

**Equality and Diversity Advisory Group
Member Role Description
April 2017**

Title

Equality and Diversity Advisory Group Member

Role

To provide advice, guidance, test and challenge around Equality and Diversity to Wigan Athletic Football Club, Wigan Athletic Community Trust and Wigan Football Company Limited to enable them to fulfil their aspirations to embed Equality and Diversity into their activities and services.

Responsibilities

- To contribute expertise and experiences to advance the work of the organisations internal working group
- To contribute to an effective relationship between the advisory group and the internal working group
- To support the group and internal equality and diversity champions, providing advice and guidance.
- To attend all meetings, unless in exceptional circumstances.
- To continuously maintain confidentiality of the group.

Required skills/experience

Essential:

- To have extensive knowledge, and possible experience, of working within equality and diversity ideally including embedding equality and diversity and challenging mindsets
- To have experience and/or expert knowledge of equality and diversity in a customer focused, complex and fast paced environment
- To have a clear understanding of equality legislation that impacts on organisations.
- To have an understanding of the Wigan community.

Desirable:

- To have an understanding of the operational practices of the Club, Trust and or Stadium and an appreciation of the principles of Equality and Diversity in professional football or sport.

If you are interested in this voluntary opportunity please can you complete the enclosed expression of interest form and return this to Louise Kerrigan, Head of HR and Safeguarding, Wigan Athletic Football Club, Loire Drive, Wigan, WN5 0UZ or alternatively to l.kerrigan@wiganathletic.com

The closing date for receipt of expressions of interest is **5 pm on Friday 28th April 2017**

If you have any queries regarding the group or this opportunity please do not hesitate to contact Louise on 01924 774000.

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Expression of Interest form

Full Name:	
Address:	
Contact Telephone Number:	
Please give a brief description of why you are interested in this opportunity and how you meet the criteria for this opportunity.	

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