





### Staff Development Opportunity

**Opportunity:** Staff Connector

**Department:** Inclusive Student Support Services

**Commitment:** Flexible, as & when required/available

**Location:** From your usual place of work

#### Training

- **Introduction to CONNECT** (*pre-recorded*)
- **Youth Mental Health First Aid training**
- **Safeguarding & boundaries** (*pre-recorded*) – Advanced role only

#### Person specification

- Already working in a student-facing environment or spend a significant amount of your working day around students
- A basic understanding of wellbeing
- Warm, approachable, and happy to start conversations with students about their wellbeing
- Willing to promote workshops, events, activities, and other opportunities across the university

#### Basic Role

- Assist with project promotion
- Share positive messages, campaigns, and information on campus events. For example, sharing information with students at the end of a lecture/seminar
- Encourage students to connect with and support each other
- Signpost students to activities or support services as needed
- Find out what additional wellbeing support students would welcome

#### Advanced Role

- Includes 'basic' role
- Create a 'biography' on the CONNECT website and be contactable to students & student Connectors registered with CONNECT
- Offer support & guidance to Student Connectors if & when requested
- Have the option to support with additional project work such as supporting CONNECT events or supervising peer support groups

*All levels of Connectors will be added to a Microsoft Teams Group for ongoing communication.  
All levels of Connectors will be offered optional upskill & further training sessions during their time as a Connector*