

**Magistrates Opportunity**

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Application for the position of: **Magistrate** 

For your application to be considered**,** all sections must be completed on this form. **All application must be sent by email in Microsoft Word or PDF format.**

Please email your completed application with the subject heading ‘**Magistrates Opportunity – Magistrate'** to [**probonoleicester@gmail.com.**](mailto:probonoleicester@gmail.com)

Any questions, queries or concerns can be directed to **Sarah Mercat** and **Marie Nicolas, Magistrates Opportunity Lead Ambassadors** at [**smbm2@student.le.ac.uk**](mailto:smbm2@student.le.ac.uk)and **mhmjn1@student.le.ac.uk.**

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| Personal Details | | | | | | | | |
| Forename: |  | Surname: | | |  | Student Number: | |  |
| Date of Birth: |  | Year of Study: | | |  | Nationality: | |  |
| Permanent Address: |  | Tel. Number: | | |  | University Address: | |  |
| University Curriculum | | | | | | | | |
| **Please list the subjects you are taking/have taken and individual grades you have received.** | | | | | | | | |
| First Year: | | | | Second Year: | | | | |
| Third Year: | | | | Fourth Year: | | | | |
| Previous University of Leicester Pro-Bono Group Experience (and relevant awards) OR alternative Pro Bono experience: | | | | | | | | |
| Applicant Questions | | | | | | | | |
| **What drew you to apply for the magistrates’ mentoring scheme of our project?**  **Max Word Limit: 150** | | | | | | | | |
| **Magistrates are required to sit for at least 13 full days per year (or 26 half days). And, if appointed, you will also be required to attend training and occasional meetings after court. Such commitment demands availability and professionalism. Please give an example of a time when you have used such skills?**  **Max Word Limit: 300** | | | | | | | | |
| **Please list three qualities that you have. How would these make you a great magistrate?**  **Max Word Limit: 300** | | | | | | | | |
| **Magistrates can apply for family or criminal court. Which Court would you rather apply to and why?**  **Max Word Limit: 300** | | | | | | | | |
| **If your local court declines your application, the Magistrates’ Opportunity Project may offer you a place in the ambassadors’ team. How would your qualities listed above make you an efficient ambassador? Do you think of any other skills you have that may help promote the project?**  **Max Word Limit: 300** | | | | | | | | |
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| Disclaimer | | | | | | | | |
| By submitting this application to the University of Leicester Pro Bono group, I declare that the information contained therein is true and to the best of my knowledge correct. I agree that the University of Leicester Pro Bono group, in accordance with the *Data Protection Act* 1988, may hold and process personal data contained in this form for the purposes of considering this application. | | | | | | | | |
| **Signature:** | | | **Print Name:** | | | | **Date:** | |