



## KELVIN BATEY

Kelvin is a World BMX Champion and has a passion for education and seeing young people reach their potential.

Working in secondary education for six years in a PE department, where he became a qualified teacher, Kelvin branched into working with pupils at risk of leaving school with no qualifications. He worked with pupils on a Public Services Level One course where every student was able to achieve a pass over the 3 years he ran the course.

Running a BMX Team for five years, Kelvin had some very talented riders on the team in that period with 3 of them moving onto the British Cycling Talent squad when they left school. They moved up to Manchester where they were able to follow their dreams of being full-time professional cyclists, with two of them having left school as NEET. Being a mentor and coach to these riders over the time they rode for Kelvin's team each one of them said that Kelvin had installed a great work ethic in them to be able to chase their goals and achieve big things.

Kelvin has worked on National Citizen Service delivery days, Dame Kelly Holmes Trust projects including 'Get on Track' and Aspiring Minds days and delivered programmes in challenging environments, such as Pupil Referral Units.

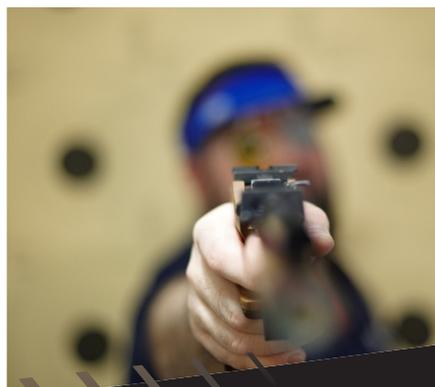
## STEPHEN FREW

Stephen is a member of Disabled Shooting Great Britain where he shoots pistol as part of the medal potential GB squad. He shot his first international competition in 2014. He currently shoots 3 disciplines which include 10m, 25m rapid fire and 50m free pistol.

British Shootings plan for Stephen is to be part of the Paris Paralympics team in 2024 where they believe he has the potential to be a medal winner.

Stephen is a wheelchair user and started shooting in 2012 as a response to the Year of Disabled Sport which coincided with him reaching a stable medical condition after 4 major surgeries and 4 years of rehabilitation.

Stephen was no stranger to disability as he was born with both hearing and specific learning impairments. Despite him being in the bottom 0.2% of the population when it comes to writing and spelling he found a way to achieve academically which includes degrees, a master's degree and diplomas. Stephen now shares his love of education working as a Senior Education Communicator.





## JARED PATEL

Jared is an aeronautical engineering graduate with a passion for education and what it can achieve. As well as this, he enjoys sport and plays as much of it as he can. Jared spent 7 years as a table tennis international between 2007 and 2014.

He thinks teaching young people, and indeed anyone, to believe in themselves and aspire to reach their potential is the most important thing you can give them.

After leaving school, he ran the school camp where the whole school goes away camping and worked on the NCS programme as a team leader. He also assisted in running two outdoor pursuit and sailing weeks for young people in Chichester.

Jared now works in the Delivery Team for Learn by Design where he has been for three years. This means going out to hundreds of UK schools a year and running practical workshops through a variety of delivery methods on lots of topics including STEM, sport, and business. This makes for a very dynamic environment where every day is different. The results of this are that he sees young people grow in confidence and aspiration in all sorts of ways all the time. He may only see them for a short time but can make such a huge difference.

## PAIGE GRIFFIN

Paige has had a lifelong passion for education and the opportunities it can provide. It has been important to her to incorporate lessons learnt through sport to help and inspire other people.

Paige's education journey was far from straight forward requiring her to learn how to flourish in a high-pressure environment. At the end of her GCSEs, Paige finished in the top 5 of her school, preparing her for a great future.

Personal challenges and an increase in all-round pressure resulted in Paige moving from the top of her year group to scraping through her A-levels. It was during her studies that Paige turned to sport and Tae Kwon-Do, developing an indomitable spirit.

Tae Kwon-Do taught Paige some fantastic life skills that she imparts to learners working as an Education Communicator; her key ambition is to share the importance of perseverance in all parts of life. Facing a knockback and to come back fighting is an important attribute for learners to have.

Despite not achieving the desired A-level results, Paige did not give up and went on to study Childhood Studies at university and graduated with a high 2:1 honours degree. This sits as one of her best achievements to date – alongside winning a gold medal at the Tae Kwon-Do British Championships 2012 and winning a bronze and a silver medal at the World Championships in 2013.

