## AGE UK SHROPSHIRE, TELFORD & THE WREKIN

## **Marketing & Communications Officer**

## **PERSON SPECIFICATION**

Attributes	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications and experience	<ul> <li>Applicants must have a good standard of general education.</li> <li>Minimum 2 years' experience in marketing or PR.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Working in a charitable sector organisation</li> <li>Relevant degree or marketing qualification</li> </ul>
Skills/ Knowledge	<ul> <li>Excellent IT skills including detailed knowledge of Microsoft Office (Word, Outlook, Excel, Publisher etc) to create marketing and fundraising materials, mail merges etc.</li> <li>An awareness of GDPR and database systems.</li> <li>Excellent design skills to be able to create eye-catching and appropriate marketing materials.</li> <li>A good understanding of social media and digital marketing.</li> <li>Proven ability to be able to carry out admin tasks effectively and efficiently.</li> <li>A high-quality threshold to all work and an eye for detail.</li> <li>Excellent communication skills for effective storytelling, particularly written and presentation skills.</li> <li>Be able to deliver presentations confidently to a variety of different audiences.</li> <li>Assisting with the organising and running of events to raise money, awareness and recruit supporters.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Good knowledge of the aims and objectives of the charity in meeting the needs of older people.</li> <li>Experience of using Canva.</li> <li>Experience with video content creation or willingness to learn.</li> <li>Understanding of importance of campaigning in the third sector.</li> </ul>
Personal Attributes	<ul> <li>Personal values that fit with those of the organisation.</li> <li>The ability to motivate/manage self and others.</li> <li>Be able to work on own initiative.</li> <li>A creative and lateral thinker. A flexible attitude to changes in priorities /environment</li> <li>Ability to work effectively within a team.</li> <li>To be able to communicate well with older people and professionals.</li> <li>To be able to work calmly whilst under pressure.</li> <li>To be presentable and have a friendly, approachable manner.</li> <li>Able to meet the travel requirements of the post.</li> </ul>	