



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.

NHS WEX OPPORTUNITY

STUDENTS IN YEARS 10-13 ARE INVITED TO TAKE PART IN THE UPCOMING SESSION ON SUNDAY 3RD NOVEMBER, 8:30AM - 5PM, FOCUSING ON ROAD TRAFFIC COLLISION (RTC).

THE NHS VIRTUAL ALLIED HEALTHCARE WORK EXPERIENCE OFFERS A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY FOR ASPIRING HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS. IT'S A RARE OCCASION FOR STUDENTS TO HEAR FROM AN EXCEPTIONAL HEALTHCARE GUEST SPEAKER WITH A WEALTH OF KNOWLEDGE AND INSIGHTS TO SHARE.

OUR GUEST SPEAKER WILL PROVIDE INVALUABLE GUIDANCE TO HELP THESE FUTURE PROFESSIONALS EMBARK ON THEIR DREAM HEALTHCARE CAREERS. FOLLOWING THIS, STUDENTS WILL GAIN AN INTIMATE LOOK AT THE HEALTHCARE INDUSTRY IN THE LIVE VIRTUAL WORK EXPERIENCE, DELVING INTO DIVERSE ROLES WITHIN ALLIED HEALTHCARE AND TAKING A CLOSER LOOK AT PATIENT CARE BY FOLLOWING THE JOURNEYS OF TWO PATIENTS FROM INCIDENT THROUGH TO TREATMENT.

THE NHS ALLIED HEALTHCARE WORK EXPERIENCE IS THE LARGEST PROGRAMME FOR ASPIRING HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS, HAVING SUCCESSFULLY INVITED OVER 12,000 STUDENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN ITS PROGRAMME LAST ACADEMIC YEAR - MANY OF WHICH HAVE GONE ON TO STUDY:

- NURSING
- MIDWIFERY
- PARAMEDICINE
- PHYSIOTHERAPY
- OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY
- DIETETICS
- RADIOGRAPHY
- PROSTHETICS AND ORTHOTICS
- SPEECH AND LANGUAGE THERAPY
- PHARMACY

ONCE REGISTERED, STUDENTS WILL RECEIVE ACCESS TO THEIR VIRTUAL WORK EXPERIENCE PORTALS. BETTER YET, EVERY COMPLETE SESSION COMES WITH A WORK EXPERIENCE CERTIFICATE, AND FOR THOSE WHO COMPLETE THE FULL 6-MONTH PROGRAMME, THERE'S A HIGHLY COMMENDED REFERENCE - A GOLDEN TICKET FOR THEIR APPRENTICESHIP AND UCAS APPLICATIONS.

REGISTRATION WILL START AT 8:30AM, WITH GUEST SPEAKER FROM 9-10AM, THEN THE LIVE WORK EXPERIENCE SESSION STARTS AT 10AM, WITH AN END AT 5PM. PLENTY OF BREAKS ARE SCHEDULED THROUGHOUT.

STUDENTS CAN REGISTER AT ANY TIME THROUGHOUT THE 6-MONTH PROGRAMME USING THE LINK BELOW. WE RECOMMEND BOOKING EARLY TO GAIN AS MUCH OUT OF THIS PROGRAMME AS POSSIBLE.

PLACES ARE £10 A SESSION TO COVER ADMINISTRATIVE AND TECHNOLOGICAL COSTS, OR £50 FOR THE FULL 6 MONTHS:

[HTTPS://ALLIEDHEALTHMENTOR.ORG/NHS-HEALTHCARE-CAREERS-VIRTUAL-WORK-EXPERIENCE/](https://alliedhealthmentor.org/nhs-healthcare-careers-virtual-work-experience/)

JOB OF THE WEEK



Aerospace Engineer

They design, develop, and test aerospace technology, such as aircraft, spacecraft, drones, rockets, missiles, and satellites. They work in a growing field that covers a broad range of disciplines, including aeronautical and astronautical engineering. Watch the video to learn more about working hours, salary and qualifications needed.

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

From the Space Organisations reporting a skills gap in their current workforce, **72% have a gap in software & data skills**, significantly higher than any other technical area. This is partly driven by a need for skills in AI & machine learning (41%) and data analysis & modelling (36%).

Source

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OPPORTUNITIES



StudentStream brings together video content featuring vital advice, help and expert knowledge from universities and colleges across the UK. Simply use the search function in the top right of the homepage to find the videos that are suitable for you, or select Pre Uni, At Uni, or Post Uni to find a number of different categories to help inform, motivate and inspire you.



UK University Search have a range of events across the UK and online which aim to connect you with universities, employers and helpful organisations to plan your future. At each of their events, they have a traditional careers fair as well as workshops running throughout the day on a range of helpful topics.



Another place to find upcoming careers fairs and events is the UCAS events page. At a UCAS event, you can talk to unis, colleges, employers and apprenticeship providers to compare all your options side-by-side.



Are you thinking of applying to Oxbridge or a competitive Russell Group course? If so, be prepared to sit an admissions test as part of the application process! This article from the BetterUniChoices gives a helpful overview and advice regarding Admissions Tests; it covers the universities and courses that require testing and of what the tests consist, including UCAT (Medicine), LNAT (Law), TMUA (Maths) and ESAT (Engineering and Science).



Springpod have launched new Subject Spotlights and 'Try before you Apply' events which aim to help you pick what you want to study at university. Here is an introductory presentation to help you understand the benefits. You can access them through the UCAS website or Springpod website. If you have no idea what Springpod is, this step by step guide will help.



Did you know there are loads of careers out there centred around video games? Dive into the world of Competitive Gaming (Esports), during an insightful Industry Spotlight with British Esports Community Manager, Emma "Emzii" Rose.

EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT

"Ignite your career journey with an unforgettable experience at Airbus! We believe that learning happens with hands-on experience, and guidance from the industry's best. That's why we have built a series of programmes for students leaving school, taking time out to gain some industry experience, or graduating from university!"
Read more about Airbus careers.

UNI SPOTLIGHT

"Studying at Bath means joining our multicultural community on a vibrant, friendly campus in a historic city. We're a university that's well placed to help you succeed, wherever you're from. We're ranked highly for overall performance, student satisfaction, and graduate employment." Read more about The University of Bath Courses here.

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