

Leading Large Scale 2025

Are you working as senior crew in HETV or film in Northern Ireland and looking to step up to lead large-scale productions? *Northern Ireland Screen* is looking for senior applicants from Accounts, Locations and Production offices for its free intensive leadership programme - *Leading Large Scale*.

The course offers department-specific leadership sessions with industry experts, PACT/Bectu agreement, Tax Credits, NI Employment Law training, a two-day residential management training and networking stay at Clondeboye Lodge near Bangor and mentoring with industry leaders.

This course is funded by Northern Ireland Screen, supported by the BFI and the National Lottery.

Who is the course for?

Leading Large Scale is for senior crew with large-project experience. Applicants must also have a reference from an Exec Producer or Producer. There are six spaces in total, two each from Accounts, Locations and Production.

Application criteria

Accounts

Production Accountant credit on HETV series (*Band 2 or above*)

or

Assistant Accountant credit on US Studio/Streamer feature film or Band 4 TV series

Locations

Location Manager credit on HETV series (*Band 2 or above*)

or

ALM/ULM credit on US Studio/Streamer feature film or Band 4 TV series

Production

Line Producer credit on HETV series (*Band 2 or above*)

or

Production Supervisor/PM credit on US Studio/Streamer feature film or Band 4 TV series

What does the course cover?

The course takes place in January - March 2025, in four parts:

1. Department-specific training

Attendees will split into three groups for two days of department-specific Zoom-based sessions on leadership in Accounts, Location or Production with leading industry trainers and experts:

Dates to be arranged with successful candidates.

2. Key topics

All participants will take part in these intensive zoom-based sessions

- **Pact/Bectu agreements**
- **NI Employment Law**
- **Tax Credits** with Anna Mansi, BFI Head of Certification

3. Two-day Residential

Held at Clondeboye Lodge, near Bangor, on January 30/31.

- **Day 1:** Introductory session with NI Screen's Andrew Reid and Nicola Lyons
- **Day 1:** Leadership and Management with Samantha Jukes Adams (Leadership Executive Coach & former head of production)
- **Day 1 Evening** A meal with heads of production from US Studios and Streamers, who are travelling to meet future leaders of large-scale productions.
- **Day 2:** Leadership & Management training continues with Samantha Jukes Adams.

All participants must be available to attend. Accommodation and food will be provided and attendance with childcare costs for the residential will be supported.

4. Mentoring

Participants will also benefit from two department-specific mentoring sessions with leading industry figures. Each participant will get at least 2 x 1 hour sessions with their mentor.

NI Screen will liaise with productions if you are filming and unsure if you can make the dates.

How to Apply

Please complete this form. Deadline is Wednesday 27th November 2024.

<https://forms.gle/A6se3EmanyMVbCMG6>

You will need your CV and a reference specifically written for this course.

This course is being delivered by thecallsheet.co.uk for NI Screen as part of the BFI Skills Cluster. For any queries, please contact matt@thecallsheet.co.uk.