

### Who are we?

NASES is the UK's professional body representing over 120 student employment services operating in Further and Higher Education institutions throughout the UK. Established in July 1999, it aims to facilitate the continuing development of the Student Employment sector, encourage interaction between practitioners, share best practice and represent its members on a national level.

### Why get a membership?

NASES membership demonstrates your Institutions commitment to professional management and development within the field of student employment and gives your organisation access to a wide range of benefits, specific services and tailored privileges in many areas, including:

#### **Professional Status**

NASES membership recognises you as a student employment professional and demonstrates your organisation's commitment to the student employment sector. Your institution can demonstrate NASES membership and professional status by using the NASES membership logo on service promotional materials and stationery. In addition, you will be provided with a NASES Membership certificate to display in your service area. Your service details and a link to your institution and service will be displayed in the NASES Job Shop listing on the NASES web site.

#### **Communication**

Members will receive the NASES Newsletter each quarter and a monthly e-news update. The website is updated regularly with a member's only section, and the jiscmail mail base is also used for discussion.

#### **Regional Networking**

Opportunity to attend regular regional meetings and participate in online discussions with other Job Shops locally. Members have the opportunity to meet, share ideas, experiences & discuss relevant issues with other student employment professionals.

#### **NASES Website**

Member access to a wealth of intelligence that will enhance your service operation on the NASES web site, including a resource library and best practice directory at [www.nases.org.uk](http://www.nases.org.uk).

#### **Telephone Help-line**

NASES Members have FREE access to the NASES Business Support Helpline a legal telephone help-line provided by Croner Consulting, offering advice and guidance across a broad range of business issues that affect job shops.

#### **Share Best Practice**

Volunteer your time & talents to further develop the student employment sector, NASES relies on members to take the sector further and there are lots of opportunities to get involved such as standing for NASES Executive, running a workshop at Conference or participating in a working party.

#### **Events**

Opportunity to learn from industry leaders by attending events such as our annual Conference, NASES members benefit from reduced delegate fees. Participate in NASES run events such as the annual National Student Employment Week, and Student Employee of the Year competition. When sponsorship is received for initiatives members will receive free marketing materials for these events.

#### **Professional Development**

NASES have developed, in conjunction, with AGCAS & NCWE, Postgraduate Qualifications in the Management of Student Work Experience, These are offered by the University of Reading via distance learning (moving to Warwick in 2010). Members can apply for the NCWE Bursary fund to assist with the payment of course fees. In addition Members benefit from reduced rates for NASES Training events.

## New for 2010

### Discount Directory

NASES has negotiated a range of discounts and special offers exclusively for members on a wide range of key products and services – simply quote “NASES” to get your discount.

### Virtual Volunteering

New opportunities for members to participate and develop skills from the comfort of your own office or home - small chunks of activity that can be done at your convenience with no long term commitment. Now you can help student employment even in your pyjamas!

### [www.recruitstudents.co.uk](http://www.recruitstudents.co.uk)

An opportunity for you to increase the quantity and quality of job adverts to your students. National employers can place vacancies on the new NASES/BAM website, as a member you can search this database for vacancies in your area. All employers must sign up to the NASES Code of Practice and all adverts will be vetted by the NASES National Office.

*Associate Members will receive the same benefits but on an individual basis*

## 2010 Membership rates:

All membership rates are based on the calendar year and annual fees run from 1st January - 31st December. Rates are non vatable. If you join NASES after 1st June membership rates will be calculated on a pro-rata basis.

- **NASES Service Membership:** *HE £175 / FE £125*  
Service membership is designed for one named member representing the student employment service within an institution. NASES Service Membership is only available to student employment services based within UK HE and FE institutions and not commercial high street agencies and employment services.
  
- **NASES Associate Membership:** *HE £60 / FE £50 (per Associate Member)*  
If you have additional members who wish to join they should join as Associate members, open to individuals currently working in the provision of information, and advice and guidance of student employment in an HE / FE student employment service, careers department, students union, or placement school. (Your institution must hold a valid service membership)
  
- **Corporate Membership:** *Corporate Membership £500*  
Corporate membership is designed for companies; businesses; or organisations with an active interest in student employment. Annual corporate membership allows members of staff in your organisation to benefit from monthly e-news updates; and access to; the NASES mail base; advice and guidance from student employment professionals; the free Employment Law helpline (Croners Consulting); and the NASES training and conference discounted rates.

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