

British Schools Judo Commission

Title: Commission member

Reporting to: Accountable to the BJA Board of Directors through the Chair of the British Schools Commission.

Purpose: To contribute to the Commission overseeing the overall strategic direction of Schools Judo.

Background

We are looking for up to 3 individuals to join the British Schools Judo Commission excluding the Chair of the Commission.

The members of the Commission will be appointed by the BJA Board of Directors and must demonstrate knowledge and experience in judo and schools judo.

In order to achieve the appropriate balance of skills and experience across the commission, and to promote diversity in perspectives, specialisms, work and life experiences, the Commission will consist of individuals from various disciplines and walks of life.

Key Roles and Responsibilities

Commission members will:

- Support the Chair in the provision of clear, strong and visible leadership for the Commission, and assisting in the overall governance of the British Schools Judo Commission.
- Actively contribute to the formulation of Commission strategy, the discharging of statutory duties and supporting the Commission in overseeing the timely production of realistic and costed plans.
- Work with the Chair of Commission, BJA Chief Executive and BJA Staff as delegate to assist the Commission in building good working relationships with key external stakeholders (e.g. Dept for Children, Schools & Families; DIUS; DCMS; YST; NCSS; CCPR; Home Country Sports Councils; UK Sport, and stakeholder organisations).
- Ensure that the British Schools Commission and its staff operate to the highest ethical and professional standards and ensure that high standards of corporate governance are observed at all times
- Actively contribute to the establishment of the overall strategic direction of the Schools Judo within the policy and resource framework agreed with the BJA Board.

- Monitor the delivery of planned results and report to the BJA Board on these in the annual report
- Ensure that the British Schools Commission operates within the limits of its authority and any delegated authority agreed with the BJA Board.

British Schools Commission Members - Person Specification

We are looking for a broad mix of people all offering different skills therefore we would ask people to consider if they hold one or more of the below skills and /or knowledge.

Part 1

1. **Prior experience of working with or in an educational environment. (Essential).**
2. Prior experience of successful leadership in an advisory or senior management role.
3. Evidence of participation in the formulation of policies and strategies within a multidisciplinary voluntary, private or public organisation.
4. Successful experience of setting the long-term strategic direction of an organisation linked to realistic goals. This could be a large organisation or even a club.
5. Successful experience of offering a challenging but supportive contribution at Committee level.

Part 2

- Commitment to British Judo's values and culture this includes the BJA commitment to a child centred approach to running judo.
- Committed and goal focused, with the ability to set clear priorities
- Excellent communication skills; a personal and professional demeanour that generates trust and confidence in others
- Ability to think and act strategically, developing practical, innovative and creative solutions to the management of strategic issues and complex problems