



Advert for Rabbinic position at Birmingham Progressive Synagogue

Are you a dynamic and compassionate Rabbi seeking a meaningful role? Look no further! Birmingham Progressive Synagogue (BPS) offers an exciting and flexible opportunity to lead and inspire within our warm and inclusive community.

Birmingham Progressive Synagogue is a member of Liberal Judaism. Following the recent retirement of our long serving Rabbi, Dr Margaret Jacobi, BPS is looking for a new progressive Rabbi to lead and to help grow and inspire our community. This role will offer an exciting opportunity for an enthusiastic Rabbi who is committed to the values, ethos and practices of Progressive Judaism. BPS are looking for a Rabbi who will support our community and leadership but also bring their own ideas and enthusiasm. We are approaching the recruitment of our new Rabbi with an open mind and will seek to explore with candidates the particular ways they could contribute to our development and in return how we might be able to contribute to theirs.

We can be flexible on the start date to accommodate current commitments. The post offered initially is a part time position and we are willing to consider working arrangements that would satisfy both our new Rabbi and the needs of our community. Salary will be pro rata, based on the LJ Rabbinical guidelines, and dependent on experience.

All applicants for this post will need to have a Semicha which is acceptable to CoLRaC - The Conference of Liberal Rabbis and Cantors.

For a confidential discussion before applying or for more information and a full job description, please email or contact Joyce Rothschild (Chair of Rabbinic Search Committee): joyce10@icloud.com +44 7747 768379.

Applicants should apply via email to the Chair of our Rabbinic Search Committee, providing their CV/resume and a personal statement which includes your ideas and vision for our community. At a later stage, the contact details of at least two referees will be required, as well as evidence that you have the right to work in the UK. The successful candidate will require an enhanced DBS check on appointment.

Closing date for applications is April 21st and we intend to hold interviews from May 2024. In addition to a formal interview for shortlisted candidates, BPS would like to offer you the opportunity to lead a service/ study session and to meet us, see our community in action and ask our members any questions you might have.

Ready to embark on a fulfilling journey with Birmingham Progressive Synagogue? Apply now and be part of a welcoming community in one of the most exciting and vibrant cities in the UK!

We are an equal opportunities employer. We welcome applications from all suitably qualified persons.