

CURRICULUM MANAGER AT SEVERNSIDE INSTITUTE FOR PSYCHOTHERAPY

Contract type: Permanent (after a 6-month probationary period)

Hours: An average of 4 hours per week, although the working pattern is variable.

Salary: £34,620 per annum pro-rata (£ 17.75 per hour)

Location: Flexible. At times the post-holder will need to work from our Bristol office on Thursdays.

Background

Sevenside Institute for Psychotherapy was set up as a membership and training organisation in 1984 and is a charity and limited company, and a Member Institute of the British Psychoanalytic Council. It is a thriving institution, comprising professional and associate members and offering clinical trainings leading to registration with the BPC as either a psychoanalytic psychotherapist or a psychodynamic psychotherapist.

Our mission is to improve the mental health of individuals and the community by promoting psychoanalytic thinking and the practice of psychoanalytic and psychodynamic psychotherapy, and by providing high quality education, and professional training.

SIP offers two clinical psychotherapy trainings, Psychoanalytic (PA) and Psychodynamic (PD). It teaches the British clinical tradition, which is based on the theories of Freud and the contemporary Freudians, Klein and the post-Kleinians, Winnicott and the British Independents and Jung and the post-Jungians.

We are seeking a Curriculum Manager to oversee and manage the delivery, resourcing and planning of SIP's curriculum programme. The Curriculum Manager will work closely with the Training Committee to promote development of the Psychoanalytic and Psychodynamic clinical trainings, ensuring they are of the highest quality, and that they meet SIP's aims and objectives and BPC accreditation criteria.

Suitability

The role would suit someone with excellent planning and organisational skills, who is able to work both as part of a team and autonomously.

This is an operational role which is not restricted to those with a psychotherapy qualification but may appeal to a psychoanalytically oriented psychotherapist, who wishes to combine it with their clinical practice.

The ideal candidate will be experienced in working collaboratively with members and committees to facilitate discussions and developments in a complex organisation.

Further information and How to Apply:

For an informal conversation or further information, please email Mike Keating (Chair of Council) at chairofcouncil@sipsychotherapy.org. Please apply ONLY by cover letter and CV to hr@sipsychotherapy.org.

The closing date for applications is **24th April, 2026**. Shortlisted candidates will be invited to an interview at the SIP offices in Bristol on the morning of Saturday, **9th May, 2026**.