

CAREERS & PROGRESSION NEWSLETTER

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THIS ISSUE

22nd April 2025

Welcome to another edition of the Careers Newsletter!

We hope you had a great half term. This week, we have local and virtual work experience opportunities, and apprenticeship information with Wilkin Chapman, WSP UK, University of Nottingham and Colas Rail. We have a spotlight on Recruitment & HR and have plenty of masterclasses available with Unifrog, the University of Lincoln and Gresham College, and university information from the University of Hull, Nottingham Trent University, the University of Sheffield and University of Bradford..

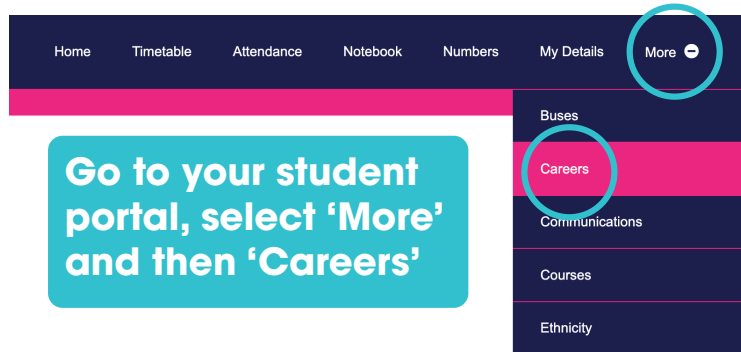
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Many thanks,

The Careers Team

#SEEYOURFUTURE

How to book a Careers Appointment



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:

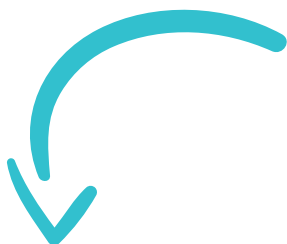
What are your interests / what do you do in your spare time?

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).

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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.

Book Appointment

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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WORK

EXPERIENCE

Environment A Level Intern with North East Lincolnshire Council

North East Lincolnshire Council's Environment Department is currently looking to take on an enthusiastic and committed Intern over the summer. The work carried out as part of this internship will help provide the council with further understanding of changes to national policy and how this will impact our borough. The work will also provide a better understanding of how we can improve environmental practice in our area. This information will help inform the council to make our borough a more nature rich place.

The role will also provide a great insight to Ecological and Environmental work and would be valuable experience for anyone, who is currently studying their A-Levels, and looking to study or have a career in Geography, Biology, Ecology or Environmental Science.

Click [here](#) for more information.

2025 Research Placements & Experience Programme with Destination STEM

Destination STEM placements give you the chance to gain real-life workplace experience in the STEM sector while you develop your research skills and industry knowledge. Choose from either a five-day experience or a two-week placement, depending on your needs. Research Placements and Experiences help your university applications stand out from the crowd and give you an edge in future employment opportunities.

The deadline to apply is 30th April 2025 – click [here](#) for more information.

Part Time Summer Team Member at The Grosvenor, Cleethorpes

As a Part Time Summer Team Member at the Grosvenor, you will become a master of all trades. You'll offer a warm welcome and excellent service in their restaurants and with support and training, you'll be able to help out in the kitchen and on the bar too! You'll be greeting and serving guests, maintaining high standards of cleanliness and safety, supporting the kitchen and working to create a friendly atmosphere.

Click [here](#) for more information.

Explore Sustainable Careers in Forestry: Virtual Experience

Are you ready to step into the exciting world of forestry? This virtual work experience with the Institute of Chartered Foresters gives you the chance to explore a diverse range of careers in one of the most vital sectors of the future. From planting trees to managing woodlands, you'll uncover the essential practices that keep our forests healthy and thriving. Get ready for hands-on activities, insider insights from industry experts, and the opportunity to start building your career today in this dynamic, eco-driven industry.

Click [here](#) to register.



APPRENTICESHIPS

Wilkin Chapman Paralegal Apprenticeship Scheme

Looking to start a career in law and eager to get hands-on experience but don't want to go to university? The Wilkin Chapman Paralegal Apprenticeship Scheme could be the perfect opportunity for you. As an apprentice, you'll have the chance to earn while you learn, gaining valuable experience and skills as you work alongside our experienced professionals in a real-life legal environment with the leading law firm in Lincolnshire and East Yorkshire.

After successfully completing the programme, you'll gain a recognised qualification and be ready to move into a paralegal role within the business, with the potential to continue your studies to become a qualified chartered legal executive or solicitor.

Click [here](#) for more information.

Building Services Degree Apprenticeship with WSP UK Limited, Manchester

As a Building Services Engineering Advanced Apprentice in WSP UK's Building Services, Public Health team in Manchester no day will ever look the same. You will assist in the development of designs and production of drawings through different phases of building services design, and support with mechanical and electrical calculations. Their team have over 20 years' experience in buildings services engineering (Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing) for healthcare facilities and have designed some of the most complex healthcare systems in the world, providing the best indoor atmosphere to maximise comfort for patients and staff.

Click [here](#) for more information.

Cyber Security Degree Apprentice with the University of Nottingham

As a Cyber Security Apprentice, you will gain experience of monitoring and detecting potential security threats and escalating as necessary. You will also support secure and uninterrupted operations through the implementation of cyber security mechanisms and the application of cyber security procedures and controls.

Click [here](#) for more information.

Project Management Degree Apprenticeship with Colas Rail, Birmingham/London

As part of the role of an Assistant Project Manager (Project Management Degree Level Apprenticeship) you will get the opportunity to work on multidisciplinary and multi-million-pound projects or deliver parts of key contracts and their associated activities, from conception through to completion, delivering work that has real impact.

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

Managing your Wellbeing during Exams and Tests with Unifrog

Exams and tests are important for opening doors to your next steps, but you need to manage your wellbeing to get the best results. In this webinar, hear from the University of Lincoln and one of Unifrog's mental health champions about their top tips for managing exam and test stress, help you to find your best revision style, and signpost you to some useful resources for accessing support.

This will take place on Wednesday 7th May at 4:30pm. Sign up [here](#).

Business faster: Developing an Entrepreneurial Mindset with the University of Lincoln

Many successful entrepreneurs have faced business failures before achieving success. In this webinar with Dr Erin Peak from the University of Lincoln, you'll discover how to learn from failures and turn them into opportunities. An entrepreneurial mindset requires growth, reflection, and the resilience to see failure as a chance to improve. This mindset is valuable not just for entrepreneurs but for success in any field, including your studies and future career.

During the webinar you will learn about:

- How you can identify your strengths, weaknesses, and growth areas.
- The importance of reflection and how it can be used to set goals and track progress.
 - How to learn from setbacks and turn challenges into opportunities.
- Understanding key entrepreneurial competencies such as creativity, problem-solving, and adaptability.
- Take part in an interactive reflective activity to apply these skills in practice.

This will take place on Wednesday 30th April from 4:30pm – click [here](#) to register.

The Health Gap: Achieving Social Justice in Public Health with Gresham College

Reducing health inequalities is a matter of social justice. Strategies must address the social gradient in health, and efforts should extend beyond healthcare to address the conditions in which people are born, grow, live, work, and age. This lecture argues economic circumstances, while important, are not the sole drivers of health inequalities, and closing the health gap will take evidence-based action across the whole of society.

Click [here](#) to watch.



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,
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grimsby@[intouniversity.org](mailto:grimsby@intouniversity.org) to speak to a
member of staff and book a registration
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A SPOTLIGHT

ON...

Recruitment & HR

Are you great at spotting someone's skills and potential? Did you work out who Alan Sugar was going to hire from day one? Match up the right people and employers with a career in recruitment & HR.

What is recruitment and HR?

HR departments help businesses to advertise for jobs, interview and hire people. They also support people once they are at work with help and advice on their contracts and pay, sorting out training to help them improve in their jobs, making sure they know about health and safety and handling complaints and disputes if there is ever a problem. A recruitment agency works a little differently as they concentrate on the hiring part. Recruiters can find people with the right skills on behalf of a company but can also track down the right company on behalf of an individual.

What recruitment and HR jobs can I do?

There are plenty of jobs available in Recruitment & HR, including Employment Lawyers, Human Resources Managers and Officers, Occupational Psychologists, Recruitment Consultants and Training & Development Managers.

Is a career in Recruitment and HR for me?

HR roles are great if you enjoy working with people. You'll need to have good communication skills, as you will be dealing with employers and people looking for work. You'll sometimes have to manage complaints and disputes as well so being calm and diplomatic is important too.

You should also be organised as your job will require plenty of attention to detail, from checking CVs and references to setting up interviews and making sure that your office is sticking to all the health and safety rules.

How can I start a career in recruitment and HR?

There are lots of graduate jobs available in HR and recruitment, but you can get started with an entry-level job in HR as an assistant or administrator. You'll need at least four or five GCSEs, good computer skills as well as some experience working in an office. You might also be able to study for your level 3 certificate or diploma in human resources practice on the job through your employer.

At A-level you should think about taking a business subject or an NVQ in business and administration, but maths, English or psychology are also good choices.

You can study any subject at degree but there are specialist degrees available in HR management as well. Lawyers and psychologists both need post graduate degrees in their subjects

UNIVERSITY INFORMATION



The University of Hull Open Day

Join Hull for an Open Day this year, and discover what it's really like to study at Hull! Everything you need is on one green and leafy campus. So you can tour their facilities and visit their accommodation, chat to lecturers and students, and get answers to all your UCAS application, student finance and support questions all in one day.

Plus, take their city tour and explore Hull's hidden gems while you're there, like the Old Town, The Marina, Humber Street, and The Avenues: their buzzing student quarter.

The next open day is Saturday 12th July 2025 – click [here](#) for more information.

Experience Architecture with Nottingham Trent University

During this taster day you'll get the opportunity to experience what it's like to study three accredited courses at NTU: Architecture, Interior Architecture & Design and Architectural Technology.

You'll have the chance to meet some of the architecture teaching staff and students at NTU and experience the studio & modelmaking workshops, as well as seeing the other facilities at their city campus.

This will take place on Wednesday 14th May, with the deadline to apply Tuesday 6th May. Click [here](#) for more information.

French Taster Session: Understanding Gender and Society in the French-Speaking World with the University of Sheffield

What role did women play in the Declaration of the Rights of Man? Why were French suffragettes less radical than their British counterparts? How has French president Emmanuel Macron stirred up a historical debate about reproduction and national strength? To what extent did the Paris Olympic and Paralympic Games achieve their stated aim of gender parity? Explore these questions and find out more about gender relations in the francophone world during an online taster session with the University of Sheffield. The session will be interactive and led by Dr Sophie Maddison, convenor of the second-year module 'Understanding Gender and Society in France and the Francophone World'.

Click [here](#) to register.

Why HE? Why University? Student Life with the University of Bradford

Is University for you? Why should you consider going to University? This webinar will give you an insight into exactly what it's like to go to University and the benefits it can bring you. Current students will share their experiences with you and answer any questions you may have.

This will take place on Tuesday 29th April from 6pm – click [here](#) to register.

