

ONE DANCE UK

Treasurer and Trustee/s Recruitment





ABOUT ONE DANCE UK

One Dance UK is a national support organisation and advocacy body, leading the way to a stronger, more vibrant and more diverse dance sector.

One Dance UK provides one clear voice to:

- Support all those working in the sector to achieve excellence in dance performance, education and management
- Advocate for the increased profile and importance of dance in all its diverse forms and settings
- Enhance dancer's health, wellbeing, and performance
- Identify gaps, provide opportunities, and improve conditions for dance to be learnt, discussed, and seen

Formed in 2016 as the result of the merger of the Association of Dance of the African Diaspora, Dance UK, the National Dance Teachers Association and Youth Dance England, One Dance UK acts as a lead organisation for dance and dancers in the UK.

Moving from London in 2019, we are thrilled to call Birmingham our home, with an office in the Dance Hub building which forms part of Birmingham Hippodrome campus.

Overview of the role

One Dance UK is looking for a Treasurer and new Trustees who can bring their experience, passion for the arts and point of view to join our Board.

As an organisation settled in Birmingham, with Arts Council Funding secured for 2023-26, and an increased profile through our support of the sector during the pandemic, One Dance UK is now looking to the future with a revised strategy to face new challenges ahead.

We are looking for a Treasurer and new Trustees to help steer the organisation through the next phase of its development.

Our Strategic Focus Areas are:

- Advocacy & Communications
- Access & Inclusion
- Dance Ecology & Membership
- Data Collection & Analysis
- Opportunities & Pathways

Time commitments

We ask our Trustees to attend four Board meetings a year, plus sub-committee meetings as required. We welcome and encourage trustee's attending key events in our calendar such as U.Dance, the Awards and our public AGM.

As an organisation, we strongly believe in meeting in person, so encourage Trustees to travel to Birmingham or London for meetings where possible. Travel costs will be reimbursed. The new Treasurer and Trustees will attend their first meeting in March 2025. The aim is that they will be recruited and introduced to the organisation through an induction programme before then.

Person specification

One Dance UK has ambitious plans for the future, with access and inclusion and membership growth as priorities. We are looking specifically for individuals who have a comprehensive understanding of charity finances (Treasurer) and with knowledge and experience from the Dance Education and Freelance sectors to help us support these groups and to grow membership within these areas.

We strive for balanced and diverse governance and we know that racially and ethnically diverse communities, those from working-class backgrounds, and communities living with disability are under-represented in the UK arts sector especially within senior leadership roles.

As such, if you are passionate about dance and have relevant skills and experience to help us grow membership, we strongly encourage you to consider applying. We are also a Disability Confident Committed employer and will offer a guaranteed interview for disabled applicants who meet the minimum criteria for this role.

Meet the Team

Board of Trustees



Amanda Skoog
Chair of Board of Trustees



Victor Fung
Vice Chair of Board of Trustees



Julian Flitter
Treasurer



Andrew Carrick



Denise Nurse



Susannah Simons



Jane Bonham-Carter



Emma Keith



Anthony Bowne

Senior Management Team



Andrew Hurst MBE
Chief Executive



Paul Hibbert
Head of Finance and Operations



Laura Nicholson
Head of Children and Young People's Dance



Lara Coffey
Head of Marketing and Communications



Erin Sanchez
Head of the National Institute of Dance Medicine and Science, Lead Specialist Health, Wellbeing, and Performance



Chinyere Ogbue
Head of Workforce and Development



Head of Membership & Partnerships
In the process of recruitment





PROCESS

Please apply with CV and covering letter highlighting relevant skills and experience and explaining why this work is important to you. All items should be sent to jobs@onedanceuk.org.

- Closing date for applications is **Friday 8 November**
- Candidates can expect to be contacted by **Friday 15 November**
- We expect interviews **w/c 18 November** or **w/c 25 November**
- Candidates can expect the process to be completed by **Friday 6 December**

Questions & feedback

In the event you have any questions or feedback about the role of the way your application is handled, please contact: info@onedanceuk.org





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