

VOLUNTEER ROLE PROFILE



Role:	Bike Workshop Volunteer
Volunteer Manager:	Bike Workshop Manager
Where the role is based:	Julian House Bike Workshop Bristol

Why we need you:

Julian House Bike Workshops are social enterprises run by the Julian House charity. The workshops generate income through the refurbishment and sale of bikes and bike parts, and through services such as repair work delivered by teams of trained and professional bike mechanics. They also run Build-a-Bike workshops to enable people with a history of homelessness, offending, substance misuse or long-term employment to gain confidence and learn new skills.

Our volunteers help recover parts that can be resold from donated bikes helping to generate extra income and reduce waste.

What you will be doing

- Stripping down bikes and recovering parts that can be sold or reused
- Assisting with shop tasks like organising our store of donated bikes or cleaning
- After a period of volunteering and with the agreement of the Workshop Manager, you can begin to restore donated bikes for sale.

The skills you need

- You do not need to be a fully experienced bike mechanic, but you do need to be able to work independently as our mechanics can get very busy
- You need to be comfortable working in a professional team environment
- You must have some familiarity with bikes, for example knowing the parts of a bike
- You must be confident safely using basic tools

What is in it for you

- You will gain some bike maintenance skills over time
- We will reimburse out of pocket expenses if agreed before you start your role
- You will have a volunteer manager who will support you in your role
- You will have access to our learning & development for volunteers

Any other information

- Where possible, we will make reasonable adjustments for you to carry out this role. If you have an accessibility need, please let us know.
- This role involves manual handling
- This role is flexible, but we ask for a commitment of at least a few months to ensure consistency. If you are looking for volunteering opportunities that are short-term or one-off, please contact us at volunteering@julianhouse.org.uk.