

Department Rep Role Description

Overview

Department Representatives represent the students in their department throughout the academic year. They are Programme Reps who take on additional responsibilities. Department Representatives are student leaders, giving voice to student issues, and directly advocate for change on a School level.

Responsibilities:

- Attend the termly Consultative Fora to discuss issues that have affected students within their department.
- Work closely with the Students' Union to help identify feedback across departments and address these issues on a School level.
- Can apply to sit on a number of other LSE committees.
- Will be the first point of contact for Student Academic Representatives within their department on issues that may need a solution above the departmental level.

Support & Resources:

- Department Reps receive additional training through the Students' Union, on top of the standard training that all Academic Reps receive.
- Ongoing support provided by the Academic Representation Team in the Students' Union, including termly check-ins. Contact us at su.academicreps@lse.ac.uk.
- Access to a variety of resources for Academic Representatives through the Academic Rep Moodle Page.
- Access to all Academic Rep social events and benefits.

Structure of the Academic Representation System:

