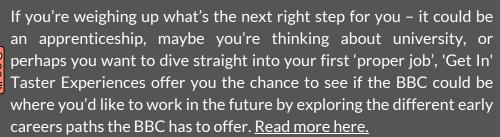


## CAREERS NEWSLETTER

This newsletter is a collation of all the opportunities we have heard about from employers and universities. Please use the links included to read more information and apply to anything you are interested in. Links are underlined.

RSM is a leading audit, tax and consulting adviser to the middle market, globally. With nearly 5,000 people operating from 30 locations across the UK, we have a culture of understanding what it means to deliver value, and to value what we do. Our school leaver programmes are designed to challenge, encourage and reward from day one. We support our trainees at every stage, providing them with comprehensive training, hands on experience, access to industry experts and all the resources they'll need to unlock a future packed with opportunities. Read more here.



UCAS have created a series of guides that are loaded with information to help you understand what's next - decisions, next steps and figuring it out. These are our road maps to navigating student life. You can check them out here and filter them to the topic that interests you.

Welcome to the "Not Going to Uni Podcast," where we explore the extraordinary journeys of apprentices who have chosen alternative career routes over traditional university paths. Join us as we dive into inspiring stories of individuals who apprenticeships and other non-traditional avenues to success.

Kickstart Your Career in the Creative Industries. Browse thousands of internships, bootcamps, events, training schemes, courses & more using the ERIC app.

If you have any questions or need support, please email Amanda.Birch@woodgreenacademy.co.uk

#### **JOB OF THE WEEK**



This week's video focuses on the job role of a Web Designer.

They are responsible for creating the design & layout of a website or web pages. Unlike web developers, who specialise in creating new websites' structures & the code that forms these, web designers tend to focus on the visual aspects of a site. Watch the video to learn more.

#### LABOUR MARKET **INFORMATION FACT**

UCAS, with the Sutton Trust, release a flagship report into apprenticeships seeking to understand the barriers and choices made in the decisionmaking of would-be apprentices. Three in five (61%) former applicants did not pursue an apprenticeship because they could not find one in their preferred location. Source











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### **OPPORTUNITIES**

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. Read more here.

Want to start your journey with one of the biggest names in the hospitality industry? Learn from the experts at wagamama in this exciting programme. At wagamama, 'fresh' isn't an adjective reserved for the food - it's a way of life. Are you passionate? Energetic? Can you go from strength to strength? Discover how to master it all through interactive content, videos, and activities skillfully crafted with the help of industry experts. Read more here.

In this very topical Subject Spotlight, Dr Anne-Marie Greenslade presents; Does law shape society, or does society shape the law? The LGBT+ Community and law through time. If you're interested in Law or LGBT+ rights, this could be an interesting spotlight for you. Read more here.

Join Richard Badge as he introduces Biological Sciences at the University of Leicester within the overarching concept that the biological sciences are changing. He looks closely at biology's big data, considering how computers are integral to biology, identifies what a genome is and looks at the journey from genetics to epigenetics. Read more here.

Join Iyi Ogiehor as he explores the dynamic world of modern banking and finance. He begins by introducing you to what banking and finance actually are, why it is important to study them together, and the current trends shaping modern banking and finance. You will investigate decentralised finance and what it involves, to understand how it is shaking up the future of banking and finance as we know it! Read more here.

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### **EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT**

"To reach net zero by 2050, we're acting now. And we need bright talent, fresh ideas, and people who want to make a difference to help power the change. Sound like you? Get your career off to a brilliant start with one of our SSE Early Careers Programmes. You'll gain a solid grounding in the energy industry and develop valuable skills in a friendly, supportive working environment." You can read more about SSE's careers <u>here</u>.

#### **UNI SPOTLIGHT**

"Aberystwyth University, on the west coast of Wales, is your place to study, explore and grow. Aberystwyth really is an excellent choice.

Since 1872, we've built a global reputation for teaching excellence and ground-breaking research."

You can read more about Aberystwyth University courses <u>here</u>.





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### **DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY ASSOCIATION**

#### **DESIGNED FOR LIFE - SERIES OF PODCASTS**

Out Now and already searchable on all major podcast platforms.

A new series of podcasts, searchable under the banner of **Designed for Life**. A series of stories, chats and casual conversations with inspiring and groundbreaking creative people brought to you by the Design and Technology Association in association with The Edge Foundation. They discuss their lives, what they are trying to achieve and the fantastic and creative things they are doing with technology. It's not all about success, it's also what they have learned from failure.

Some of the clips from the podcasts will be directly usable in the classroom for students. The series of podcasts' aim is to bring the worlds of education and industry closer together, an initiative that the D&T Association is currently working very hard to achieve.

#### **Podcasts now Live**

Jay Blades - Designer and presenter of the BBC's The Repair Shop Michael Omotosho - Industrial Designer

#### Coming soon:

We have a number of exciting, and inspirational guests lined up in this series, including:

Brian Oppenheim - We meet Brian Oppenheim one of Her Majesties lead inspectors, a former teacher and head of design and technology and currently an experienced lead inspector with responsibility for the subject.

Dids Macdonald and Anne Sampson - We talk with Dids Macdonald OBE Co-founder and Chief Executive of ACID (Anti-copying in Design). At the time of recording, Dids was also Master of The Furniture Makers Company, the City of London livery company and charity for the furniture industry. We were joined in the conversation by Anne Sampson, who was the outgoing Educational Events and Campaigns Manager.

Look out in the news section for these podcasts, to be released soon.

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