

Youth Work Ireland Laois: Board Directors **(<https://www.activelink.ie/node/115206>)**



Join the Board of Directors at Youth Work Ireland Laois and Make a Difference in Young People's Lives!

Youth Work Ireland Laois is a leading youth organisation dedicated to empowering young people in County Laois. We provide a range of vital services and programs that support their personal and social development, helping them to reach their full potential.

We are seeking passionate and committed individuals to join our Board of Directors and help shape the future of youth work in our community.

About the Role:

The Board of Directors plays a crucial role in the governance and strategic direction of Youth Work Ireland Laois. Board members provide leadership, oversight, and support to the organisation, ensuring its long-term sustainability and effectiveness. This is a voluntary position offering a rewarding opportunity to contribute to the lives of young people in Laois.

Responsibilities Include:

- Developing and overseeing the implementation of the organisation's strategic plan.
- Ensuring sound financial management and accountability.
- Monitoring and evaluating the effectiveness of programs and services.
- Contributing to policy development and advocacy efforts.
- Representing the organization within the community.
- Ensuring compliance with all relevant legal and regulatory requirements.
- Supporting the Chief Executive Officer and staff.

We are looking for individuals with:

- A passion for youth work and a commitment to empowering young people.
- Experience in one or more of the following areas: governance, finance, legal, human resources, strategic planning, fundraising, or community development.
- Strong communication, interpersonal, and teamwork skills.
- A willingness to dedicate time and effort to the role (approximately 5 hours per month).
- An understanding of the challenges and opportunities facing young people in Laois.

Desirable Qualities:

- Experience working with young people or in the voluntary sector.
- Knowledge of relevant legislation and regulations.
- Connections within the Laois community.

What We Offer:

- The opportunity to make a real difference in the lives of young people.
- The chance to contribute to a dynamic and impactful organization.
- The experience of working as part of a dedicated and supportive team.
- The opportunity to develop your skills and knowledge in governance and leadership.

To Apply:

Please submit your CV and a cover letter outlining your relevant experience and your motivation for joining the Board of Directors to chairperson@ywilaais.com (<mailto:chairperson@ywilaais.com>)

Deadline for Applications: 13.5.2025 at 4:30pm

Interviews: Shortlisted candidates will be invited for an interview.

For further information about Youth Work Ireland Laois, please visit our website: www.ywilaais.com
(<http://www.ywilaais.com>)

Join us in making a positive impact on the lives of young people in Laois!

Youth Work Ireland Laois is an equal opportunity employer and welcomes applications from diverse backgrounds.

Region

Co Laois

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