

## Trainee Undergraduate Representative

### Role Description

Each training programme should have a nominated trainee to act as an undergraduate representative. The representative should work closely with the consultant(s) responsible for undergraduate radiology in each region to promote and develop undergraduate radiology within their region.

#### Eligibility and Term of Office

All members of the Faculty of Clinical Radiology who hold substantive training posts are eligible to undertake this role.

Trainee undergraduate representatives are appointed through a process which is decided locally and supported by the training programme JRF representative. Appointments could be for an initial period of two years. Trainees could have the option to be reappointed for a further period of two years following a new open selection process. Trainees should step down from this role at CCT.

A list of undergraduate representatives will be held centrally by the RCR.

#### Role and Responsibilities

Trainee undergraduate representatives should work closely with the consultant(s) responsible for undergraduate radiology in their region.

Representatives should identify whether there is an undergraduate radiology society within their region and if so, make contact with the society lead. If there is no existing society, representatives should consider whether this is something that might be appropriate for any medical school/s within their region. Representatives should promote the URSA (Undergraduate Radiology Societies Association).

Representatives are encouraged to explore new opportunities for greater radiology engagement in undergraduate education within their region, for example anatomy teaching, supporting clinical placements and providing research/audit opportunities to undergraduate students.

Representatives should promote the Royal College of Radiologists Undergraduate Curriculum within their region.

Representatives should encourage other trainees to get involved in undergraduate teaching and should consider how this can be organised and coordinated in their region.

Representatives should promote Clinical Radiology as a career choice and attend relevant undergraduate career events to promote the specialty.

Representatives will be expected to feed back a summary of undergraduate activity to the RCR on a yearly basis and may be invited to share good practice at events aimed at undergraduate radiology.

Representatives are encouraged to be innovative and develop the role of the undergraduate representative.

#### Time Commitment

This is likely to be very variable but trainees should consider whether they have enough time to devote to the role before applying.