



# CAREERS & PROGRESSION NEWSLETTER



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16<sup>th</sup> June 2025

## THIS ISSUE

Welcome to another edition of the Careers Newsletter!

This week, we have local and virtual work experience opportunities, and apprenticeship information with, North East Lincs Council, West Yorkshire Trading Standards, Canal & River Trust and Quartzelec. We have a spotlight on Insurance and Pensions, and have plenty of masterclasses with Gresham College, Bayes Business School, the University of Law and the University of East Anglia. Lastly, we have university information from the University of Sunderland, University of Essex, University of Glasgow, University of Exeter and University of East Anglia.

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Many thanks,

The Careers Team

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## CENTRE FOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

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### This is Hull

This is Hull is taking place on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> June and is for ALL 1<sup>st</sup> year students! If you didn't book a coach, one has been assigned to you. Please be aware that you must get on the coach you selected – there will be a register for each coach, so you won't be able to get on a different one.

If you don't have parental consent, you have been sent an email with a consent form on it. Please print this off, have your parent or guardian complete it and return it to reception as soon as possible. We will need to get verbal consent from parents/guardians if this is not done.

You will receive a food voucher on the day to spend at one of the many food outlets at the university!

## Alivio & Esperança (Relief & Hope) - student fundraising campaign

Current Franklin student, Matias, has developed a project in his home country of Angola. The project is called Alivio & Esperança (Relief & Hope) and initially involved Matias when he was on home visits, using his own money to buy food and then his mum cooked 86 meals which they handed out to the community. Matias has continued with this project whilst he studies and works in the UK, he is now trying to promote the project so that he can make another donation for Christmas.

If you are able to donate at all, please click this link for the GoFundMe.



### **Everybody Loves Sunshine Festival - FREE tickets!**

Big news...Leading culture organisation The Culture House is inviting YOU to attend a fantastic summer music festival for FREE this August.

Everybody Loves the Sunshine will introduce you to some amazing live artists and a great line up a DJs.

Find out more here:

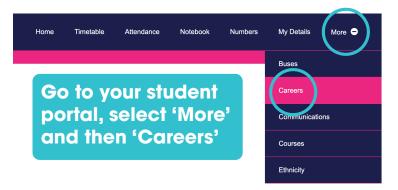
www.everybodylovesthesunshine.co.uk

To claim your 2 x free tickets - simply follow this secret link:

www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/665624549947/?discount=MUSICLOVER

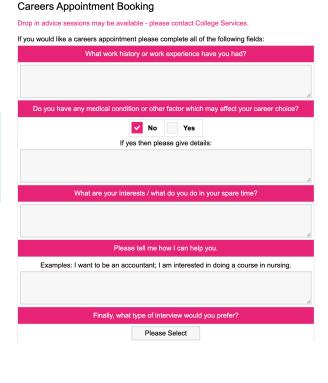
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## Careers Appointment





Fill in the information on the Careers **Appointment Booking page** 





### 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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-- Select Time --

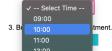
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You will receive a confirmation email and an appointment will be created in your Outlook Calendar. If College has your mobile number you will also receive a reminder text on the morning of your appointment.

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

## WORK EXPERIENCE

## **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.

## **Volunteer It Yourself Work Experience Opportunities**

VIY is a social enterprise who help young people learn trade skills whilst renovating community spaces. They offer work experience opportunities challenging young people to learn construction trade skills and boost their employability skills, whilst helping to transform local community spaces that are in need of essential improvements. You'll be mentored on site by professional trades people and have the chance to achieve an Entry level 3 City and Guilds skills trade accreditation.

The next projects are w/c 16<sup>th</sup> June and w/c 23<sup>rd</sup> June at Meridale Youth and Community Centre, Mablethorpe.

Click here for more information.

## **Leisure Assistant at Cleethorpes Leisure Centre**

Lincs Inspire are looking for a friendly and motivated individual to join their team at Cleethorpes Leisure Centre. As a Leisure Assistant, you'll play a key role in helping people enjoy a safe and positive experience at the centre — whether that's supporting lifeguarding duties, helping customers, or maintaining high cleanliness standards. A great opportunity if you're passionate about fitness, sport or community wellbeing!

Click <u>here</u> to apply.

## <u>Digital Business Consultancy Work Experience - Early Careers with CACI</u>

This virtual work experience programme will introduce you to CACI, a technology consultancy that provides solutions and expertise to clients all across the globe. CACI help businesses thrive where talent, data and technology converge. 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 <u>here</u> to register.



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## **APPRENTICESHIPS**

## West Yorkshire Trading Standards Degree Apprentice

West Yorkshire Trading Standards are offering a fantastic opportunity to kickstart a career in consumer protection with a Level 6 Trading Standards Professional Apprenticeship. You'll gain hands-on experience investigating complaints, supporting enforcement projects and working with partner agencies like the police and HMRC, all while working toward a nationally recognised qualification. The role starts in October and closes for applications on 23rd June.

Click here for more information.

## Social Work Degree Apprenticeship with North East Lincolnshire Council

The NELC Social Work Apprenticeship is a 3-year programme which with successful completion you will obtain a BA (Hons) Social Work Degree starting in September 2025. You will be an employee of North East Lincolnshire Council in the role of a Social Work Apprentice, based in the Children's Services social work teams and completing placements within NELC social care services. If you are thinking about going into Social Work but don't want to go to university, why not apply?

Click here for more information.

## **Apprentice Surveyor - Canal & River Trust**

Join the Canal & River Trust's Business Boating Team with a Level 6 Chartered Surveyor apprenticeship, starting in **September 2025**. Based in Birmingham, Leeds, or Newark, you'll support on-site estate management, property inspections, valuations, and business development across the waterways. This five-year programme combines full-time work (37 hrs/week) with study through the University College of Estate Management—leading to a BSc Hons in Real Estate Management and RICS chartered status.

Click here for more information.

## 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. Machine shop activities, balancing & mechanical fitting. These are all areas in which you will gain experience and find your place.

Click <u>here</u> for more information.



**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.

WEDNESDAY 23RD JULY

Taught by industry professionals, students will experience:

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

To register please email outreach@catchuk.org

## MASTERCLASSES

## Real World Lecture: Can brands really create influence, or is it all luck?

Join the University of Law for an interactive session on social media marketing delivered by the University of Law Business School. Together we will dive into an examination of what makes a video go viral on platforms like TikTok or YouTube and evaluate the different types of social media influencers. Both areas fall within an ever-growing and ever-changing landscape of social media management, content creation, and brand building and therefore essential for businesses across countless of industries. We will discuss brand success stories but also highlight what are the consequences of strategies going wrong and the impact for those brands.

This will take place on Wednesday 18th June - click here for more information.

## **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 indemand fields in business today. Guided by real Airbnb data, you'll see how data visualisation, machine learning, and Al 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 30<sup>th</sup> June – click <u>here</u> 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.

## Health/Social Sciences: Racism In The NHS with the University of East Anglia

In this session, Cat Playfair from the School of Health Sciences at University of East Anglia will run an interactive talk for students on Racism in the NHS. This session will take a critical approach to discussing racism in the NHS. Evidence shows that racism has a significant impact on health. Studies have shown that racism contributes to anxiety, depression, and numerous physical illnesses including cardiovascular and gastrointestinal diseases.

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## A SPOTLIGHT

### **Insurance & Pensions**

Feeling flush today? Awesome! But let's not forget about tomorrow. Start a career in insurance and pensions and help others plan for their future, too!

### What is insurance and pensions?

Insurance is all about protecting your favourite stuff – like your car, home or even a celeb's iconic legs! If things go south, insurance helps you bounce back financially. Pensions are your retirement money goals. You and your employer stash some cash into a fund while you work, so when you retire, you can chill with regular income. Both insurance and pensions are about smart money management for the long haul. Insurance companies often do both, investing your pension cash and covering you when life throws curveballs.

## What jobs can I do?

- Asset Manager: Asset managers are the money wizards. They invest your insurance premiums
  and pension funds to make that cash grow. Basically, they're all about making smart moves
  with your money.
  - Claims Inspector: Claims inspectors are like detectives for insurance claims. They dig into accidents, check records, and make sure people aren't pulling a fast one when they cash in a claim.
- Insurance Broker: Insurance brokers are your go-to experts for finding the best insurance deals.
   They know how to read the small print and make sure you're getting the coverage you actually need.
- **Pension Scheme Manager:** Pension scheme managers handle the company's pension funds. They develop policies, advise on investments, and ensure there's enough cash when employees retire. They've got your back for the future!
- Underwriter: Underwriters are the gatekeepers of insurance applications. They decide who gets
  coverage based on the risk factor and set the terms of your policy. No risk, no reward!

## What are the top skills?

- Attention-to-detail: Catching small mistakes to avoid bigger issues later.
- Communication: Explaining complex policies and negotiating deals clearly.
  - Logical thinking: Analysing data and situations to find the best solutions.
- Numerical skills: Using data for smart financial decisions in areas like asset management.
- Problem-solving: Creative thinking to handle challenges such as claims or insurance plans.

## How do I start a career in insurance and pensions?

- Can I do an apprenticeship? You can start with a level 2 apprenticeship, such as accounts or finance assistant, and progress to a level 6 financial services professional.
- **Is uni an option?** Yes! A degree in finance, economics, or business management is great for roles like actuary or asset manager.
- **How can I stand out?** Join challenges like the UK Maths Challenge or solve logic puzzles to boost your skills and make your CV stand out.



## **UNDERGRADUATE**

## **OPEN DAYS 2025**

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

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## UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

## Leadership and Vulnerability in Criminal Justice Webinar with the University of Sunderland

Vulnerability in the criminal justice system has become a topic of concern in recent years. Whether we work with victims of crime, those accused of crime, or those who work on the frontline, we should be mindful of the factors that can influence an individual's engagement in the process. Policy plays a key role in assessing and mitigating vulnerability but can also work to exacerbate disadvantage for some. This is your opportunity to:

- Gain a deeper understanding of how vulnerability is conceptualised in justice and policing contexts
- Consider leadership strategies for addressing vulnerability ethically and effectively
  - Gain an insight into postgraduate study in leadership and justice

This will take place on Thursday 19th June - click here to register.

## <u>Business Taster with the University of Essex: Is Equality being cancelled? Inside the Fight for Fair Workplaces</u>

What does a fair workplace look like, and who decides? This webinar dives into the growing debate around Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion (EDI) in the UK. With Reform UK party calling for the removal of EDI roles in the public sector, and Apple voting to protect its EDI workforce, the clash between politics and business is heating up. We'll break down what these changes mean for future jobs, who gets hired, and how inclusive our workplaces will be.

This will take place on Tuesday 24th June - click here to register.

## <u>right4me Mathematics – Insights Into University Modules & The Learning Experience With</u> <u>University of Glasgow & University of East Anglia</u>

Join this interactive session with the University of Glasgow and the University of East Anglia as they delve into the academic content of their Mathematics and Statistics degrees. You'll gain insight into what it's like to study these subjects at university, explore real modules, and hear about the teaching and learning experience from both institutions. A great opportunity to see where a maths-related degree could take you!

This will take place on Tuesday 24th June - click here to register.

## 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 30<sup>th</sup> June – click here to register.

























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