE A BIT LIKE A GYM. YOU'LL GET OUT WHAT YOU PUT IN.





# BREAKER



# 1. HOW DOES THE STUDENTS' UNION OPERATE?

# WHAT IS THE STUDENTS' UNION?



A

A registered charity in our own right?

C

A department of the College?

B

A political organisation with lobbying aims and objectives?

D

A bar and nightclub?

## **SOME BRIEF HISTORY OF SUS**



Elections with lots of hacks. Political campaigns. Posters everywhere.

Education Act 1994. Growth in staff teams, particularly in commercial services.

### Charities Act 2006.

Professionalisation.
Staff structure.
Service
development.

A room in a building. Usually a small bar. Potentially a pool table. Clique.

Clubs and societies part of the organisation.
Nightclubs.

Professional advice centres. Core service staff. Lead staff member. Engagement.

Strategic Plan.
Long term goals.
Measures of
success.

## **OUR STRATEGY: WHY ARE WE HERE?**



# We're here to make student life better at Royal Holloway.

Improve your education

Make campus fun

Look after your wellbeing

Make you more employable you to change the world around you

# **HOW ARE WE GOVERNED?**



# Referenda

# **Board of Trustees**

- » Split between 'democracy' and 'governance' of the Union, with students involved in both sides
- » Management Committee makes day to day large decisions

Policy Inquiry
Officer Group
Student
Executives

- Management Committee
- Board of Trustees membership:
  - » 5 x Sabbatical Officers
  - » 3 x Current Students
  - » 5 x External Members



# ONE DOCUMENT TO RULE THEM ALL: OUR CONSTITUTION

# **HOW ARE WE LED?**



## Sabbatical Officers 2019/20



President Jack O'Neill



**VP Education**Kate Roberts



VP Welfare & Diversity
Lucy Simpson



VP Societies & Media
Sophia Bolton



**VP Sport**Dom Brown

# **HOW ARE WE MANAGED?**

\*Chart shows permanent staff only







### MEMBERSHIP SUPPORT AND ENGAGEMENT.

Abi Jesson

### >> Student Voice.

Student Voice Manager Academic Representation Coordinator **Democracy Coordinator** Research and Insight Coordinator >> Advice.

Advice Centre Manager Student Support Advisor

### >> Student Opportunities.

Student Opportunities Manager **Sports Clubs Coordinator** Societies and Media Groups Coordinator Events and Give It A Go Coordinator Helpdesk Coordinator **Administration Assistant** 

### >> Human Resources.

**HR Manager HR Coordinator** Recruitment Coordinator



### **FINANCE AND BUSINESS REPORTING.**

Katie Marriner

### >> Finance.

Financial Controller **Finance Coordinator Finance Assistant** 



### MARKETING AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Michael Bailey

### >> Communications.

**Communications Manager** Communications Coordinator

### >> Digital and Design.

Graphic and Web Designer x2

### >> Advertising and Sales.

Advertising and Media Sales Coordinator

### >> Venues.

Licensed Trade Manager Venue Operations Manager x2 Assistant Venue Operations Manager x2 **Trading Services Coordinator** Tommy's Kitchen Chef Graduate Management Trainee (Tommy's) **Head Door Supervisor** Venue Duty Manager x2

### >> The Packhorse.

The Packhorse Manager The Packhorse Deputy Manager The Packhorse Assistant Manager The Packhorse Chef Kitchen Supervisors x2

### >> Retail.

Union Shop Manager Union Shop Deputy Manager x2 Union Shop Assistant Manager **Administration Coordinator** Retail Assistant

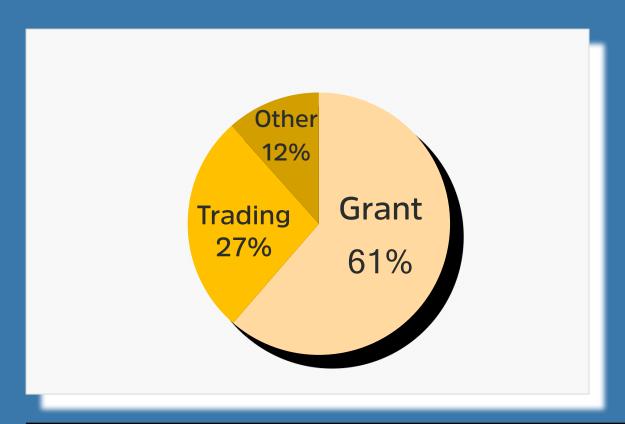
### >> Premises.

**Facilities and Maintenance Assistant** 

# **HOW DO WE WORK? OUR FINANCES**



It costs c£1.4m each year to run the Students' Union, funded from three main sources:



This funding is spent on our activities, roughly equivalent to the following breakdown:

Student Voice (incl. housing & advice)	25%
Student Opportunities (incl. Union Bus)	27%
Communications & Marketing	11%
Finance	13%
HR & Governance	7%
Central Overheads	17%



# WEALS NOT FOR PROFIT, JUST FOR SIUDENIS

# **OTHER SERVICES WE PROVIDE**





ADVICE CENTRE



SPORTS
CLUBS &
SOCIETIES



GIVE IT A GO

COURSE REPS



HOUSESEARCH MARKET DAY SUMMER BALL



ELECTIONS,
CAMPAIGNS &
REPRESENTATION



# STUDENT VS STUDENT STAFF



- » You are a paid employee of the Students' Union, and therefore subject to employment terms and conditions.
- » You are also a member, and therefore encouraged to participate in the Union's activities as any other student would.
- » Some areas these two concepts may conflict:
  - » Student behaviour / staff role
  - » Media enquiries
  - » Satisfaction surveys
  - » Social media
  - » Your friends
  - » Elections



# STUDENT STAFF ENGAGEMENT



- » Each year we run a staff engagement survey in January/February
- » All student staff are encouraged to participate and help us make your time working for the Students' Union more enjoyable and productive.
- » Some items we've responded to from the past two years:
  - » New approach to induction
  - » New Rota Cloud software and investment
  - » More student staff recruited
  - » Free Union Bus for staff when working
  - » More staff socials
  - » Student staff forum
  - » Monthly staff newsletter
  - » Discount Card





# OUR VALUES: WHAT DO THEY MEAN IN PRACTICE?

## **OUR VALUES**



- » Implemented in January 2016 after significant consultation with staff and students
- » Span the entire organisation, and shape everything from recruitment to day to day services
- » Five values should be how the Union 'feels':
  - » Student Focused
  - » High Quality
  - » Brave
  - » Trustworthy
  - » Inclusive



- ROY DISNEY



# EVERYTHING WE DO SHOULD HAVE STUDENTS AT THE HEART OF IT

**Student Focused** 



# EXPECTATIONS ARE HIGH AND WE MUST EXCEED THEM

**High Quality** 



# WE SHOULD BE BOLD AND NOT AFRAID TO CHALLENGE THE STATUS QUO

**Brave** 



# We will ensure we are transparent, honest and fair in what we say and do

**Trustworthy** 



# We will offer a diverse range of activities which are fulfilling and accessible

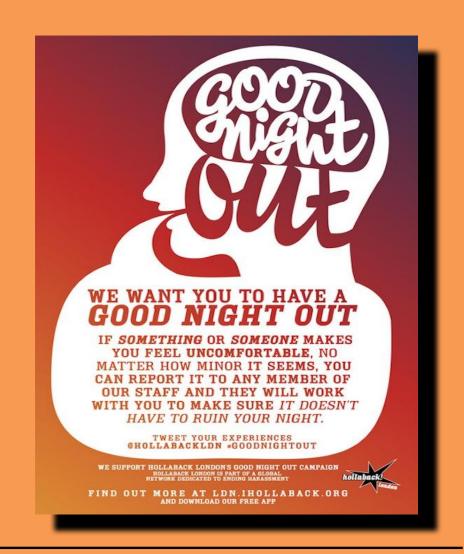
## **Inclusive**

## **BEING INCLUSIVE**



We expect all staff to help encourage a culture of dignity and respect.

- » Behave in a way that respects the rights and dignity of others
- » Treat others fairly
- » Value and celebrate differences and the contribution they make
- » Challenge inappropriate behaviour
- » Demonstrate a commitment to upholding our policies on equality and diversity
- » Engage in the principles behind 'A Good Night Out' campaign (if venues staff)



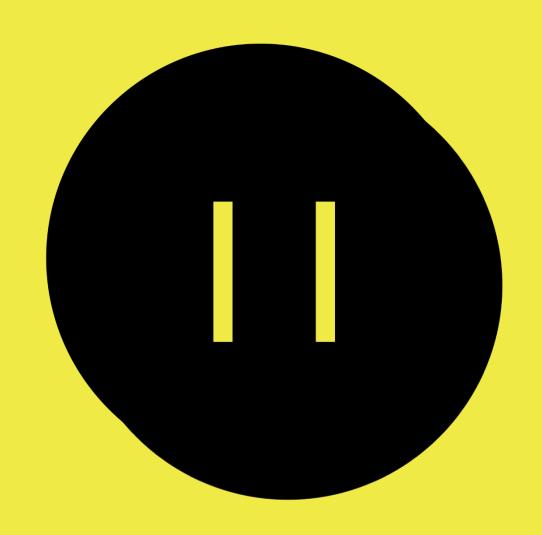
## **OUR VALUES AWARDS**





- » We use PeopleHR to recognise values-led behaviour from all staff
- For outstanding behaviour
   there are a limited number of
   £5 vouchers
- » All Line Managers and above can issue them – but if you see someone who deserves one, tell us!





# TAKE A BREAK

FOR 5 MINUTES



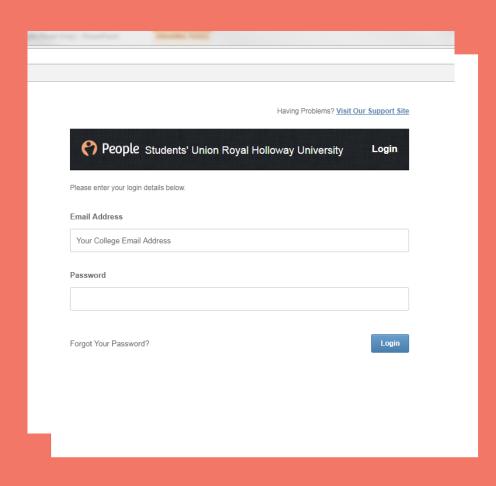
# 2. HOW DO ROTAS WORK? & GETTING YOUR MONEY

## **PEOPLE HR**



Our employee information system manages your personal information and helps you keep track of what's going on with the organisation.

- » Available via a website https://surhul.peoplehr.net (or via the free mobile app)
- » You will receive a welcome email with your login
- » Via PeopleHR you can:
  - » Amend your campus address if it changes
  - » Amend your bank details if they change
  - » Access policies and procedures
  - » Access news from your team or department



## **PEOPLE HR: POLICIES**



You will be sent a notification via People HR to sign that you've read a number of important documents. Please do this ASAP as they are an important part of your induction.

- » Health & Safety Policy
- » Dignity at Work Policy
- » Equality & Diversity Policy
- » Cash Handling Policy
- » Disciplinary Policy
- » Grievance Policy
- » Data Protection Policy
- » As part of your Team Training, you will be required to sign other documents
- » All our policies are available under the 'Company Documents' section of PeopleHR

# PAY DATES (YOU'LL GET THE FULL LIST OF THESE VIA EMAIL)



Last Shift (up to midnight)	Payroll Processing (From 7:30am)	Pay Date
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> March	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> March
Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> April	Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> April	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> April
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> May	Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> June

You will always get paid on 24th of the month, or before if the 24th falls on a weekend ©

## **ACTIVATE YOUR ROTA CLOUD ACCOUNT**



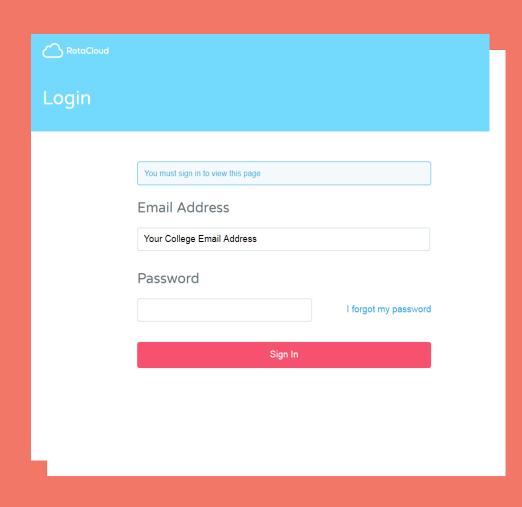
We have emailed you a link to your Rota Cloud account. Take out your phones and find it – click to activate it.

- » You can also download the app for both Apple and Android phones
- » Use the mobile app to view your personal rota
- » Use the website for submitting your unavailability and claiming open shifts (more of this later)



## **ROTA CLOUD**





Our employee rota system lets you set your unavailability every two weeks, manages your shifts, and lets you clock into them to be paid.

- » Available online at www.rotacloud.com (or via the mobile app which we strongly recommend you download)
- » You will receive an email asking you to confirm your account and log in
- » New system implemented directly after feedback from student staff





» There is a clear two-week rota published for all roles

Unavailability	Rota is built	Rota is published	Rota includes
change			the dates from
cut off			
9 <sup>th</sup> March 2020*	10 <sup>th</sup> March 2020	11 <sup>th</sup> March 2020	16 <sup>th</sup> March 2020
23 <sup>rd</sup> March	24 <sup>th</sup> March	25 <sup>th</sup> March	30 <sup>th</sup> March
6 <sup>th</sup> April	7 <sup>th</sup> April	8 <sup>th</sup> April	13 <sup>th</sup> April
20 <sup>th</sup> April	21st April	22 <sup>nd</sup> April	27 <sup>th</sup> April
*Complete this weekend to get shifts in the next rota!			

#### SETTING YOUR UNAVAILABILITY



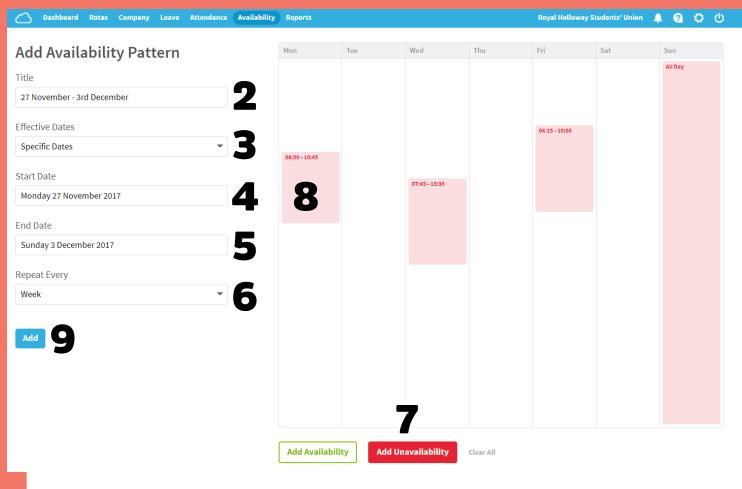
## Our Employee Rota system lets you set your unavailability every two weeks, so you can fit your work around your studies.

- » Every two weeks you'll be asked to log in to Rota Cloud by a particular date and identify which times you are **unavailable** to work.
- » Unavailability: If you have a regular unavailability (lectures etc) please ensure this is put on your RotaCloud.
  - » DO NOT create unavailability that overlaps
- » You do not need to set your availability please ignore this functionality

#### SETTING YOUR UNAVAILABILITY



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## The process is simple if you follow these 9 easy steps

- Click availability
- 2. Enter period title
- 3. Select specific dates
- 4. Select start date
- Select end date
- 6. Set to week (ignore)
- 7. Select add unavailability
- 8. Drag and drop boxes
- 9. Click add

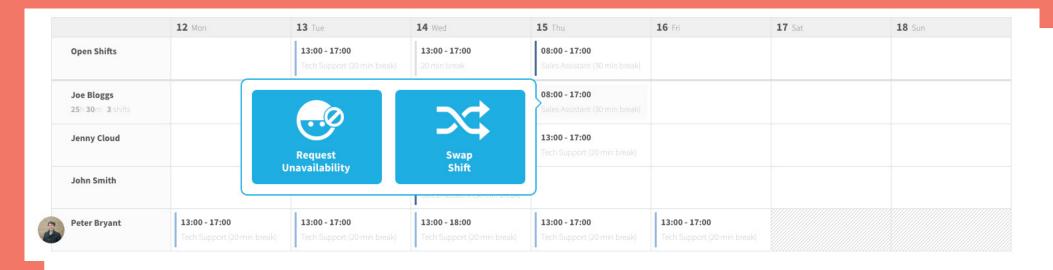
**DO NOT OVERLAP UNAVAILABILITY** 

#### **SWAPPING SHIFTS**



## You can swap shifts (or take a shift without giving one in return) - but only if you are trained to work in that specific role and location.

- » Student staff should continue to communicate and make arrangements via social media
- Once you have found someone, click on the shift and select 'swap shift'. You will then be required to select the student in question. If they accept, it is automatically sent to a manager for approval, and the rota is updated.



#### **CLOCKING IN & PAYROLL**



## Rota Cloud will allow you to sign in to a specific shift.

- » You will need to enter your passcode, which will be automatically emailed to you
- » It is also available under settings / clocking in on your account
- » Clocking in stations are located in all venues (Tommy's Kitchen Bar, Union Shop, Union Building, Medicine and The Packhorse)
- » Do not clock in or out for each other or share your pin





# 3. IMPORTANT PAPERWORK, UNIFORM AND OTHER BITS

#### **FORMS AND PAPERWORK**



Please listen extremely carefully, as we are going to complete all the forms you need to submit to us. Mistakes will stop you getting shifts or even worse, getting paid.

- » Right to Work check (Passport / Visa)
- » Employee Information Form (pink)
- » Employee Health Questionnaire (blue)
- » Starter Checklist (formerly P46, or P45 if you have one)
- » Food Handling Questionnaire (Bar & Catering, Union Shop only) (green)
- » Contract & Statement of Particulars (white)

## FORM 1: EMPLOYEE INFORMATION FORM



Take out the pink form. Use block capital letters and make your handwriting as neat as possible. Illegible forms cause delays and you won't be able to work.

- » National Insurance Number: find this
- » Passport Number: find this on the back page of your passport
- » Student Number: find this on your College card
- » University Email: we will always use this to communicate officially with you, and this will be your login for PeopleHR and RotaCloud. Please use your name/year version, not the number/letter combination version.
- » Bank Account Number / Sort Code: you can find this information on your bank card

#### **FORM 1: BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS**



**Sort Code**: the 6 digit number in the following format 00-00-00

Bank Account Name: exactly as it appears on your account



#### **Bank Account Number:**

the 8 digit number

#### FORM 2: P45 or HMRC Starter Checklist



If you don't have a P45, take out the white form with 'HM Revenues & Customs' clearly listed at the top.

- » Complete the whole form, front and back: There are 15 questions you will need to read carefully and answer, ensuring you sign and date the declaration at the end.
- » Boxes: please use one letter per box, and write clearly in capital letters to ensure your answers are legible
- » Employee Statement: Read this carefully.

HM Revenue & Customs	Starter checklist
Instructions for employers  This Starter Checklist can be used to gather information about your new employee. You can use this information to help fill in your first Full Payment Submission (FPS) for this employee. You need to keep the information recorded on the Starter Checklist record for the current and previous 3 tax years.  Do not send this form to HMRC.  Instructions for employees	
As a new employee your employer needs the information on this form before your first payday to tell HMRC about you and help them use the correct tax code. Fill in this form then give it to your employer.  Do not send this form to HMRC.  Employee's personal details	
1 Last name	S Home address
2 First name(s) Do not enter initials or shortened names such as Jim for James or Liz for Elizabeth	Postcode Country  6 National Insurance number (if known)
3 Are you male or female?  Male Female  4 Date of birth DD MM YYYY	7 Employment start date DD MM YYYY
Employee statement	
Nou need to select only one of the following statements A B or C	
	Please turn over >
Starter checklist	Page 1 HMRC 02/19

## FORM 3: EMPLOYEE HEALTH QUESTIONNAIRE



Take out the **blue** and **lilac** forms. These are important as it helps us to understand if we need to make any adjustments to your role due to health conditions.

- » **All Questions**: it's important that we don't ask you to do anything that is incompatible with a health condition
- Yes / No: please delete the answers that are not correct, which means the form should read logically
- » Declaration: we keep this information highly confidential at all times

## FORM 4: FOOD HANDLING QUESTIONNAIRE (ONLY FOR BAR & CATERING TEAM MEMBERS)



Take out the green form. This is important as it relates to food safety.

- » **All Questions**: it's important you answer all questions accurately, to ensure we don't put students (or other customers) at risk
- Yes / No: please delete the answers that are not correct, which means the form should read logically
- Agreement to Report Infections: it's essential that you communicate to us any instances where you are ill again so we can ensure customers are not put at risk

## FORM 5: CONTRACT & STATEMENT OF PARTICULARS



Take out the white form. There are two copies – one for you, and one for the organisation. Read it thoroughly and sign it. If you have any questions, please ask a member of staff to explain it.

- » Hours of Work: zero hour contracts give you freedom to fit around your studies, but please be mindful of organisational priorities and the shifts you indicated at the time of application
- » Rate of Pay: we 'bundle' in your holiday pay to take into account the hours you accrue
- » Confidentiality: you should treat this job seriously, and respect privacy at all times

#### FORM CONFIRMATION



Before you leave this Union Induction, you will now need to submit your forms and have them checked. Please make sure your name is on the front of your pack.

- » Collect your passport (if not collected already)
- » Read through your contract & statement of particulars and sign both copies
- » Finalise your forms
- » Hand in your forms
- » Head to both Uniform and Team Training Signup
- » Get ready to start work

#### **UNIFORM COLLECTION**



If you haven't already – please use this short break to collect your uniform!

- » Black t-shirt
- » Sizes available: XS, S, M, L, XL, XXL, XXXL

- » Fleeces available
- » Sizes available: S, M, L

#### **SUMMER PARTY**



We throw a number of student staff events over the course of the year to help you meet other student staff and say thank you for your hard work.

- » Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2020
- » 7.30pm midnight
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# UNION SHOP INDUCTION

**Part two** 

>> Student Staff

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## 

## THE UNION SHOP INDUCTION Part two



- Background Introduction to the team
  - 2 What does a working day look like?
    - **B**asic house rules
      - 4 Customer service, tills and the shop floor

## BACKGROUND YOUR MANAGEMENT TEAM



1 CORE MANAGEMENT

**CI ANDERSSON** 

**Manager** 

#### **MAHSHID FAZLI**

Deputy Manager (People & Customer Service)

#### ELISABETH VAN DUIN

Deputy Manager (Stock & Administration)

#### **NATALIA KIM**

Administration Coordinator

#### IAN PATTERSON

**Assistant Manager** 

## BACKGROUND YOUR MANAGEMENT TEAM



2 DUTY
MANAGERS

3 SUPERVISORS



#### **STUDENT STAFF**

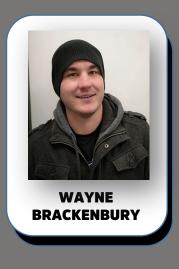
Photos and names can be found in the shop's staff wall

## BACKGROUND



#### **GENERAL STAFF**

4 PERMANENT STAFF







## 5 STUDENT STAFF

- » Varies each term
- Recruitment in October and March
- » Roughly 150 members



#### WHAT DOES YOUR WORKING DAY LOOK LIKE?

- 1 CLOCK IN
- 2 SIGN IN VIA THE FIRE SAFETY SHEET
- 3 REPORT TO YOUR SUPERVISOR OR ANY MANAGER ON SHIFT



#### WHAT DOES YOUR WORKING DAY LOOK LIKE? (CONT.)

#### **DAILY ROUTINES\***

\*Depending on the shift you're doing, tasks might be slightly different (morning, afternoon, evening shifts)





#### **DELIVERIES**

Some deliveries (sandwiches, newspapers, bread and sushi) need to be checked in



#### **SUPPLIERS\***

We have a lot of them, but these are the main ones:

- CO-OP
- BLAKEMORE



#### **MORNING**

- SANDWICHES
- NEWSPAPERS
- BREAD
- SUSHI
- MILK

\*Each supplier will have different delivery days and times

#### WHAT DOES YOUR WORKING DAY LOOK LIKE? (CONT.)

## RH HOLLOWAY STUDENTS' UNION

#### DAILY ROUTINES





**SHELVES** 



**KEEP THE SHOP FLOOR TIDY** 





WORK THE TILLS





We're here for one simple reason: to make student life better at Royal Holloway



- >> Punctuality and attendance: reporting absence and lateness
- >> Uniform and staff card
- >> Notice boards and personal property
- >> Taking breaks
- >> Treating your friends as customers & serving yourself.



#### >> Punctuality and attendance

It's important to show up to your shift on time!

#### **ABSENCE**

#### >> Sickness

You must ring the store in person at least two hours before the start of your shift. Email is not an acceptable way of reporting this.

#### >> Other

The store must be contacted as soon as possible.

#### **LATENESS**

As this is still a form of absence, the store must be informed as soon as possible.

Union Shop contact: 01784 443268



#### >> Uniform

Robin is appropriately dressed for his shift



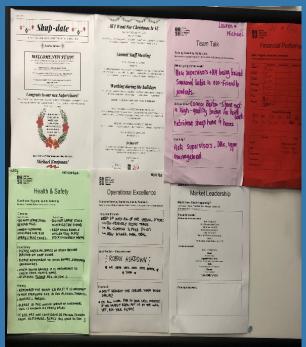
- Branded polo and fleece
- Black or dark blue trousers (no rips)
- Black or dark shoes
- No excessive jewellery: bracelets and rings to be avoided
- Long hair should be tied up
- Your staff card is essential and a part of your uniform



Jaimi forgot to put her hair up



#### >> Notice Boards and Personal Property







Before you start your shift, all personal property must be left in the lockers provided in the office



Phones are not allowed on the shop floor under any circumstance.



Do not carry cash on you whilst on shift.

>> Updates from your DMs



#### >> Taking Breaks



If a shift is 6 hours or longer, employees are entitled to take a 20 minute break.

Always speak to your line manager if you feel like you could do with a short break!

You must never go on break without letting your manager know.



>> Treating friends as customers and serving yourself

A lot of customers in the Union Shop will probably be people you know

it's important to work professionally and make no distinction between friends and regular customers.



#### **Serving yourself on tills**

Serving yourself is not allowed – if you wish to buy yourself a drink or a snack, you have to queue up like everyone else!





## GOOD CUSTOMER SERVICE

It's at the core of how we work at the Union Shop.





Greeting customers on till

Talking to someone else whilst serving customers

Eating and drinking on the shop floor

Watching videos on your phone

Offering help to customers

Taking a customer to the item they're looking for





## WORKING ON TILLS

- 1 Swipe your card to sign on
- 2 Scan items
- Complete transaction through cash, card, or college card



## WORKING ON TILLS



Some students are minors Checking ID is a legal requirement for restricted items

Some of our customers aren't necessarily students – there are many schools in the local area

Items include: alcohol, tobacco, rolling papers and lighters



## WORKING ON TILLS

>> Using the buzzers



Call a SV or DM to check £50 notes



...or for any questions you might have!



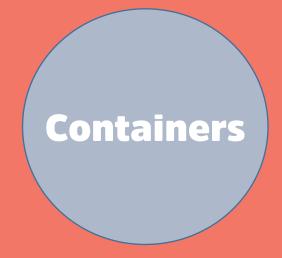




### STORAGE ROOMS



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