

# Trustee for The Huracan Foundation

The Huracan Foundation is looking for a Trustee who is passionate about using the power of football to help change children's lives

**The Huracan Foundation** is a small UK registered charity that runs football & education projects both in the UK and overseas that use the power of football to:

- improve children's education (both inside and outside of the classroom); and
- create social change (such as reducing teenage pregnancies, improving opportunities for girls and steering children away from drugs, alcohol and local gangs).

Our projects are led by teachers from the Teach For All network.

The projects all focus on using the power of sport to help change children's lives and we are particularly interested in the impact that football can have on helping girls who are living in very challenging communities around the world.

We support our Project Leaders by providing funding, kit and equipment, mentoring and access both to our global network and to The Huracan Foundation Academy (an online training programme for Football For Good project leaders).

Please read our website <u>www.thehuracanfoundation.org</u> for more details about our work.





### Who are we looking for?

We are looking for a new Trustee to join our small group of Trustees and support the growth of The Huracan Foundation. The candidate should be based in the UK, be passionate about sport & education, and the impact sport can have on changing the lives of young people. We are looking for someone who is willing to commit to the role for a minimum of 24 months.

We are a very small charity with just one part-time employee so we are specifically looking for a new Trustee who has time to commit to the Foundation on a regular basis and is willing to take on responsibility for specific projects or areas (for example managing a specific fundraising event, developing our impact management tools, communications, grant writing etc).

# All applicants should:

- Be able to attend up to six Trustee meetings per year with the five other trustees, including the founder
- Support the charity to meet its fundraising goal (minimum £40k for 2021). We are looking for help to do this by leveraging personal contacts and networks, sharing fundraising knowledge & experience and getting involved in fundraising events.
- Be keen to get involved in learning about each of the projects, the Project Leaders and the work they do
- Be happy to take responsibility for a particular area of expertise that they feel they can bring to the group of Trustees (as above)
- Understand the legal and financial aspects and responsibilities of being a Trustee of a small charity



## Preferred experience

- 1. 5+ years of professional experience
- 2. Ideally have prior experience of being on a board/being a Trustee of a small charity (but not essential)
- 3. Experience in the following sectors: fundraising, charity, football, sport
- 4. Experience of working in education/with children
- 5. Spanish speaking (not essential)

#### Interested?

If you feel really passionate about what we do, please apply by submitting your CV and cover letter before the 17<sup>th</sup> March, 2021

Please note the role is voluntary. Trustee meetings currently take place via Zoom but may move to a London location post lockdown. All other communications/meetings can take place remotely.

If you would like to have an informal discussion prior to making an application, please get in touch with mary@thehuracanfoundation.org.