

# CAREERS & PROGRESSION NEWSLETTER

## THIS ISSUE

20<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Hello all,

In this issue, 20<sup>th</sup> May 2024, we have lots of virtual and local work experience opportunities and plenty of useful apprenticeship information with Montagu Evans, QIAGEN Manchester and Hister-Yale. We have lots of masterclasses available with HNY Health and Care Partnership, Gresham College and TEDx. We have A Spotlight on Web Design, and lots of university information with the University of Sheffield, Teesside University, University of East Anglia and Springpod.

Be sure to complete the Google Form to be in with the chance of winning a £10 Amazon voucher!

Many thanks,

The Careers Team

**#SEEYOURFUTURE**

# CENTRE FOR

# PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Fancy being in with the chance of winning a £10 Amazon voucher?

Complete [this](#) short feedback survey to be in the draw!

## **This is Hull: Uni Life**

On 3rd July 2024, Year 1 students will be taken to This is Hull at the University of Hull. The festival will showcase to you what university life can be like – and it won't cost you a penny. Lunch vouchers and a drink voucher will be provided for you while you explore the campus and all the sessions available for you.

If you haven't already, please register your place [here](#) as a matter of urgency.

## **Work Experience**

If you are looking for work experience, you can view our existing opportunities [here](#).

If you are interested in any of the opportunities, please email [nicola.loyd-jones@franklin.ac.uk](mailto:nicola.loyd-jones@franklin.ac.uk) for further information on how to apply.

## **Personal and Professional Development**

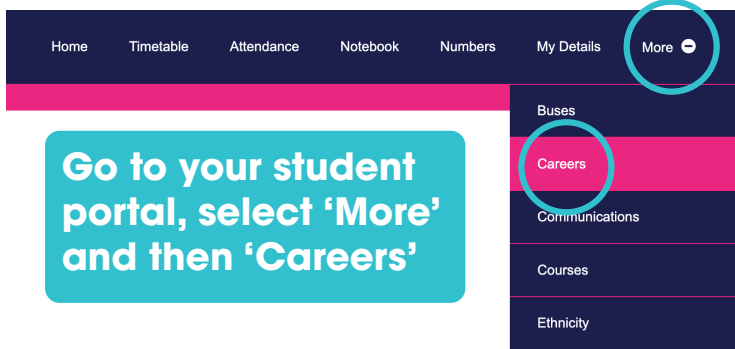
If you have questions regarding PPD, whether you have an idea for a new session or you want to change your choice, please email [ppd@franklin.ac.uk](mailto:ppd@franklin.ac.uk). The Personal and Professional Development team are based in Room 51 (opposite the theatre) – please feel free to pop in if you have any questions!

## **Careers Appointments**

If you are unsure of your next steps or want some advice and guidance about courses, training, employment, or apprenticeships – please make a careers appointment.

If you need any help, please follow the guide on the next page, or email [zofia.ciopcinski@franklin.ac.uk](mailto:zofia.ciopcinski@franklin.ac.uk).

# How to book a Careers Appointment



Fill in the information on the Careers Appointment Booking page

## Careers Appointment

### Careers Appointment Booking

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).

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

# WORK

# EXPERIENCE

## **Casual Matchday Staff at Grimsby Town Football Club**

GTFC are now recruiting casual workers for their 24-25 season, so why not join their matchday team? There are currently three vacancies currently available as preparations begin ahead of the new season:

Half-time Bonanza Sales Assistants – click [here](#)

Turnstile Operatives – click [here](#)

Match Day Stewards – click [here](#)

## **Right Before our Eyes – Live Installation by Project Now**

Do you want to earn the easiest £25 Amazon Voucher ever!?

The Culture House are looking for 10-12 teenagers to participate in a live installation based on the ever-growing use of screens, and the effects this has on physical and mental health.

You'll be required to sit on your phone for 3 hours as part of the installation... and that's it!

This will take place on **Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May** from 10am – 1pm or 1pm – 4pm.

If you're interested, email [theculturehouse.grimsby@gmail.com](mailto:theculturehouse.grimsby@gmail.com) ASAP.

## **Fantasy Wings Programme**

The Fantasy Wings Programme aims to equip young people, particularly those from BAME backgrounds and young women, with the skills and knowledge to succeed in the aviation industry. Their partners include leading aviation organisations in the UK, such as British Airways, the CAA, easyJet and more.

You'll learn how to become an Airline Pilot, explore aviation careers such as ATC, Leadership Regulation, be in with the chance to win one of 3 fully funded Private Pilot Licences and so much more.

For more information on the programme, click [here](#).

## **Physical Education Technician & Performing Arts Technician roles at Caistor Grammar School**

Based at Caistor Grammar School, these roles will provide the opportunity to be involved in, participate in, and help organise activities within the Physical Education and performing Arts department, supporting the running of said departments. Day to day responsibilities include supporting departmental staff during lessons/extracurricular activities, admin tasks, preparation, maintenance and upkeep of equipment, audits and ordering of equipment and more.

This role will start in September so perfect for any students leaving this year. To apply, please email an application form [here](#) to [Charlie.coulston@caistorgrammar.com](mailto:Charlie.coulston@caistorgrammar.com) by **3<sup>rd</sup> June 2023**.

# APPRENTICESHIPS

## **Chartered Real Estate Surveying Degree Apprenticeship with Montagu Evans**

Are you ready to kick start your career in property? Montagu Evans' degree apprenticeship scheme applications are officially open. Since their introduction in 2021, their apprentices have been an invaluable part of Montagu Evans and are leading forces in shaping the future of their workforce. Throughout your working day, you'll:

- Research, analyse and present a range of property data
- Inspect, measure and value a range of property types across England
- Appraise property using a range of sector specific valuation software

And much more! Click [here](#) for more information.

## **Apprentice Technical Assistant (Bioscience) at QIAGEN Manchester Ltd**

QIAGEN Manchester is a world leading centre for molecular diagnostic applications focusing in the areas of personalized healthcare in oncology and infectious disease. They have a diverse, collaborative, safe and engaging team and is a fantastic place to begin a rewarding career. You'll be completing tasks such as:

- Carrying out the practical elements of studies which can include DNA and RNA extraction using manual extraction kits and or automated instruments, PCR manual setup and or using automated instruments and more
  - Conducting general maintenance and lab safety activities
- Support the planning, execution and reporting of lab work and experience

And so much more! Upon completion of this degree, you'll gain a Laboratory Scientist degree from Manchester Metropolitan University.

Click [here](#) for more information.

## **Creative Digital Design Degree Apprenticeship with Hyster-Yale UK, London**

This degree apprenticeship will support the video, motion, and graphic designer with the development of class-leading visual assets to enable marketing communication of the Hyster®, Yale®, and Hyster-Yale Group brands in the most effective way in order to ultimately help drive sales.

Your day-to-day duties will include conceptualising, planning and executing creative projects, capturing high-quality video footage, staying up to date with industry trends and best practices, participating in brainstorming sessions to generate creative ideas for content and more!

Click [here](#) for more information.

## **AAT TRAINEE ACCOUNTANT**

### APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMME

Are you leaving college this summer with a passion for numbers? Do you want the chance to study to become a fully qualified Accountant whilst working in practice? This is the perfect opportunity for you.

In our view, what makes us a good accountancy firm is not only the way we support our clients but also the team of people within it. That is why we invest our time and skills in our apprentices.

An opportunity has arisen to join the team at Smethurst & Co LLP Chartered Accountants due to the progression of existing apprentices.

All apprentices gain an insight into the fundamentals of running a business, working alongside fully qualified accountants.

#### **Does this sound like you?**

- Keen to learn new skills.
- Able to communicate effectively and build relationships via email and telephone.
- Attention to detail in your nature.
- Take pride in what you do and reward yourself for success.
- Enjoy working as a team.
- Have the ability to understand and interpret learnings and instructions.

If so, you would be a team member the firm would be keen to welcome.

#### **What you would be involved in:**

- Assisting existing trained accountants in preparation of accounts for limited companies, sole traders and partnerships.
- Assisting in the preparation of routine tax compliance work for both companies and individuals.

#### **Training:**

- You will be enrolled on to the AAT qualification, Level 2 or 3 (depending upon previous study) and attend study days/complete examinations with a leading course provider.
- You will undertake progress reviews every 2 months with the course provider, the firm and you to monitor performance with your study and job performance.
- You will receive on the job training for any new task that you undertake including accountancy-related software.

#### **What we offer:**

- Competitive salaries.
- Increasing holidays.
- Pension contributions.
- Study support-financial and leave related.
- Annual employee led appraisals.
- Onsite-parking
- Employee wellbeing assistance programme

#### **What we are looking for:**

- Essential skills
  - 5 GCSEs 9-4, including maths and English.
  - Strong IT skills which include a working knowledge of Outlook, Excel and Word.
- Desirable skills
  - A-level Maths, Accountancy, Economics or Business studies.

Please forward your CV, together with a covering email, to H.J. Spauls [recruitment@smethurstllp.com](mailto:recruitment@smethurstllp.com) marked 'Trainee Accountant Vacancy' by 24<sup>th</sup> May 2024.

# MASTERCLASSES

## **Humber and North Yorkshire Health and Care Partnership Webinars**

### A Spotlight On... Dentistry Careers

Would you like to know more about what Dentists, Dental Nurses, and Dentist Technicians do? Are you interested in finding out about how you could start your career in Dentistry? Hear from those working in the sector by joining this webinar, taking place on Wednesday 26th June 2024.

Click [here](#) to register.

## **The Bloomsbury Group: A Queer History with Gresham College**

This lecture will explore the world of the second Bloomsbury generation, delving into the intricacies of being young and queer in the 1920s, and how their open way of living and loving is still relevant to our present day. Lesser known than their predecessors, they continued the celebration of freedom of expression and creativity. The lecture will introduce artists and intellectuals such as Eddy Sackville-West, Stephen Tomlin and Julia Strachey, who led an unapologetic life by pushing gender boundaries and social conventions, as well as exploring gender fluidity and pansexuality.

This will take place on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2024 from 6pm, click [here](#) to register.

## **Plato's Cave: Thinking about Climate Change**

In *The Republic*, Plato explores the predicament of the Cave: a passive citizen body, a conniving and self-interested set of sophistic opinion-formers and demagogic political leaders, a systematically misleading and damaging order of political structures and common beliefs and appetites.

Does this have lessons for tackling climate change? In clinging to our current way of life and its fossil-fuel infrastructure, are we trapping ourselves in a modern version of Plato's Cave—and if so, how might we escape?

This will take place on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2024 from 6pm, click [here](#) to register.

## **How a student changed her study habits by setting goals and managing time | Yana Savitsky | TEDxLFHS**

You never know how much time you really have until you start to use it. Are you as efficient and productive as you can be? High school junior Yana Savitsky shares how the Pomodoro method changed the way she thinks and acts towards her work, allowing her to make the most of her time and achieve her goals.

Click [here](#) to view.



# A SPOTLIGHT

ON...

## Web Design

Web designers create appealing, user-friendly websites. They may meet with clients to understand the customer's needs and project. Web designers research the industry, understand the audience, and stay on top of market trends to ensure that designs match up with user expectations, offering an appropriate experience for website visitors. Web designers ensure the websites they create offer an intuitive user experience which is easy to navigate and accessible to users with different needs. They must understand human-computer interaction principles and keep on top of technological developments and users' changing expectations to design websites with a user-friendly interface.

### What skills do I need?

As a web designer, you'll need attention to detail, to be able to work as a team, critical thinking skills, interpersonal communication, project management skills and time management skills. When it comes to technical skills, you'll need cross-browser compatibility knowledge, design tools proficiency, graphic design skills, HTML/CSS proficiency, knowledge of UX principles, mobile responsiveness techniques, typography knowledge and more.

### Pay and Opportunities

Web designers can expect to earn between £18,000 and £40,000 per year, depending on experience, qualifications and seniority. Many web designers are employed for agencies, either providing services to many clients across a range of industries or specialising in particular areas. Web designers also operate on a freelance basis.

### Entry routes and training

Web designers often hold degrees. Increasingly, apprenticeships provide a route into web design straight from school or college. Relevant degree programmes include Computer Science, Digital Media Development and Web Design & Development. By taking an apprenticeship, you will train on the job, working towards relevant qualifications appropriate to the apprenticeship. Programmes include Creative Digital Design Professional or Digital User Experience Professional.

### Where are vacancies advertised?

Vacancies are advertised on national and global jobs boards, sites like LinkedIn, industry websites such as Digital Marketing Jobs and Dice, and on the Government's Find a Job service.



# UNIVERSITY INFORMATION



## University of Sheffield Online Taster Sessions

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Link</u>
Biosciences: Animal reproduction and conservation	Tuesday 21st May 4pm - 5:35pm	Click <a href="#">here</a>
English Literature: The many loves of Jane Eyre	Wednesday 22nd May 3:50pm - 5:15pm	Click <a href="#">here</a>
Education: Children and Digital Cultures: explorations through student filmmaking	Thursday 23rd May 4pm - 5:15pm	Click <a href="#">here</a>
History: An Introduction to the British Transatlantic Slave Trade, 1640 - 1807	Thursday 23rd May 3:50pm - 5:15pm	Click <a href="#">here</a>

## Discover Teesside Residentials

Designed for students in Year 12, the Teesside University residentials are a great opportunity to find out what it's like to live and study at university. As part of this fully funded residential, you can learn more about a subject that interests you, access facilities you would use as a student and experience what a university campus has to offer.

There are various dates and subjects available, click [here](#) for more information.

## Clearing in Five Easy Steps with the University of East Anglia

Even if you're not planning to use Clearing, it's a good idea to be prepared for all eventualities. UEA are running a webinar to cover everything you need to know about Clearing - including the chance to listen in on a mock call - so you'll know just what to expect when the big day arrives.

You'll also hear from a current student who went through Clearing themselves. It will be a friendly, welcoming session where you can post questions, or just watch and listen! Parents or carers are also welcome to join if you'd like them to.

This will take place on 18<sup>th</sup> July from 6pm - 6:45pm - click [here](#) for more information.

## Subject Spotlights with Springpod

Want to try a university course before you apply? Subject Spotlights at Springpod are around 30 minutes in length and involve a short activity that you can get your teeth into. This is your chance to experience real life lecture and seminar experiences in the subject(s) that you may be considering studying at university. You'll get to see expert academics at work as they deliver their subject specialisms with vast amounts of knowledge, enthusiasm, and expertise. There are many subjects available - check the next page for information.



# Subject Spotlights

OPPORTUNITIES

UNIVERSITIES

**Pharmacy**



UCL

[More Info](#)

**Engineering**



CCCU

[More Info](#)

**Law**



Anglia Ruskin University

[More Info](#)

**Finance**



Anglia Ruskin University

[More Info](#)

**Marine Biology**



University of Portsmouth

[More Info](#)

**Computer Science**



University of Law

[More Info](#)

**German**



UCL

[More Info](#)

**English Literature**



University of Surrey

[More Info](#)

**Sports Science**



University of Sunderland

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**Criminology**



University of Law

[More Info](#)

**Marketing**



Bangor University

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**Clinical Sciences**



University of Bradford

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**Primary Education**



Liverpool Hope University

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**Medicine**



University of Sunderland

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**Geography**



University of Leicester

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