**Role Profile**

Investing in Access Project Worker

**Role summary**

* Support the delivery of the Investing in Access Pilot Project
* Develop activities relevant to role, including event planning
* To participate in the ongoing development of the programme and project materials
* Build and foster appropriate and effective relationships
* Engage with members of the public, particularly those affected by disability and business/proprietors of all kinds

**Hours**

10 hours per week (flexible, totalling 360 hours for duration of project).  Monthly payment of services on receipt of monthly invoices to Disability Equality Scotland.

**Rate of pay**

 £15.00 per hour.  The IIA Project Worker will be responsible for any HMRC obligations including tax and National Insurance

**Length of contract**

9 months or 360 hours

**Knowledge and skills**

**Essential**

* Previous experience in community development
* Networking skills
* Excellent communication, interpersonal and team-building skills
* Research and report-writing skills and the ability to interpret or present data
* Knowledge and understanding of community and social issues
* A non-judgemental and positive attitude
* Creative thinking and problem-solving ability
* Collaboration and partnership skills;

**Desirable**

* Knowledge of the access issues encountered by disabled people in their everyday lives and the challenges these can pose to independent living
* An understanding of the social model of disability
* Knowledge of Access Panels and how their work can contribute to the Community Planning agenda and Building Standards, the the BS:8300 and the work of the local community.
* Current driving license

**When and where**

Forth Valley Area including Clackmannanshire, Stirling, and Falkirk

 Disability Equality Scotland will pay any out of pocket expenses in line with our Expenses Policy.