

CAREERS & PROGRESSION NEWSLETTER

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THIS ISSUE

23rd June 2025

Welcome to another edition of the Careers Newsletter!

This week, we have local and virtual work experience opportunities, and apprenticeship information with Quartzelec, Solirius and London and Quadrant Housing Trust. We have a spotlight on Agriculture and Environment, and have plenty of masterclasses with UniFrog, Gresham College, the University of Bradford and Brunel, University of London. Lastly, we have university information from the University of Exeter, University of Sunderland, University of Essex and the University of Law.

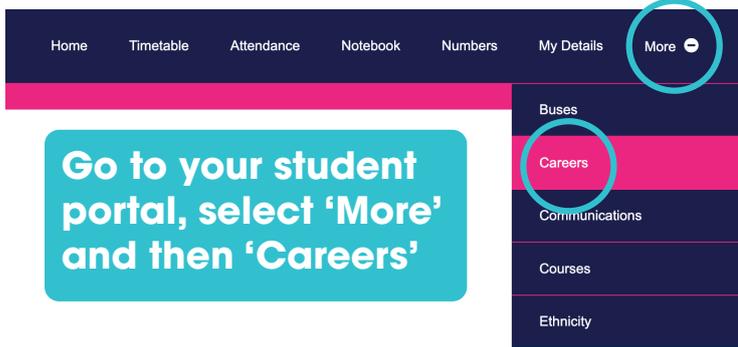
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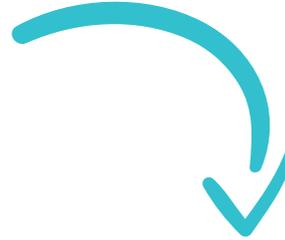
The Careers Team

#SEEYOURFUTURE

How to book a Careers Appointment



Go to your student portal, select 'More' and then 'Careers'



Fill in the information on the Careers Appointment Booking page

Careers Appointment

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Drop in advice sessions may be available - please contact College Services.

If you would like a careers appointment please complete all of the following fields:

What work history or work experience have you had?

Do you have any medical condition or other factor which may affect your career choice?

No Yes

If yes then please give details:

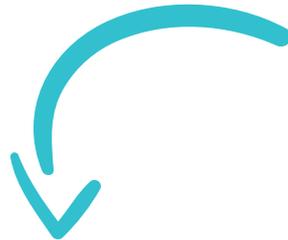
What are your interests / what do you do in your spare time?

Please tell me how I can help you.

Examples: I want to be an accountant; I am interested in doing a course in nursing.

Finally, what type of interview would you prefer?

Please Select



Book an appointment (not during lessons)

1. Select a date to see a list of available appointments (not today, at the weekend or in the past).

March 2023						
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2. Select one of the available appointments (Red text represent slots where careers are available, but you are not).

-- Select Time --

3. Book the selected appointment.

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You will receive a confirmation email and an appointment will be created in your Outlook Calendar. If College has your mobile number you will also receive a reminder text on the morning of your appointment.

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Select the available appointment slot most convenient to you and book it!

WORK

EXPERIENCE



Digital Business Consultancy Work Experience - Early Careers with CACI

This virtual work experience programme will introduce you to CACI, a technology consultancy that provides solutions and expertise to clients all across the globe.. Gain valuable experience and insight through real-world scenarios, hands-on activities and Springpod sessions to find out how you could fit into the world of digital business consultancy. Click [here](#) to register.

Laundry Assistant at Laceby Manor Resort

Join Laceby Manor Resort's spa and golf complex as a part-time Laundry Assistant, earning £12.21 per hour. You'll help maintain the luxury experience for guests by washing, drying, pressing, and folding linens, working one midweek and weekend shift each, from a total of around 21 hours per week. The role suits someone punctual, reliable, and a team-player with a positive "can-do" attitude. Click [here](#) to apply.

Retail Assistant at Iceland, Grimsby

Join the friendly team at Iceland in Grimsby, working part-time with flexible shifts to suit your schedule. You'll help maintain high store standards, deliver great customer service, and work alongside a supportive team - ideal for someone who enjoys taking initiative and making a difference in a community-focused environment. Click [here](#) to apply.

Virtual Renewable Energy Work Experience with Orsted

Want to be at the forefront of renewable energy solutions? Desire a career that really makes a difference to our planet? Then get ready, as this virtual work experience programme will introduce you to some of the most exciting careers in this sector, with none other than the global leader on climate action - Ørsted.

Click [here](#) to register.

4Skills Work Experience

In this programme you'll be introduced to real careers and real people as you learn more about what goes into the thriving creative industry that you see around you. You'll be set real world challenges, discover what could be your creative career match and get insider information from current Channel 4 Employees on what makes for a successful creative career.

Click [here](#) to apply.

APPRENTICESHIPS

Mechatronics Maintenance Technician Apprenticeship with Quartzelec Ltd, Grimsby

Quartzelec support local industry and infrastructure from their facility in Grimsby with a range of unique rotating machine services. The activities undertaken by their Mechanical Fitting department are both diverse and challenging as they cover all aspects of the manufacture, repair & refurbishment of machines, which are often extremely complex. The role will allow the individual to get involved in all aspects of mechanical engineering processes within the rotating machines industry.

Click [here](#) for more information.

Data Engineer Degree Apprenticeship - Solirius Ltd, London

Kickstart your tech career with this Level 6 Data Engineer apprenticeship at Solirius Ltd, starting in September 2025. Over three years, you'll earn £25,000/year while contributing to data solution design, testing, deployment, and support across real client projects—including opportunities to explore areas like DevOps or front-end development. Training is provided through Queen Mary University of London, combining weekly campus study with on-the-job learning. Successful completion leads to a degree and potential graduate placement within the company.

Applications close on 30 June 2025 - act quickly! Click [here](#) to apply.

The Sixth Formers' Guide to Degree Apprenticeships

The Sixth Formers' Guide to Degree Apprenticeships is the new A-Z guide to degree apprenticeship employers in the UK. The guide explains how degree apprenticeships offer a work-led, debt-free route to a university degree and a graduate job. It features inspiring interviews with degree apprentices working in different industries & sectors, expert guidance from degree apprenticeship employers, and showcases many of the top degree apprenticeship programmes available in 2025.

Click [here](#) to read!

Apprentice Design & Technical Coordinator with London and Quadrant Housing Trust

Join L&Q's Design & Technical team at Greenwich Peninsula this August for a 5-year, Level 6 apprenticeship leading to a degree in Architectural Assistant. You'll earn £27,081 per year and gain hands-on experience coordinating design processes, liaising with consultants, reviewing plans, and supporting site inspections. Training combines day release at London South Bank University with on-the-job learning!

Click [here](#) for more information.



CATCH

APPRENTICESHIPS

Y10 & Y12 TRADE TASTER DAYS

Join us at CATCH as we host our Trade Taster Days!

Y10 and Y12 students will have the opportunity to explore and experience our practical workshops, in order to help them make an informed decision surrounding engineering apprenticeships.

Students will be able to join for one of the two days.

Spaces are limited and on a first come, first serve basis.

To register please email outreach@catchuk.org

TUESDAY 22ND JULY

WEDNESDAY 23RD JULY

Taught by industry professionals, students will experience:

- **Mechanical**
- **Electrical**
- **Welding**
- **Pipefitting**
- **Process Operations**

MASTERCLASSES

Discover Business Analytics: Turning Data into Insight

How do businesses like Airbnb turn raw data into smart decisions? In this webinar hosted by Bayes Business School, you'll explore the world of business analytics - one of the most in-demand fields in business today. Guided by real Airbnb data, you'll see how data visualisation, machine learning, and AI might help uncover insights and drive decisions. You'll also find out what it's like to study business analytics at a leading business school.

This will take place on Monday 30th June - click [here](#) to register.

Why Are Cities Going Bankrupt? With Gresham College

In the late nineteenth century, Joseph Chamberlain transformed Birmingham with municipal enterprise and urban improvement. However, in the last few years, it has faced the equivalent of bankruptcy, alongside other large British cities.

This lecture asks, why have cities lost the confident civic pride of the Victorian era and now struggle to provide basic services from a limited financial base? Most importantly: what can be done to regenerate them?

Click [here](#) to watch.

Make your Personal Statement Stand Out/Making the Most of Summer with the University of Bradford

How do you get insight into your chosen career? How can you gain relevant work experience to detail in your personal statement? This session will explore these questions and offer some practical solutions. The Outreach and Recruitment Team will highlight ways of getting insight into different careers, present innovative ways in which you can develop experience and ready for your personal statement, as well as giving you tips on what you can do this summer to ensure your personal statement stands out!

This will take place on Tuesday 1st July from 6pm. Click [here](#) to register.

Clearing Confident: Your Strategy Starts Here with Brunel University of London

Join Brunel for Clearing Confident: Your Strategy Starts Here - a myth-busting webinar that puts *you* in control. You'll break down what Clearing really looks like in 2025, how to research like a pro, and what to do if your results don't quite match your first choice - or if they turn out better than expected. Hear real student stories, get tips on when to act and where to look, and take your questions to their live Q&A.

This will take place on Tuesday 8th July. Click [here](#) to register.

IntoUniversity

IntoUniversity is a leading education charity providing local learning centres where young people are inspired to achieve.

FREE Secondary Academic Support for Y7-13:

- ✓ Focus on homework and revision
- ✓ Access laptops, books and other resources
- ✓ Get help with essay writing and exam technique
- ✓ Seek support for your UCAS application
- ✓ Win rewards and prizes
- ✓ 1 to 1 mentoring with a University student
- ✓ Student enrichment opportunities

Monday and Thursday (school term)

4:00 - 5:30pm

**IntoUniversity Grimsby, The Neighbourhood Centre,
289a Weelsby Street, Grimsby, DN32 7JW**

As we are funded to work with the young people who need us the most, we will use criteria requirements to assess eligibility to join.

Phone us on 01472 403370 or email us at grimsby@intouniversity.org to speak to a member of staff and book a registration appointment.



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A SPOTLIGHT

ON...

Agriculture and Environment

From the food we eat to the air we breathe, careers in agriculture & environment support things that are crucial to our everyday lives.

What is agriculture and environment?

The agriculture and environment sector has never been more important than it is today. People who work in this industry deal with how we use, maintain, and protect our natural resources, including the food we eat – issues that are hot topics in the modern world. Growing concerns about the environment and plans to boost British farming have spurred politicians and the public into action, leading to a bigger focus on being environmentally friendly and buying locally produced food.

This means more and more jobs are becoming available in the agriculture and environment sector. And as the industry has become more sophisticated, so too have the roles.

What agriculture and environment jobs can I do?

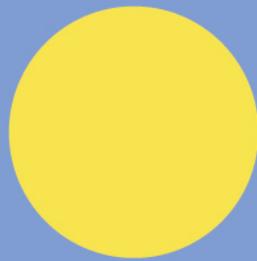
There are plenty of jobs available in agriculture and environment, some of them including agricultural engineers, botanists, ecologists, environmental consultants, environmental managers, environmental scientists, farmers, farm managers, farm workers, florists, forest/woodland managers, gardeners, horticultural managers, landscape architects, meteorologists, park and countryside rangers, recycling officers, recycling operatives, tree surgeons and so many more!

Is a career in agriculture and environment for me?

If you care passionately about the environment, love working with plants or animals or just can't get enough of the great outdoors, then this is the industry for you. Many careers in agriculture and the environment involve at least some outdoor work and some people in this industry will spend most of their working day outside, whatever the weather. Hours can be long and may vary depending on the season, and for some jobs you will need to be physically fit too.

What qualifications are available?

There are lots of opportunities to develop your skills on the job. Agricultural colleges and professional bodies like the National Farmers Union and the Institute of Agricultural Management often run short courses, workshops and seminars focused on professional development. In certain jobs, such as an agriculture engineer or landscape architect, you could work towards chartered status.



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UNIVERSITY INFORMATION



The University of Exeter taster session: Finance, Accounting and Economics

A subject specific session on Finance, Accounting and Economics with the University of Exeter! Find out about the structure of the course, how to apply and a get personal perspective from current students.

This will take place on Monday 30th June – click [here](#) to register.

Discover Sunderland

If you're thinking about university in the next few years and want something exciting, affordable, and full of opportunities, this is the event for you. Whether you're still exploring your options or already curious about Sunderland, join this online session to discover what makes their city and university stand out. This isn't an Open Day, it's your fast-track intro to what makes Sunderland worth a proper look. You'll leave knowing lots more about the city, the vibe on campus, and whether they're the right fit for you.

This will take place on Wednesday 9th July – click [here](#) to register.

Psychology Taster: Andrew Tate to Adolescence: Understanding the Psychology of Toxic Masculinity with the University of Essex

There have been many conversations about the sexism shared on social media by people such as Andrew Tate and whether the events depicted in television series such as Adolescence are actually happening in schools. Alongside these conversations has been the phrase "toxic masculinity," but there are many questions as to what this actually means and what elements of masculinity may be toxic. Psychological research on social identity and social identity threat can help us better understand why this debate has become complicated and polarizing. This discussion will give an introduction into how psychology informs our understanding of "toxic masculinity" as well as how this helps us to understand phenomena such as the rise of Andrew Tate.

This will take place on Thursday 10th July – click [here](#) to register.

Criminal Investigation Day: The Gypsy Rose Case

During this event, you'll will dive into the extraordinary case of Gypsy Rose Blanchard, looking at her transition from victim to criminal to viral sensation. Through this interactive session, we'll re-visit key moments from the trial, build a comprehensive timeline of events, and evaluate the verdict. This event is aimed at those considering studying law, criminology or psychology at university.

This will take place on Tuesday 8th July from 4pm – click [here](#) to register.



UNDERGRADUATE OPEN DAYS 2025

- Friday 20 June
- Saturday 11 October
- Friday 7 November
- Saturday 15 November

For information about our **Open Days**,
Campus Tours and other ways to visit us, scan
the QR code or go to ljmu.ac.uk/opendays



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