



# Manchester Profile

**The vibrant city of Manchester, famous for its world-renowned football teams and for being the home of the industrial revolution, is also home to 27,000 international students, studying across five universities and numerous language students.**

Friends international has a well-established international student ministry in the city. In partnership with other missions and volunteers drawn from local churches, the focal point of the ministry is weekly international Cafés which take place in central Manchester and in Salford to provide a loving and safe community for students, where friendships are built, and opportunity is given to explore the Christian faith. Hosting, other social activities, and home Bible studies also take place on a regular basis.

Friends International is looking for an additional staff worker to compliment the present team and to help extend this strategic ministry.

**Our mission: “To work with the church to communicate the good news of Jesus to international students in both word and deed and in whole life cross-cultural discipleship.”**

In addition to the general responsibilities of a Friends International Staff Worker (found in the accompanying job description), specific responsibilities of this post include:

- Being part of the FI Café teams.
- Working alongside the CUs, mentoring, supporting and developing their ministry with international students.
- Become involved with the ministry of at least one local church.
- Leading Bible studies and one-to-one ministry with international students.
- Taking part in events and outings.
- Being part of the Manchester International Outreach summer team (July).
- Developing new initiatives as agreed with the team leader.

It is expected that the successful candidate will be self-funded or committed to raising their own support.



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