

# BIG BANG FAIR

## HOSPITALITY VOLUNTEER



The Big Bang Fair aims to inspire and encourage all young people to discover exciting possibilities in STEM by bringing classroom learning to life and connecting young people to inspiring role models in science, technology, engineering, and maths. We have an overarching imperative to reach young people from groups underrepresented in STEM.

- **Where:** The NEC, Birmingham
- **Dates:** 22 to 24 June 2022
- **Open Time:** 9.30am to 3.30pm (and/or 4pm to 8pm on 23 June)
- **Contact:** Arran Goodchild, Volunteers Manager ( [volunteering@thebigbang.org.uk](mailto:volunteering@thebigbang.org.uk) )

### **WHY DO WE NEED YOU?**

The Big Bang Fair needs you to share your time and passion to help ensure our careers inspiration activities run smoothly. With over 30,000 young people expected, The Big Bang Fair couldn't run without the support of our amazing volunteers. We need over 400 volunteers for this year's Fair. You can volunteer a minimum of 1 day and up to 3 days.

### **WHAT ACTIVITIES WILL YOU BE INVOLVED IN?**

As a member of The Big Bang Fair Hospitality Team you will be able to use your event and/or hospitality background to help make this event a success.

### **WHAT WILL YOU BE DOING?**

Helping to schedule and help with the logistics with our hands on workshops

Helping information points

Ushering young people and other visitors throughout the day

Ensuring our visitors leave having had a great experience.

### **WHAT SKILLS AND EXPERIENCE DOES THIS ROLE REQUIRE?**

- You could be training or working within events and hospitality
- No specialist STEM knowledge is required!
- Enthusiasm, friendliness, adaptability, and openness
- We are very inclusive for all volunteers.

### **HOW WILL VISITORS KNOW WHO BIG BANG SHOWFLOOR VOLUNTEERS ARE?**

You will be identified by:

- A t-shirt (can be worn over regular clothes)
- A badge/sticker

These will all be provided by the Big Bang team at the event.





### **WHAT CAN YOU GAIN FROM THIS OPPORTUNITY?**

- Being a part of a large, dynamic, inspirational STEM celebration event
- Safeguarding training
- If you are a student, we will link to your learning institution and suggest using the experience as credits. If you already work in the hospitality sector, we'd like to hear what experience you'd like to develop
- Pre and post event workshops relating to the event if requested
- You will receive a certificate celebrating what you've achieved during your time supporting.
- A rewarding opportunity to make a difference to young people's future careers
- Extensive networking opportunities

### **WHAT ARE THE NEXT STEPS?**

To apply, please complete the [online application form here](#). If you have any questions regarding the role, please contact Arran Goodchild ([agoodchild@engineeringuk.com](mailto:agoodchild@engineeringuk.com))

