

CS Local – East Midlands

VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITY

Reference	Open to civil servants in the East Midlands
Type of Opportunity	Corporate Mentoring
Organisation	IntoUniversity
Location	IntoUniversity Nottingham East, 32 Robin Hood Chase, St Ann's, Nottingham NG3 4EZ
<p>Brief Description</p> <p>What does the opportunity involve?</p> <p>What will the volunteer do?</p> <p>What skills are required?</p> <p>Training required?</p>	<p>IntoUniversity's Corporate Mentoring Scheme offers Year 13 students from disadvantaged backgrounds the chance to be paired with an adult from the business or professional world who has been to university.</p> <p>The programme is designed to help Year 13s with no family background of higher education succeed at university. Mentoring pairs will meet monthly from February-September to discuss subjects such as student finance, budgeting, accommodation. Pairs will then communicate online for the mentees first year at university. This is designed to help students who are at the most risk of struggling or dropping out get the most out of their time at university.</p> <p>Applicants will need good communication skills and be keen to help a young person succeed.</p> <p>Successful applicants will be invited to a Training and Selection event on Wednesday 25th November. Here they will gain more information about IntoUniversity, how the scheme works and what will be required of them.</p>
Duration	The commitment for this scheme is 18 months, including face-to-face meetings in the first 8 months and then online communication for the following 10 months.
Closing Date	Deadline for applications is Friday 6 th November at

	midday.
Further Information	For further information about this opportunity , please contact nottinghameast@intouniversity.org
How to Apply	<p>Don't forget that if you are looking at this site for opportunities to undertake paid volunteering in work time, the opportunity you select must fit with your own department's volunteering policy and you will need to comply with your departments processes particularly around health & safety.</p> <p>To apply, please follow the link below to complete the online application form, selecting Corporate Mentoring from the drop down list.</p> <p>http://www.intouniversity.org/nottinghamvolunteering</p>