The EAUC Board is made up of 12 volunteer Trustees and Director with experience in the Further or Higher Education sector. To engage a wider breadth of experience and knowledge, the Board are calling for Associates which are new, one-year positions to join the Board as a guest to gain insight into its work. It is not necessary to undertake this before coming forward for Election as a full Trustee.

You will be expected to attend Board meetings which we have 4 a year and currently all virtually. You will be a guest and will not be a registered Trustee or Director.

Length of time in your role is not a determinant and we are particularly keen to source applications from a greater ethnic diversity than previously. Applicants declaring other protected characteristics are also under-represented.

Associates can be from organisations that support the education sector and/or sustainability sector, including companies.

The Board will review and decide on the successful applicants – up to 3 applicants in this call.

Deadline for applications is **7th May 2021**. Please send the application form to Fiona Goodwin at [fgoodwin@eauc.org.uk](mailto:fgoodwin@eauc.org.uk).

If you would like more information and to talk to us before submitting your nomination please email Jim Longhurst, Chair of the Board, at [James.Longhurst@uwe.ac.uk](mailto:James.Longhurst@uwe.ac.uk) or Fiona Goodwin, EAUC Director of Operations and Planning and Company Secretary - [fgoodwin@eauc.org.uk](mailto:fgoodwin@eauc.org.uk) and 01242 714321.

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| Section 1: About you | | | |
| Name |  | Institution name |  |
| Email |  | Job title |  |
| Telephone |  | Mobile |  |
| As we wish to improve our diversity we are asking for all applicants to provide information on protected characteristics, as per the Equality Act 2010. This information is confidential and will not be made public or be part of the voting process. This is for internal use only to help us monitor and improve your diversity. However, the Board may wish to recommend an applicant to the members that represents a specific protected characteristic that is currently under-represented on the Board. Please write ‘prefer not to say’ if you do not wish to disclose any of the following: | | | |
| Age |  | Do you consider yourself to have a disability? |  |
| Have you transitioned from one gender to another? |  | Are you in a marriage or civil partnership? |  |
| Are you pregnant or on maternity leave? |  | What race would you consider yourself? |  |
| What religion or belief or lack of belief would you consider yourself? |  | What gender/sex would you consider yourself? |  |
| What sexual orientation would you consider yourself? |  |  |  |

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| Section 2: Background, Expertise and Skills |

**Please rate your Skills & Experience using a scale of High (3) to Low (1) or N/A to reflect your level of experience and/or span of control in each area. Each area is aligned to our** [**strategy**](http://www.eauc.org.uk/about_us)**. Experience can be inside or outside the workplace**

**Strategic Alignment**

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| Committee or working-group Governance | Corporate Risk Management | Corporate Strategic Planning | Executive Senior Management | Organisational Development | Experience of making an impact through committees or working-group membership inside or outside the workplace | |
| Choose an item. | Choose an item. | Choose an item. | Choose an item. | Choose an item. | Choose an item. |
| **Please provide a brief explanation:** | | | | | |

**Impactful Advocacy**

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| Change Leadership | Marketing/PR | Political Insight & Policy Influence | |
| Choose an item. | Choose an item. | Choose an item. |
| **Please provide a brief explanation:** | | |

**Knowledge Exchange**

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| Curriculum Policy & Strategy | Sustainability Leadership – Academic | Sustainability Leadership - Operations | |
| Choose an item. | Choose an item. | Choose an item. |
| **Please provide a brief explanation:** | | |

**Building our Resources**

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| Business Development / Innovation | Commercial Income Generation / Sponsorship | SMT Level Financial Management | Fundraising / Grant Writing | Human Resources | Legal | |
| Choose an item. | Choose an item. | Choose an item. | Choose an item. | Choose an item. | Choose an item. |
| **Please provide a brief explanation:** | | | | | |

**Stronger Community**

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| Community Partnership Development | Student Engagement |
| Choose an item. | Choose an item. |
| **Please provide a brief explanation:** | |

**Expanded Horizons**

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| Out of Sector Experience – NGO / Charity Sector | Out of Sector Experience – Private Sector | Out of Sector Experience – Public Sector (Non-Educational) | |
| Choose an item. | Choose an item. | Choose an item. |
| **Please provide a brief explanation:** | | |

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| Section 3: Your profile |

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| **Briefly explain why you would like to become an EAUC Associate:** |

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| Section 4: Confirmation | | |
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You are applying to be a guest Associate on the EAUC Board. You are confirming that the information provided is accurate.

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| Your signature  (electronic is acceptable) | |
| Date |  |