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Call for Freelance Facilitators – Come join the team!

Why have we launched this call?

Here at People's Voice Media we work across a range of projects in the UK and across Europe, from small-scale one-off local events to multi-year international programmes... and everything else in-between. With our workload fluctuating and due to the range of things we are involved in we regularly work with freelance associates with different skills to collaborate with our team and the people we work with to bring about social change and strive towards social justice.

At the moment, we are increasingly needing freelance support to help us deliver workshops, conversations and training and, therefore, are looking to build relationships with facilitators across the UK. We are looking for people who are:

- Top-notch facilitators (with experience of delivering online, in-person and/or hybrid environments!) who really feel, believe in and put into practice our [core values](#)
- Great at getting conversations going, supporting people to think in different ways and enabling all voices to be heard and valued
- Experienced in working in one or more of the following areas: research, co-production, organisation/service development, community development, evaluation and change-making processes
- Super-well organised and are able to manage themselves and work remotely
- Enthusiastic about the work that they do and are committed to social change and tackling social injustices
- Alright with technology – we are not looking for tech experts, but it would be great if things like recording video/audio on a phone and uploading media to a website didn't fill you with dread (we work a lot in digital storytelling!)

We are also taking active steps to widen the diversity of people and perspectives involved in all layers of our organisation and work, and are keen for the freelance facilitators we work with to be representative of this action too.

Who are we and what do we do?

People's Voice Media is a charity founded in 1995 and is committed to supporting people to improve their lives and bring about positive social change from the ground up. We do this by bringing people's voices together to enable individuals, groups and organisations to find better ways of improving their worlds and the world around them.

Our core tool to achieve this vision is Community Reporting. Originating in 2007, Community Reporting has been developed across Europe as a mixed methodological approach for involving citizens in research, policy-making, service development, and decision-making processes. It uses digital, portable technologies to support people to tell their own stories, in their own ways via peer-to-peer approaches. It then connects these stories with the people, groups and organisations who are in a position to use the insights within them to make positive social change. Central to Community Reporting is the belief that people telling authentic stories about their own lived experience offers a valuable understanding of their lives.

We provide a range of services that enable voices to be heard in order to influence change and inform practices, processes and policies.



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Find out more on the People's Voice Media [website](#).

How should you apply?

Interested? That's great! If you could fill in this [short Google Form](#) with your key details and upload the following to the form:

- **Statement** of why you are interested in working with us and how your facilitation approach represents our values – this can be a document (1 page of A4 max), audio recording (3 minutes max.) or video recording (3 minutes max).
- **CV (of sorts)** that outlines your experience and previous projects that you are proud of – this could be a document (2 pages of A4 max – it could also just be a link to an online portfolio), audio recording (5 minutes) or video recording (5 minutes max)

We will keep the form open to Friday 11th June 2021 and be in touch with people shortly after that.

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What happens next?

We will look through people's responses and get back to everyone individually.

If you think that People's Voice Media and our work is a good match to your skills, expertise, and how you work then we will invite you for a cuppa over Zoom to chat (unless one of the team is local to you, in which case maybe a chat in-person can be arranged) about how we might work together in the future. This isn't an interview, just a chance for us to get to know you a little bit more and the type of work you are interested in doing.