



Join the Network and keep up to date with the latest developments.

Help influence employability related policy, funding and legislation in the interests of people experiencing homelessness.

The Challenge

Education, training, employment and other meaningful activity is increasingly recognised as an important part of the solution to homelessness. Local homelessness strategies must now demonstrate how employability needs are being addressed. Identifying and supporting the best ways to respond to these needs has therefore never been more important.

The Aims

The Scottish Homelessness and Employability Network aims to improve opportunities for people facing homelessness by;

- Promoting the role of education, training and employment as part of local and national strategies to tackle homelessness in Scotland
- Identifying and sharing models of good practice that support engagement with education, training and employment opportunities
- Influencing related policy, funding and legislative developments

What SHEN can do for you ?

Joining the Network will give you access to up to date information and new contacts through:

- A quarterly newsletter highlighting recent developments, policy changes and funding opportunities in the field and showcasing good practice examples.
- An annual conference creating links and sharing practice. You only pay half price.
- Regular seminars across Scotland exploring aspects of employability and homelessness. You only pay half price.

The Network will appeal to:

- businesses and employers who are seeking to develop Corporate Social Responsibility policies that aim to enable people back into employment
- Statutory and voluntary sector homelessness services seeking to develop and deliver services that meet the needs of their clients;
- employment, education, careers and training providers seeking ways of ensuring their services meet the needs of the most excluded,
- policy officers responsible for developing strategic responses to homelessness and unemployment at national and local level

The Network is promoted by Communities Scotland, Scottish Enterprise, Scottish Business in the Community, Scottish Council for Single Homeless, Scottish Foyer Network, Youthlink, Scottish Simon/Cyrenian Alliance, Scottish Adult Learners Partnership and Scottish Churches Housing Agency. A Steering Group of interested members oversees Network activity.



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Got something to say ?

The Network's newsletter and website will provide the ideal forum for news of homelessness and employability related initiatives and activity in your area, as well as a platform for highlighting barriers to success and models for overcoming those barriers.



Further information

If you would like to find out more about the Scottish Homelessness and Employability Network contact:

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