

Opportunities with British Cycling



Role: Web Officer

Based: Manchester

Salary: Up to £23,066 per annum

British Cycling, as the internationally recognised governing body for cycling in the UK, has responsibility for the general growth of the sport and is home to the GB Cycling Team. With London 2012 on the horizon, British Cycling has a once in a lifetime opportunity to inspire mass participation in the sport and together with BSKyB, its principal partner, aims to get one million more people cycling regularly by 2013.

British Cycling's day-to-day responsibilities include underpinning and co-ordinating the organisation of over 3,000 sporting and recreational cycling events every year, managing a range of coaching qualifications and courses, and running the Go-Ride development programme for young people. British Cycling has over 43,000 members, from commuters to racers, who enjoy a range of benefits including retail discounts and special offers, legal support and insurance. All membership revenue is invested back into the sport. The organisation also receives Lottery and Exchequer funding via UK Sport and Sport England.

The Role

British Cycling's web presence is developing rapidly to reflect the growth of the organisation's membership and the addition of a range of exciting new programmes and initiatives.

This role is Manchester-based, located in the organisation's Communications Department. It will focus on the day-to-day running of the britishcycling.org.uk website. With a turnover of over 2,500 news items, race report, features and articles, the site is the busy heart of the organisation's communications function.

Interested?

We are looking for a committed and enthusiastic web specialist, with excellent communication and interpersonal skills and a commitment to maintaining one of the busiest cycling websites in the world.

To succeed in this role you must be able to demonstrate:

- Significant experience in the web publishing sector.
- A sound knowledge of how sports are run.
- The ability to produce perfect copy under pressure.
- An eye for detail, design and page layout.

Our hours of work are 37.5 per week, although weekend and evening work will sometimes be required. All of our permanent employees are provided with the Gold Membership of British Cycling. Membership of the pension scheme is offered on completion of 6 months service. British Cycling operates a salary sacrifice Childcare Voucher Scheme. Free parking is available to all staff at the National Cycling Centre.

People with a disability, members of the gay or trans community, females or people from a black or minority ethnic background are encouraged to apply. Any appointment will be made on merit alone. To apply for this position, please download and complete a standard application form from the main "Vacancies" page and return by email to: recruitment@britishcycling.org.uk or by post to: British Cycling, National Cycling Centre, Stuart Street, Manchester M11 4DQ.

The closing date for applications is 12 noon, on Monday, 06 February 2012
Interview date is Wednesday, 15 February 2012

