



BECTU

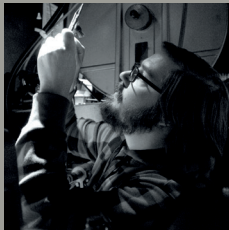
a sector of Prospect



Working for you

Join BECTU

Your membership application form



**NEW MEMBERS
PAY £10 A MONTH**
(or less if earning under £12K)

Why you need to join

BECTU is the union for anyone working in the film, broadcasting, arts and entertainment industries.

We exist to help you improve your working life. Whether you work as a freelancer, staff or on a fixed-term contract, you can join BECTU. As a member, you will become part of a community working together to secure better conditions for all.

BECTU negotiates with employers on a wide range of issues and achieves impressive results on pay, holiday entitlement, sick pay, and maternity and paternity provisions. Our expertise is crucial when employers propose job losses or changes to working conditions.

We represent members' interests on training and equality.

Union services include:

- Representation for individual members in grievance and disciplinary situations
- Action against discrimination and bullying at work
- Free legal and professional advice and, where appropriate, free legal representation – BECTU wins members more than £1million a year in compensation
- Debt collection, should you have trouble getting paid
- Guidance on Schedule D and NI issues
- £10million public liability insurance cover for freelancers at low cost. More info about the policy at www.bectu.org.uk/pli
- Advice and action on health & safety and welfare issues
- A whole range of financial and legal services for you and your family
- Your own copy of the union's journal *Stage Screen & Radio*
- News, info, and advice at www.bectu.org.uk

Join BECTU today and get involved.



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London SW9 9BT
020 7346 0900

www.bectu.org.uk
info@bectu.org.uk

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ABOUT YOU (PLEASE USE CAPITAL LETTERS)

Surname: _____ Title: Mr/Mrs/ Ms/ Miss/ Mx Other: _____

Forename(s): _____

Home address: _____

Postcode (important): _____

Date of birth: _____ Email address: _____

Daytime tel no: _____ Home/work (please circle) _____ Mobile tel no: _____

Have you been a member of the BECTU Sector of Prospect or any other union? Yes No

If yes, state name of union: _____ Has membership ceased? Yes No

EQUALITY MONITORING

Completing this section is entirely voluntary but if you do so you will help us to improve our services and assistance to members. Please tick all that apply.

What is your ethnic group?

White:

- British
 Irish
 Other (please specify) _____

Black or Black British:

- Caribbean
 African
 Other (please specify) _____

Chinese or other ethnic group:

- Chinese
 Other (please specify) _____

Sexual Orientation

- Bisexual
 Gay Man
 Gay Woman/Lesbian
 Heterosexual
 Prefer not to say
 Other (please specify) _____

Mixed:

- White/Black Caribbean
 White/Black African
 White/Asian
 Other (please specify) _____

Asian or Asian British:

- Indian
 Pakistani
 Bangladeshi
 Other (please specify) _____

Do you identify yourself as disabled?

- Yes No
 Prefer not to say

Do you identify as Trans?

- Yes No
 Prefer not to say
 Other (please specify) _____

ABOUT YOUR JOB

Job title/grade: _____

Are you (please tick): Full-time Part-time On a fixed-term contract Freelancer Casual

Name of branch (if known): _____

Current basic salary: _____ Staff no:

Name and address of employer: _____

Place of work if different (incl. room number/building if applicable): _____

PUBLIC LIABILITY INSURANCE

Freelance members are eligible to access public liability insurance cover (PLI) arranged by BECTU; the group policy runs from 1 May – 30 April each year and you can opt for cover by making an additional annual payment. (Just £31 for the year, or part year, from 1 May 2017). If you work as a freelancer but DO NOT wish to receive information about PLI through BECTU, please check this box: *If you leave this box unchecked our membership team will contact you to arrange for payment of the PLI fee.*

THREE EASY WAYS TO PAY

BECTU subscriptions are based on 1% of your regular earnings. We have three easy ways to pay:

A. Deductions from your wage/salary; **B.** Credit Card; **C.** Direct Debit.

Please complete ONE of the sections below and SIGN where necessary.

A

DEDUCTIONS FROM YOUR WAGE/SALARY (mandatory information is marked with an asterisk)

If you wish to pay by this method, such an arrangement **MUST** be agreed with BECTU and your employer. (Freelancers cannot use this method of payment.) For more information, ask your local BECTU rep or call BECTU's membership department on 020 7346 0900.

BECTU'S COPY

I authorise BECTU to make arrangements with my employer to deduct periodically from my pay union subscriptions at the rate of 1% of my regular earnings, up to a limit of £33.33 per month. This rate may be revised subsequently in accordance with the union's rules.

*Full name _____

*SIGN HERE _____

*Date _____

EMPLOYER'S COPY

[This section will be detached by BECTU's membership department]

I authorise BECTU to make arrangements with my employer to deduct periodically from my pay union subscriptions at the rate of 1% of my regular earnings up to a limit of £33.33 per month. This rate may be revised subsequently in accordance with the union's rules.

*Full name _____

*Job title/grade _____

*Payroll No: _____

*Name of employer _____

*SIGN HERE _____

*Date _____

SUBSCRIPTIONS BY CREDIT CARD OR DIRECT DEBIT

All members: please tick the appropriate box to indicate your pay band and subscription rate.

New members: tick here to take advantage of BECTU's one-year introductory rate of just £10 a month.

Your gross annual earnings	Monthly subscription	Annual subscription	Your gross annual earnings	Monthly subscription	Annual subscription
£12,501 – £15,000*	<input type="checkbox"/> £11.25	<input type="checkbox"/> £135	£27,501 – £30,000	<input type="checkbox"/> £22.92	<input type="checkbox"/> £275
£15,001 – £17,500	<input type="checkbox"/> £12.50	<input type="checkbox"/> £150	£30,001 – £32,500	<input type="checkbox"/> £25.00	<input type="checkbox"/> £300
£17,501 – £20,000	<input type="checkbox"/> £14.58	<input type="checkbox"/> £175	£32,501 – £35,000	<input type="checkbox"/> £27.08	<input type="checkbox"/> £325
£20,001 – £22,500	<input type="checkbox"/> £16.66	<input type="checkbox"/> £200	£35,001 – £37,500	<input type="checkbox"/> £29.17	<input type="checkbox"/> £350
£22,501 – £25,000	<input type="checkbox"/> £18.75	<input type="checkbox"/> £225	£37,501 – £40,000	<input type="checkbox"/> £31.25	<input type="checkbox"/> £375
£25,001 – £27,500	<input type="checkbox"/> £20.83	<input type="checkbox"/> £250	£40,001 and over	<input type="checkbox"/> £33.33	<input type="checkbox"/> £400

*or 1 per cent of earnings where evidence is provided to show that this is a lower amount and subject to a minimum monthly subscription of £5 or a minimum annual subscription of £60.

B

CREDIT CARD (Applies to payment for 12 month period)

Card No:

Valid from: /

Issue No (Maestro only):

Expiry date: /

3-digit security code (on reverse of card):

Cardholder's name: _____

Card type: Visa Delta Mastercard Eurocard Maestro/Switch

Note: We are unable to accept American Express or Diners Cards

Instruction to your bank or building society to pay by Direct Debit



Please fill in whole form and send it to:

Freeport RTJX-SZHB-BGZG, BECTU, 373-377 Clapham Road, London SW9 9BT



Name and full postal address of your Bank or Building Society

To: The Manager:	Bank/Building Society
Address:	
Postcode:	

Service User Number

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Reference

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FOR PROSPECT OFFICIAL USE ONLY

This is not part of the instruction to your Bank or Building Society. Please specify whether you wish the direct debits to be deducted on the 1st 15th of the month. [Tick appropriate box. If left blank we will deduct on the 15th].

Name(s) of account holder(s)

Bank/Building Society account number

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Branch Sort Code

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INSTRUCTION TO YOUR BANK OR BUILDING SOCIETY

Please pay Prospect Direct Debits from the account detailed in this instruction subject to the safeguards assured by The Direct Debit Guarantee. I understand that this instruction may remain with Prospect and, if so, details will be passed electronically to my Bank/Building Society.

Signature(s):

Date:



Banks and Building Societies may not accept Direct Debit Instructions for some types of account.

This Guarantee should be detached and retained by the payer.

The Direct Debit Guarantee



- This Guarantee is offered by all banks and buildings societies that accept instructions to pay Direct Debits.
- If there are any changes to the amount, date or frequency of your Direct Debit, Prospect will notify you 10 working days in advance of your account being debited or as otherwise agreed. If you request Prospect to collect a payment, confirmation of the amount and date will be given to you at the time of the request.
- If an error is made in the payment of your Direct Debit, by Prospect or by your bank or building society, you are entitled to a full and immediate refund of the amount paid from your bank or building society.
 - If you receive a refund you are not entitled to, you must pay it back when Prospect asks you to.
- You can cancel a Direct Debit at any time by simply contacting your bank or building society. Written confirmation may be required. Please also notify us.

DATA PROTECTION NOTICE

The BECTU Sector of Prospect is a data controller and processes information (data) which you give us on this application form and subsequently. Your information is used for the effective operation of the trade union and to provide you with the right to vote and to receive union goods, benefits and services. The union does not share your information with any other data controllers, but may contract approved data processors to deliver goods, benefits and services to members. We may share your information with organisations with which we work in partnership. We or they may contact you by mail, telephone, short message service, fax or email, to let you know about goods, services or promotions that may interest you. You have a right to ask for a copy of your information (for which we charge a small fee) and to correct any inaccuracies. To make sure we maintain our standards of service, we may monitor or record communications. You understand that by making this application for membership you consent to the union's processing of data supplied by you, including sensitive personal data, for the purposes stated above. Tick this box if you **do not** wish to receive any mail other than official BECTU Sector communications.

DECLARATION (See also the data protection notice above)

I understand that once accepted into membership of the BECTU Sector of Prospect that I become subject to the rules and policy of Prospect and to the decisions of its National Executive Committee.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Once completed and signed moisten all gummed edges, seal and post. Alternatively, put the whole form into an envelope and use the address overleaf to get it to us. (No stamp needed).



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