



USA Ultimate GUM Advisory Council

USA Ultimate's Girls' Ultimate Movement (GUM) encourages girls* to play ultimate, strives to increase the number of girls' teams, and empowers girls to be leaders on the field and in their communities.

** The Girls' Ultimate Movement recognizes many players use differing terms to define their gender or gender identity. GUM is inclusive of anyone identifying as female, non-binary, gender fluid, transgender and/or those using other self-identifying terms.*

Position Description

The GUM Advisory Council will consist of three members who will assist the GUM program manager, currently Leah Dolan-Kelley, in supporting GUM initiatives. The Advisory Council may act as a sounding board for ideas, collaborate on best practices, and share ideas for potential resources. The Advisory Council will also be able to share insights on challenges and successes that occur at the local level to help guide strategic activity.

The GUM Advisory Council will meet quarterly via video conference with the USAU GUM managing staff: Leah Dolan-Kelley, Dan Raabe and Stacey Waldrup.

This volunteer position will receive a free, annual USA Ultimate membership and an honorarium of \$1,000. Honorariums will be paid at the end of the calendar year, assuming active participation on the council during the year and that responsibilities have been met.

Commitments are for one year with the option to terminate or renew at the end of each calendar year. The GUM program manager retains the right of non-renewal for commitments at the end of each year. After three years, council members will need to submit a new application to be considered for renewal.

Areas of Focus

1. Increase GUM events locally through affiliate and non-affiliate local organizers.
2. Increase visibility and engagement
3. Increase FMP Leadership Initiatives
 - a. Coaching
 - b. FMP Captains
4. Foster community development
 - a. Connect the community
 - b. Resources for players, coaches, and organizers
 - c. GUM Ball at U.S. Open

Responsibilities & Expectations

1. Attend quarterly meetings with the USAU GUM leadership team.
2. Review and provide feedback on GUM programs, resources and events.
3. Brainstorm and collaborate on ideas and initiatives.
4. Communicate in a timely manner.
5. Expect to spend approximately five hours per month

To Apply

Please complete this [Google Form](#) to apply.

Please reach out to Leah Dolan-Kelley at Leah@hq.usultimate.org with any questions.