

NEXTGEN 5.0

Position: Graphic Designer

Location: Remote

Type: Volunteer Work

Commitment: ≈ 3 Hours a Week

Start Date: ASAP

About NextGen 5.0

NextGen 5.0 is a pioneering non-profit, independent, and virtual think tank committed to inspiring and empowering the next generation of peace and security leaders in order to build a more secure and prosperous world.

We do this through:

Research: We perform rigorous analysis of critical global, regional, and country-specific security challenges that bring forward fresh perspectives, new approaches, and innovative policy solutions.

Leadership: We foster analytical, problem-solving, and leadership skills in the next generation of security experts in order to prepare them to advance their careers and compete in today's global job market.

Participation: We engage in ongoing discussions and initiatives with global institutes, universities, and private companies about how to promote youth participation in the realm of international security affairs and how to better utilize their unique skills, knowledge, and perspectives.

About the role

The NextGen 5.0's Communications Team is currently looking to recruit a Graphic Designer in a voluntary capacity. The successful candidate will be responsible for designing visual presentations and graphics.

This is an opportunity to join the growing team of NextGen 5.0 and be part of an engaged global community of outstanding students and young professionals interested in security and counter-terrorism issues.

This position requires **approximately up to three hours per week**; successful candidates will be able to make at least **six months commitment** to the role.

Tasks and Responsibilities

The position entails working closely with staff across different departments.

Responsibilities include redesigning graphics on NextGen 5.0's social media platforms, marketing materials, style guide, and presentation templates.

- Plans concept by studying information and materials;
- Illustrates concept by designing rough layout of art and copy regarding arrangement, size, type size and style, and related aesthetic concepts;
- Obtains approval of concept by submitting rough layout for approval;
- Prepares final layout by marking and pasting up finished copy and art;
- Completes projects by coordinating with outside agencies, art services, printers, etc;
- Contributes to team effort by accomplishing related results as needed.

Desired Skills and Experience

- Experience using Adobe Creative Suite, especially InDesign, and other desktop publishing software;
- Excellent time-management skills, ability to meet deadlines, and attention to detail;
- Must have access to the necessary equipment and software;
- Good interpersonal and cross-organisational communications skills;
- Good written and spoken English skills;
- Detail oriented and prompt response to emails.

Eligibility and Selection

- Position is **unpaid** and **part-time**.
- Candidates are not required to be NextGen 5.0 members to apply.

How to Apply

To apply, please fill the **online application form** or send your resume as an attachment to **contact@nextgen50.org**

Please, include “Graphic Designer Application” in the subject line.

All successful candidates should ideally be ready to start as soon as possible.

Please note that all staff members are non-remunerated volunteers, giving up their time alongside their own professional/academic activity.