



**VOLUNTARY ACTION
MERTHYR TYDFIL
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Job Title: Social Enterprise Development Officer

About us: Voluntary Action Merthyr Tydfil (VAMT) is the County Voluntary Council (CVC) for the County Borough of Merthyr Tydfil and has existed since 1997. VAMT is a part of Third Sector Support Wales (TSSW) which is a network of support organisations for the third sector. Our shared goal is to enable the third sector and volunteers across Wales to contribute fully to individual and community well-being, now and for the future.

About this role: The UK Community Renewal Fund aims to support people and communities most in need across the UK, creating opportunities to trial new approaches and innovative ideas at the local level. The Fund aims to support our communities in piloting programmes and new approaches in preparation for the forthcoming Shared Prosperity Fund which will be launched by UK Government next year.

In partnership with Merthyr Tydfil County Borough Council and Tydfil Training Consortium Ltd, VAMT have a unique opportunity to introduce a new role which will be instrumental in driving forward the development of social enterprise in the local area as part of a wider Encouraging Enterprise Project.

The wider project will develop a number of entrepreneurial interventions (including social) across the width and breadth of Merthyr Tydfil, driven by an ethos of stimulating enterprise awareness and employment opportunities for local people and businesses.

To secure this great opportunity you will have: We are looking for a highly skilled and dynamic individual to join our expanding team to lead this exciting area of work and help make a real difference. If this opportunity is of interest, we would like to hear from you.

Benefits of working with us:

- A flexible working scheme
- 28 days annual leave rising to 33 on completion of 5 years service
- 8 bank holidays
- 3 concessionary days
- Enhanced sick pay
- A very generous pension scheme – 10% employer contribution
- We are currently following government guidelines and working from home where possible. Our future aim is to adopt a hybrid approach where job roles allow.

For an informal discussion about the role, please contact: Sharon Richards on 01685 353932 or 07946 495249

To download an application pack please click [here](#)

Closing date: 4th January 5pm

Interview date: 13th or 14th January 2022 .

Interviews will be carried out face to face in line with VAMT's Covid-19 Risk Assessment and social distancing in place.