



Comhaltas na Mac Léinn,  
Ollscoil na Gaillimhe  
University of Galway  
Students' Union



1. Job Title	Department/Section	Current Job Holder
Student Safety Watch	University of Galway Students' Union	Vacant

### **General Statement**

Student Safety Watch (SSW) is a service with the primary aim of providing and promoting safety and care to University of Galway students. The SSW will operate mobile patrols to aid students who may find themselves in vulnerable or unsafe situations on nights out. It will initially operate on a pilot basis on specific nights such as Hallows, RAG Week etc.

### **2. Role Relationships**

Reports to the Students' Union General Manager.

### **3. Main Purpose of the Job:**

Members of the SSW will work in groups between the hours of 9:00pm and 3:00am patrolling residential areas to aid distressed who may be distressed The SSW will promote safety amongst the student body by being a visible presence.

### **4. Main Duties and Responsibilities:**

#### **Duties:**

- Be part of an SSW Patrol following a specific route.
- Provide regular updates to a central control station.
- Use the Safe Watch App to report any instances involving students in distress.
- Contact emergency services where appropriate.

### **5. Requirements**

- Excellent communication skills
- Highly organised, able to multi-task.
- Commitment and dedication to duties.
- Certified and current First Aid Training an advantage.
- PPS Number and work permit if applicable.
- Successful applicants must be available to attend training on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> October.

### **6. Health & Safety statement**

All employees have a general duty in law to take reasonable care for the health and safety of themselves and of other persons who may be affected by their acts or omissions. The Jobholder(s) must be aware of and comply with the health and safety legislation and other organisational requirements that are relevant to their post.

### **7. Equality Statement**

University of Galway Students' Union is an Equal Opportunities Employer. We are committed to equal employment opportunities, and we base all employment decisions on merit, job requirements and service needs.