

BSA Mentoring Month: Mentor Guidelines

- Applications open in October.
- To apply as a Mentor, you must be a current BSA member and complete the Mentor Application Form by the stated deadline. Please provide the most appropriate email address for all mentoring-related communications.
- As a Mentor you will be expected to offer a minimum of one 30-minute session for up to two mentees.
- In December, all mentees receive the Mentor biographies and links provided in the Mentor applications to help them select their preferred match. Mentees submit their top three choices, and matching is completed on a first-come, first-served basis.
- By the end of January, you will be notified of any Mentee matches. You will be asked to contact your mentee(s) directly to discuss how you would like to conduct the session.
- If both parties wish, you may continue the conversation beyond the initial session. Any additional time or mentoring sessions are at your discretion and availability.
- We encourage mentoring sessions to take place in February. However, we recognise that schedules may not always align, so sessions can take place at a later date if necessary.
- In April, you will receive a feedback survey, providing an opportunity to share your experience of the programme.

If you have any questions about the scheme or are interested in joining the BSA to take part, please [contact us](#).