VIRTUAL WORK EXPERIENCE BULLETIN 18th January 2021

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Bringing the World of Work to you

*** NEW 11.01.21 ***

Health Careers LIVE, Allied Health Professionals

NHS

Tuesday 26th January @ 10:00am

Health Careers LIVE are live streamed events that broadcast to thousands across the UK wanting to find out more about the different job roles within the NHS.

This live broadcast will feature day in the life videos and interviews with Michelle Offen, Clinical Lead Occupational Therapist & Ailie Rodgers, Senior Respiratory Physiotherapist.

https://learnliveuk.com/health-careers-live-allied-healthprofessionals/

*** NEW 11.01.21 ***

Royal Air Force International Women's Day Webinar - Meet our Ambassadors

8th March 10am to 1pm

Industry: Military

Department(s): Training Operations, Sport, Personnel, Operations, Management, Logistics, Legal, IT, IT/Cyber Security, IT Support, Information & Analysis, Human Resources, Engineering, Communications, Administration

Closing Date: 05/03/2021

The RAF is seeking to build a workforce fit for the future through Project Astra – Our journey to the Next Generation Royal Air Force to meet the challenges of our shared future.

As part of Celebrating International Women's Day 2021's campaign theme: #ChooseToChallenge

We challenge you to join our Royal Air Force Ambassadors for an insight into their successes in the RAF. We have a fabulous panel of inspiring guest speakers who would like to share their story and help inspire the next Generation Royal Air Force.

Interested in hearing some inspiring stories from some of our RAF Female Ambassadors ? Join us to find out more about opportunities in the Royal Air Force?

*** NEW 11.01.21 ***

The NDEC Women in Cyber Virtual Work Experience Day

8th March 10am to 2pm

Duration 1 Day/s

Industry: STEM; Information Services

Department(s): IT/Cyber Security

Closing Date: 17/02/2021

The National Digital Exploitation Centre (NDEC) is a joint initiative by the Welsh Government, tech company Thales, and the University of South Wales, to support digital growth across Wales. It does this by providing expertise in cyber security, project space and support, and research and development opportunities, along with education and training to help people into the industry, or to grow their personal cyber skills.

Currently, only 31% of the cyber security workforce in the UK are women, so for International Women's Day, the NDEC will virtually open its doors to show female students what it is like to work in the sector in an effort to inspire them to consider a future in cyber!

This is experience is aimed at female students in Wales aged 14+ however, it is open to application to female students across the whole of the UK.





Island conservation: protecting global biodiversity

15 Feb 2021 18:00 - 19:30

Offshore islands are some of the most important sites on the planet for conservation, hosting an estimated 15-20% of all known mammal, bird, amphibian and plant species.

With speakers from ZSL, the South Georgia Heritage Trust and the RSPB, we'll highlight the threats to island biodiversity. Revealing how conservation science is put into practice to help protect biodiversity on remote islands in the UK Overseas Territories, we'll discuss the ways in which conservationists and practitioners can become involved with this increasingly important field.

This interactive online event will be livestreamed to our YouTube channel, which can be found here: <u>zsl.org/loZYouTube</u>. We will also share a direct link to the livestream nearer the event.

There will be the opportunity for questions from the audience during the event.

https://www.zsl.org/science/whats-on/island-conservation-protecting-global-biodiversity

*** NEW 11.01.21 ***

HSBC Work Experience (Not Virtual)

June, July August 2021

We are reaching out to you to make you aware of our Work Experience placements for 2021 at HSBC. These opportunities are live and students can apply via our Work Experience page.

The Work Experience programme at HSBC UK offers a five-day shadowing experience to student.

We have over 500 Work Experience opportunities nationwide, all of which will be available through June, July and August 2021.

The closing date for applications is the 21st February 2021, however we do offer these on a rolling basis and do reserve the right to close some adverts early if we fill all our spaces. Places are limited so we recommend students apply as early as possible to avoid disappointment.

https://www.hsbc.com/careers/students-and-graduates/student-opportunities/uk-workexperience-programme

RAPP Insight Day

23rd February 2021 4pm to 6.30pm

Duration 1 Day/s Industry: Marketing, Communications, PR Department(s):Technology, Marketing & PR, Digital Media & Publishing, Digital & Online, Analysis, Advertising Sales & Marketing Closing Date: 22/01/2021

We are RAPP, an award winning creative agency that works with some of the world's best brands from Virgin Media and BBC through to Samsung, Mercedes-Benz, Ralph Lauren and IKEA.

We create advertising and marketing that uses data and technology to allow these brands to treat millions of customers as individuals. That includes everything from digital advertising for Ford (which we do across Europe) through to social and influencer campaigns for BBC Sport or TV adverts for PayPal.

What makes us special is the ability to use data, science and marketing automation to do what we do at massive scale, adapting our advertising to meet the needs on each customer. In fact, we even know how to change our advertising based not just on what you looked at or bought online, but on your personality and what will appeal to you at a subconscious level!

Our Insight Day is designed to introduce you to our world. You'll hear from some of our amazingly talented individuals from all areas of the agency; from Client Leadership and Project Management, to Creative, Strategy, Marketing Science and New Business and Marketing.

You'll hear about what a typical day in the life of involves and some hints and tips about how you can kick start a career in advertising and marketing.

Law Virtual Work Experience

15th to 26th February 2021

You do not need to be available full time during those dates, but you do need to be able to complete 10 hours worth of activity over the two weeks.

During this free two week virtual work experience programme you will meet a range of industry professionals from various legal areas of Law who will give you an overview of their experiences, both qualifying and within the industry, with opportunities for Q&A.

You will learn about some of the key roles and responsibilities of Law practitioners throughout this programme, including legal research, advocacy & client communication, contractual interpretation and legal analysis & drafting. The programme will also include a vital pathways module, which will direct you on what to do next, how to apply, and what institutions you should be considering for your further study. There will also be a range of quizzes and meaningful activities to spark your interest in Law as an industry, and give you a further insight into what it really means to work in the field.

The virtual work experience programme involves around 10 hours of activity. You can complete the work over 2 weeks, meaning you can fit it around your schedule (whether that be school or college). There are live webinars to get involved in, but if you're unable to attend these you can watch recordings on-demand.

During this two week programme you will cover the following areas:

- Introduction to Law as an industry
- Legal Research including what legal research is, the purpose of legal research, the types of Legal Research and an overview of the legal research process.
- Advocacy & Client Communication including why client communication is so important, tools for effective client communication, why becoming a good advocate is so important, tools for effective advocacy, best practices, communication security & ethics and considering the whole client journey.
- **Contractual Interpretation** including the main principles of contractual interpretation, orders of precedence or priority clauses and condition precedents.
- Legal Analysis & Drafting including what legal analysis & drafting is, why legal drafting is important, what the role is of legal language in law and examples of pleading.

The deadline for applications is February 1st

https://www.springpod.co.uk/law-virtual-work-experience/

Journalism Virtual Work Experience

15th to 26th February 2021

You do not need to be available full time between those dates, but you do need to be able to complete 10 hours worth of activity over the two weeks.

During this free two-week virtual work experience programme, you'll take an in-depth look at print, broadcast and photojournalism as well as a variety of roles within the industry. You'll meet professionals working in many of these areas and roles in webinars, which will give you a chance to ask them your questions. Finally, you'll complete work and assignments to get an understanding of what life in the journalism industry is like.

The virtual work experience programme involves around 10 hours of activity. You can complete the work over 2 weeks meaning you can fit it around your schedule, whether that be school or college. There are live workshops, but don't worry if you're unable to attend – you can watch recordings on-demand.

During this two week programme you'll cover the following areas:

- The journalism industry: Its core values, career opportunities, and its place in modern culture
- Print journalism: Newspapers, magazines and the roles within an editorial team
- Broadcast journalism: TV, radio, typical job roles, and the UK's broadcast media providers
- Photojournalism: What it is, how to get into it, and what makes a great photograph
- News copy editing, news production, and presenting
- Tips for getting started in the industry: From pitching yourself to building a portfolio of your work.

The deadline for applications is February 1st 2021.

https://www.springpod.co.uk/journalism-virtual-work-experience/

Finance

Virtual Work Experience

15th to 26th February 2021

You do not need to be available full time between those dates, but you do need to be able to complete 10 hours worth of activity over the two weeks.

During this free two-week virtual work experience programme you'll learn about a range of financial services sectors including accountancy, banking and insurance. You'll meet, and have the chance to question and interact with, professionals from each of these key sectors. You'll learn about the day-to-day lives of these professionals as well as the pathways they took to their current roles. Finally, you'll complete work and assignments which will help you gain a broad understanding of the finance industry

The virtual work experience programme involves around 10 hours of activity. You can complete the work over 2 weeks, meaning you can fit it around your schedule – whether that be school or college. There are live workshops, but don't worry if you're unable to attend these – you can watch recordings on-demand.

During this two week programme you'll cover the following areas:

- An overview of the UK's financial industry
- Accountancy: its theory and the associated ethics and laws
- The UK tax system
- Banking, including investment banking, auditing, trading, security and fraud
- Insurance: you'll learn what's involved in broking, claims handling, and surveying
- Financial advice, including investment, mortgage and pensions advice

What you need to do to get your first job in the industry. Do you need to go to university? Can you do an apprenticeship? We're confident that this session will give you a clear idea of how to get into Finance.

Closing date 1st February.

https://www.springpod.co.uk/finance-virtual-work-experience/

Somerset NHS Foundation Trust - Virtual Nursing Insight Day

25th February 2021

Duration 1 Day/s

Industry: Health

Department(s): Health

Closing Date: 11/02/2021

Join Somerset NHS Foundation Trust on the 25th February between 12:30-15:30 to find out more about different careers in nursing and working in the NHS.

Throughout the session you will have the opportunity to;

- · Discover different nursing roles available
- · Learn about the routes that you can take to become a nurse
- \cdot Consider the skills needed to follow a career in this sector

As well as this, you will get the chance to meet nurses working first-hand across the trust to hear their stories.

If you want to learn more about nursing or had never considered this as a career but would like to learn more, this session would be great for you.

East West Railway Company - Building a New Railway

6th to 9th April 2021

Duration 4 Day/s

Industry: Construction

Department(s): Transport, Technology, Operations, Engineering, Development, Design, Customer Services, Communications, Commercial, Business

Closing Date: 28/02/2021

Join us for a week's work experience and get involved in one of the UK's most important infrastructure projects, East West Rail. Help us design and implement this new direct rail connection linking the communities between Oxford and Cambridge that are well-known for their vibrant economy, educational excellence and scientific innovation. Set up two years ago to accelerate the delivery of the project, we aim to innovate, positively disrupt, and challenge the status-quo.

If you are interested in Technology, Engineering, Planning, Business Studies, Design and/or Customer Services this is the work experience for you. You will be given an insight into how a large infrastructure project works and the variety of roles that make up the industry. You will work with experts from across our organisation to get a feel for all the skills that are needed to bring a new railway to life.

You will work virtually in small teams with other students and will be supported as you gain experience of our core business functions including Engineering, Programme Controls, Delivery, Strategy, Customer Services, Communications and Human Resources.

Royal Air Force Careers Insight - Access All Areas

5th March 2021

Duration 1 Day/s

Industry: Military

Department(s): Operations, Logistics, IT/Cyber Security, Information & Analysis, Human Resources, Engineering, Communications, Administration

Closing Date: 05/02/2021

Interested in finding out more about opportunities in the Royal Air Force?

"With over 50 professional roles to choose from the RAF gives you opportunities you won't find in any other career."

The RAF Currently has 23 apprenticeship roles to choose from that come with RAF Apprenticeships rated Outstanding by OFSTED. They range from a diverse range of careers including Aviation Operations, Engineering, Cyber, Force Protection, Medical, Logistics, Hospitality & Catering.

The RAF performs a wide range of duties to serve and protect the UK and the world. We provide all personnel with a varied range of training, education, activities and sports to make sure you are ready for anything.

Or perhaps your thinking about University? Then find out more about our sponsorship and bursary opportunities we have on offer for our graduate entry roles.

Marsh & McLennan Companies 2-Day Work Experience

Marsh & McLennan Companies

15th to 16th February 2021

Minimum Age 17

Duration 2 Day/s

Industry: Professional Services

Department(s): Insurance, Business

Closing Date: 08/02/2021

Finished your A-levels or in your final year at Sixth Form? If you are curious about Apprenticeships, interested in learning more about insurance broking, risk management and reinsurance, then we would like to invite you to attend our 2-day Work Experience.

Who we are?

Marsh & McLennan is the world's leading professional services firm in the areas of risk, strategy and people.

Social Impact Market Research - Virtual Work Experience

Humankind Research

24th February 2021

Duration 1 Day/s

Industry: Research

Department(s): Analysis

Closing Date: 24/02/2021

Are you interested in people and why they think, feel and act in the way they do? Ever wondered what that means for the decisions that businesses, charities and governments make? At Humankind Research we spend our time understanding people in order to help organisations develop products, communications and programmes for positive change. Our work covers a huge range of topics, from exploring peoples` attitudes and behaviours related to the environment in the UK to understanding girls` relationship to sport and physical activity around the world. We do this for a range of clients from Nike and Unilever to the NHS and Oxfam.

On this virtual work experience you will have an introduction to what market research is, understand how a typical project runs and what it involves, and explore some examples of how we approach research problems. You will even have an opportunity to try out some interview techniques to get to the heart of an issue and go beyond what people say to what they really mean.

IT Careers Insight - Circle IT

17th February 2021

Duration 1 Day/s Industry: IT Department(s): Workshop, Operations, Learning, IT, IT Support, Customer Support, Account Management Closing Date: 03/02/2021

This is an introduction to careers in IT.

We will tell you a bit about us and what we do and plan some interactive tasks for the group to get involved and fully immersed in a career in IT.

We will have some guests from the company, some information and some fun.

If you want to meet some industry professionals and learn bit about if a career in IT is for you this is a great workshop.

https://www.s4snextgen.org/schools/opportunitiesv2/ViewOpportunity/id/1062

*** NEW on 04.01.21 ***

<u>Create and market content for a fashion brand</u> <u>Virtual Work Experience - Born To Stand Out London</u> <u>15th to 17th February</u>

Duration 3 Day/s Industry: Fashion Department(s): Marketing & PR Closing Date: 07/02/2021

Born To Stand Out London is a fashion brand that unites fashion and empowerment, Through a strong message and unique designs. It is an award-winning startup so you'll get insights into how to set up a fashion brand if that interests you.

You will be asked to manage social media for Born To Stand Out London as well as create content that will feature on various platforms. Each day will be linked to a guest speaker who will be an expert in social media management, content creation or marketing. This will help get your creative juices flowing and give you the knowledge to complete the tasks to the best of your ability.

Start Your Road To Success Amey 15th to 17th February 2021

Duration 3 Day/s Industry: Engineering Department(s): Research, Production, Operations, Management, Human Resources, Finance, Environmental, Engineering, Education, Development, Design, Community Engagement Closing Date 22/01/2021

Amey are an organisation with a long history and a bright future. For over 100 years we have been working to make life better for the people of Britain. If you've had a hot shower, taken a train, driven in a car or had your rubbish collected today it's pretty likely our teams were a part of it.

As part of Amey's work experience programme you will be learning more about how we work with our clients and partners to keep transport networks running. Working as part of a team you'll deliver a hands on project designed to show you what it's like to work in an industry that brings together diverse people and skills for the benefit of society.

The programme will be interactive and fun– including a variety of quizzes, presentations and career-based skills workshops and is delivered via Google Classrooms, keeping you and your personal data safe.

The Man Group Infrastructure Insight Day

Man Group

16th February 2021

Duration : 1 day

Industry:Banking & Finance

Department(s):Banking & Investments

Closing Date: 26/01/2021

The Man Group Infrastructure Insight Day will run from 10.30-3.30 and aims to inform students about the variety of career opportunities that can be pursued within an Investment Management firm.

We are hoping to de-mystify the notion that the industry can only be accessed by individuals who are looking to become Investment Managers, and introduce other departments, such as HR, Legal and Finance, that offer career opportunities roles for talent from all kinds of backgrounds.

Students will learn what a hedge fund is, and get an overview of Man Group and the firm's Infrastructure teams. Light will be shed on what it is like to work within different department and offer advice on job applications.

BRINGING CONSTRUCTION TO YOU!

Robertson

1st to 3rd March 2021

Duration 3 Day/s

Industry: Construction

Department(s): Digital & Online, Development, Design, Architecture

Closing Date: 12/02/2021

Robertson are delighted to offer a virtual work placement opportunity. Your virtual work placement will give you the opportunity to connect with the construction industry. You will gain an introduction to our industry, our organisation and careers within it, as well as recognising and developing the skills you will need for the world of work. Over three sessions, you will carry out our work based challengedesign a new construction project. You will learn how to research, plan and design, as well as identifying the roles needed for your project. Throughout your placement you will meet members of Team Robertson who will share their knowledge and expertise to support your mini project.

Virtual Work Experience with a leading Construction/Engineering/Infrastructure/Design Company

BMJV

15th to 19th February 2021

Duration 5 Day/s

Industry: Construction

Department(s): Environmental, Engineering, Design, Community Engagement

Closing Date: 05/02/2021

Morgan Sindall Infrastructure and partners work on the M27 Junction 4 to 11 Smart Motorway Upgrade on behalf of Highways England.

Smart motorways use innovative technology to manage traffic, ensuring that the motorist's journey time is more reliable. Using variable speed limits, overhead signs and CCTV, smart motorways help to tackle congestion, while supporting the local economy.

This work experience opportunity will enable you to understand more about working in the sector, while opening your eyes to a number of different career paths you may not have known even existed. Through spending time with different departments and functions, you will learn about how they each play a part in completing the project. Over the course of a week you'll then prepare your own project, which you will present to us at the end of the week.

There will be opportunities to speak to apprentices as well as people at different stages of their career, and find out more about their journey to the role they are in.

Departments you will speak with include: engineering, design, digital engineering, technology, health and safety, environment, procurement, project management, technology and traffic management.

Tourism Insight Day with VisitBritain/VisitEngland

VisitBritain/VisitEngland

19th February 2021

Duration 1 Day/s

Industry: Tourism

Department(s): Press & Marketing, PR/Press, Mixed, Marketing & PR, Leisure, Events management/ Hospitality, Digital & Online, Corporate, Communications, Business

Closing Date: 19/01/2021

This is an exciting opportunity to gain insight into working for the national tourist board.

Tourism is currently worth £127 billion to Britain's economy and as Britain's seventh largest export industry, inbound tourism's economic contribution is currently valued at £26.2 billion.

VisitBritain/VisitEngland are non-departmental public bodies, funded by the Department for Digital, Culture, Media & Sport (DCMS). The organisation plays a unique role in building England's tourism product through raising Britain's profile worldwide, increasing the volume and value of tourism exports, growing the UK's valuable business events sector and developing England and Britain's visitor economy.

Working with a wide range of partners in both the UK and overseas, our mission is to make tourism one of the most successful and productive sectors for the UK economy.

The VisitBritain/VisitEngland insight day has been created to provide students with a view into the world of tourism. Throughout the day the team will share what they do and will also give those taking part the opportunity to get involved in a group challenge.

Construction Management

Morgan Sindall Construction

15th to 19th February 2021

Duration 5 Day/s

Industry: Construction

Department(s): Engineering, Design, Creative, Community Engagement, Communications, Architecture, Analysis

Closing Date: 29/01/2021

We are looking for individuals who can work as part of a team to deliver a project brief to design, programme and cost a sustainable construction project.

You will work in virtual offices. There will be several meetings each day. You will work as part of a team and each of you will take a job role to deliver the project.

•Get a project brief

•Virtually meet job role experts

- •Virtual Site Tour
- •CV & Interview Techniques workshop
- •On the Friday afternoon you will as a team present back your project

•This is a full week, 9.30am – 5pm (Mon – Fri)

NextGen Nurse - Meet the people behind the masks: South East England

<u>NHS</u>

22nd March 2020

Duration 1 Day/s

Industry: Health

Department(s): Health

Closing Date: 01/03/2021

Find out about a career where you can make a difference, work in different roles around the world with a competitive starting salary and earning potential and a huge choice and opportunity for personal and professional growth.

We are the NHS, and we help save and improve people's lives. We are needed now more than ever.

We have many different roles in nursing, and we want to show you what a career in nursing can offer and introduce you to the faces behind the masks.

Come and meet us.

There are lots of different skills suited to the variety of roles within nursing; from science, technology and innovation to leadership, management and collaboration.

It's exciting, rewarding and, yes, it's challenging. But it's a career that lets you make a real difference to people's lives.

Join us for a Virtual Insight Day in South East England to hear from nurses working across a range of disciplines, find out more about the profession, the key skills needed and how you can start to develop them.

If you haven't considered nursing before, you might be surprised.

Vodafone's Innovators Virtual Work Experience

15th February 2021 and the 19th February 2021

15 hours of activity with 3 hours of work each day

Join Vodafone for a week-long virtual work experience programme where you'll design your own Internet of Things connected device, whilst learning about key business areas! You'll hear from inspirational Vodafone leaders and learn what it takes to launch a brand new digital product, developing key skills across a variety of domains.

During the week you will attend a series of live webinars, panel discussions, learning content, and team workshops. You'll work on developing a new Vodafone product whilst learning about the variety of business areas involved in the process across Technology, Digital, Marketing and Consumer. You'll also access workshops to develop essential employability skills and careers awareness to set you up for success.

To apply for this programme be in Year 12.

Closing date: February 1st 2021

https://app.springpod.co.uk/springpod-opportunity/96864

Devan`s House - Property Services

Morgan Sindall Property Services Ltd

15th to 19th February 2021

Duration 5 Day/s 9:30am – 3:30pm (Mon – Fri) Industry: Property Department(s): Facilities <u>Closing Date: 22/01/2021</u>

We are looking for enthusiastic students who are keen to work as part of a team to design, plan and create a space for a person with disabilities and mobility issues

Key skills/requirements:

- Team worker with a "can do" attitude
- Good communication skills
- Basic knowledge of Microsoft
- Confident when working alone
- Ability to work remotely from home

• Must have access to a laptop or tablet with microphone, speakers and video enabled

Internet

What does the week involve?

- · Working virtually attending various meetings each day
- This is an exciting opportunity to work as part of a team with role responsibilities to deliver a well-planned project.
- Learn how to understand a project brief.
- Meet professionals virtually to help plan, design and implement the project
- Learn top tips about CV writing & Interview Techniques in a workshop environment
- Present your presentation to a panel of industry experts

Construction Management Virtual Work Experience -Future Leaders Wanted!

Willmot Dixon Construction Joint Venture

15th to 19th February 2021

Duration 5 Day/s

Industry: Construction

Department(s): Building Management

Closing Date: 31/01/2021

This opportunity is being delivered by four National construction companies, Amey, Balfour Beatty, Wates and Willmott Dixon.

Are you looking for a career in management?

Do you think construction is a dirty, low paid profession? This Construction Management Careers Virtual Work Experience introduces you to management careers in construction.

- develop your employability skills
- work with other participants on a group project
- learn how to pitch, and present your project Dragon's Den style by the end of the week
- live and pre-recorded sessions provide insight into construction
- engage with our people and hear about their career journey
- receive top tips from our recruitment team to improve your CV and interview skills
- make and deliver a short presentation about yourself

We are looking for our future leaders. Come along and see if that's you!

Skanska UK Insight taster day

18th February 2021 10am to 2pm

Duration 1 Day/s

Industry: Travel & Transport

Department(s): Community Engagement

Closing Date: 18/02/2021

Would you like to know more about the changing face of the Construction and Engineering Industry?

Skanska UK are leading international Construction and Railway Experts in the industry and would like to share what they've learnt and continue to learn over the decades of experience of delivering successful project work.

Infrastructure Projects (IP) central is the national infrastructure delivery division within Skanska UK, we work with Network Rail and are responsible for all major infrastructure delivery works. This means that we make sure everything is ready for HS2 trains to be built and run from Euston Station in London all the way to Birmingham.

From Ethical and Social Sustainability, to apprenticeships and large-scale Railway projects; join us and get an insight into one of the broad facets of this ever-growing industry.

Your Army - a compelling live-hosted video presentation about the Army – Virtual Insight Day

16^{th or} 17th February 2021

Duration 1 Day/s

Industry: Defence

Department(s): Youth Engagement

Closing Date: 16/02/2021

Every year thousands of young people join the Army. For some it's a way of doing a paid apprenticeship and leaving after 4 or 5 years with a free driving licence and new set of skills and qualifications and the confidence to start a career in a new sector. For others, they love the feeling of belonging the Army gives you so much they decide to stay with it and develop their skills as a leader in a full Army career.

But what is the Army? What does it do, and how does it work? What skills and activities does it offer. What is life as a soldier like? And how does the Army contribute to society?

Join our Your Army session, and you'll find out. This live hosted events has a mix of cool videos and visuals with which we talk you through all aspects of the Army's role in Britain and around the world. There will be live question and answer session with some young soldiers who took the chance of joining the Army a few years ago, and they'll give you their honest opinions. There will be some banter and laughs. And perhaps a discussion about some of the attributes and skills we build in our people through some of the best training in the world, such as confidence, resilience, and STEM skills.

This is a very general presentation, which you'll find informative even if you have no interest in joining.

However if you enjoy it, look out for some of the others sessions we`ll be offering on this site.

https://www.s4snextgen.org/schools/opportunitiesv2/ViewOpportunity/id/962

Santander - Skills overview and interview practice workshop

16th February 2021, 10-11am

***Please look at all Santander opportunities with Speakers for Schools – I have not listed them all but a variety of dates and sessions available. ***

Duration 1 Day/s

Industry: Banking & Finance

Department(s): Banking & Investments

Closing Date: 25/01/2021

Want to know more about the world of work and the career paths available to you after you finish school? Do you need a trusted interactive resource to be able to find out more about how to become an entrepreneur? Are you looking for good and bad example of CV's and example activities used in assessment centres? Finally, would you like to be able to talk to a colleague at Santander or attend a practice assessment centre...?

Workwise is coming soon to you, where you will find all the above and more to help guide you through to your next steps whatever they might be! Here at Santander one of our behaviours is showing support and during the pandemic we know it has been difficult for you to be able to get the work experience or face-to-face time with companies to help you shape your future.

This is the first in our series of workshops where you will get the chance to talk to a colleague at Santander about key skills, how to prepare for a virtual interview and assessment centre, and ask our graduates & apprentices questions.

In this one hour workshop at 10am you will:

- Understand how large organisations are structured and operate
- Know what skills and qualifications you need to get into a particular area
- Learn how taxes, national insurance, pensions and holidays work within a company
- See what becoming an entrepreneur looks like and how entrepreneurial you are
- How to write a cv and prepare for a virtual interview and assessment centre
- Attend a live virtual assessment centre
- Have the chance to ask our Graduates and Apprentices any questions you have

Virtual Insight Evening with Top International Law Firm ReedSmith LLP

16th March 2021

Duration 2 hours 1600hrs to 1800hrs

Industry: Legal

Department(s): Legal, Business

Closing Date: <u>12/02/2021</u>

Top international law firm Reed Smith LLP is pleased to announce that we are looking for students to join us for our Insight Evening on 16th of March 2021.

This virtual event will be held for 2 hours (16:00 - 18:00) and is designed to give students an insight into life at a top law firm.

The event will consist of a series of sessions, including an introduction to law and our firm, panel discussions with experienced lawyers and business staff and practical careers advice for young people who want to kick start their career in the industry.

We are looking for bright, enthusiastic, open minded individuals who are keen to gain insight and experience at a law firm in the City.

Spaces for this opportunity are limited.

NEW 7th Dec

Marketing Virtual Work Experience

15th to 19th February 2021

Chartered Institute of Marketing

The Chartered Institute of Marketing (CIM) are the world's leading professional marketing body with over 30,000 members worldwide. Join them on the 15th February for a 1 week Virtual Work Experience programme to discover all that you need to know about a career in marketing. You'll cover a complete range of marketing skills that will open doors for your future career search.

The programme involves around 10 hours of activity. There are live workshops but if you're unable to attend these live then recordings will be added which you can watch on-demand.

The programme will take place between 15th and 19th February 2021. You do not need to be available full time during those dates but you do need to be able to complete 10 hours worth of activity over the two weeks.

Applications will close on February 5th 2021.

https://www.springpod.co.uk/marketing-virtual-workexperience/

***NEW 7th Dec ***

Nestlé Employability Skills Programme

15th to 19th February 2021

Nestlé are one of the world's biggest food and drink manufacturers. They have more than 2000 brands ranging from global icons to local favourites, and are present in 187 countries worldwide.

In February 2021 Nestlé's Academy are running their first employability skills programme and you're invited to apply for it.

The Nestlé Academy offers you the chance to develop your skills and gain experience in a vibrant global business.

During this one week employability skills programme you'll meet members of their team, learn about core areas of their business and complete activities and assignments. There are live virtual workshops as part of the programme but if you're unable to attend these live recordings will be made available. Once you complete the programme you will receive a certificate.

The programme will run from the 15th until the 19th of February. There will be around 10 hours of activity that you can fit around your schedule.

What you'll cover:

- Welcome to Nestlé
- The world of work
- Project management
- Data analytics
- Communication
- Digital Skills
- Getting workplace ready
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Applications will close on February 1st 2021

https://www.springpod.co.uk/nestle-employability-skills-programme/

***NEW 7th Dec ***

Teaching Virtual Work Experience

15th to 19th February 2021

During this free two week virtual work experience programme you will meet a range of teachers from different sectors who will give you an overview of their experiences, both qualifying and within the industry, with opportunities for Q&A.

You will learn about some of the key roles and responsibilities of a teacher throughout this programme, including planning, lesson delivery, grading & attainment and safeguarding. The programme will also include a vital pathways module, which will direct you on what to do next, how to apply, and what institutions you should be considering for your teaching qualification. There will also be a range of quizzes and meaningful activities to spark your interest in teaching, and give you a further insight into what it really means to become a qualified teacher.

The virtual work experience programme involves around 10 hours of activity. You can complete the work over 2 weeks, meaning you can fit it around your schedule (whether that be school or college). There are live webinars to get involved in, but if you're unable to attend these you can watch recordings on-demand.

The programme will take place between 15th and 19th February 2021 You do not need to be available full time during those dates, but you do need to be able to complete 10 hours worth of activity over the two weeks.

The deadline for applications is 1st February 2021

https://www.springpod.co.uk/teaching-virtual-work-experience/

NEW 30th Nov

Work Experience Week – Nursing - NHS

15th to 19 February 2021 – Half Term

Duration 5 Day/s

Industry Health

Closing Date 25/01/2021

During the Virtual Work Experience you will take part in a range of sessions, meet nurses working across the different branches of nursing and in different roles, and gain knowledge of skills needed to start a career in nursing and other fields. You will take part in interactives sessions, talks and tasks, and have lots of opportunities to ask questions.

You will find out about different areas of nursing (adult nursing, children's nursing, learning disability nursing, and mental health nursing) and some of the different roles available; how you can get into nursing, and what you can do now to get the skills you need to apply. You'll get to meet a variety of nurses and hear their stories and advice, including how they have developed their career, the impact Covid-19 has had on them and their role, and what they love (and hate) about being a nurse.

You will need to have internet and computer access for the duration of the week. Somewhere quiet to work from 9am – 3pm, Monday to Friday. Lunch and breaks will be taken during the day to be arranged during the work experience. We'll send you a full schedule the week before. The work experience is delivered using Google Classrooms that meets all GDPR and Safeguarding requirements. You will need to join each session every day

Nursing Virtual Work Experience – Surrey

<u>NHS</u>

Surrey Heartlands Health and Care partnership are running a 2 week Nursing Virtual Work Experience. The programme aims to give students in Year 10, 11, 12 and 13 an overview of what a career in nursing can offer.

During the programme you'll meet NHS professionals and have the opportunity to ask them questions and learn about their day to day work.

You'll learn about different areas of nursing and you'll complete work and assignments. If you complete the full programme you'll receive a certificate.

The World of NHS	A career in Nursing	Mental Health Nursing
Adult Nursing	Children's Nursing	Learning Disability Nursing
Midwifery	Communication skills in nursing	How to become a nurse

Getting career ready

The programme is spread over two weeks in February. There is around 10 hours of activity which you can fit around other obligations that you have.

The nursing work experience programme will begin on the <u>15th February and finish on the 26th of</u> <u>February.</u> Students in years 10, 11, 12 or 13 who live in Surrey who have predicted or actual GCSE grade 6 in Maths, English and Science are welcome to apply.

Deadline for applications is January 22nd 2021

https://app.springpod.co.uk/springpod-opportunity/92010



Medicine Virtual Work Experience – Surrey

<u>NHS</u>

Surrey Heartlands Health and Care partnership are running a 2 week Medicine Virtual Work Experience. The programme aims to give students in Year 11 and Year 12 an overview of what a career in medicine can offer. During the programme you'll meet NHS medical professionals, you'll be able to ask them questions and learn about their day to day work. You'll learn about different areas of medicine and you'll complete work and assignments. If you complete the full programme you'll receive a certificate.

The World of NHS	A career in Medicine	General Practitioners (GP)	
Surgery	Medicine	Psychiatry	
Oncology	Cardiology	Clinical Teaching Fellows	
Pathology	Orthopaedics	Paediatrics or Anaesthetics	Careers

There is around 10 hours of activity which you can fit around other obligations that you have.

The medicine work experience programme will begin <u>on 8th February and finish on the 19th of</u> <u>February.</u> Students in years 11 or 12 who live in Surrey who have predicted or actual GCSE grade 6 in Maths, English and Science are welcome to apply.

Deadline for applications is January 22nd 2021.

https://app.springpod.co.uk/springpod-opportunity/92009

Allied Health Professional Virtual Work Experience – Surrey

<u>NHS</u>

During the programme you'll meet NHS professionals and have the opportunity to ask them questions and learn about their day to day work.

You'll learn about different areas of the allied health professions and you'll complete work and assignments

The Allied Health Professional Virtual Work Experience will begin<u>on 15th February and finish on the</u> <u>26th of Feb</u>

<u>ruary.</u>

- Students in years 10, 11, 12 or 13 who live in Surrey who have predicted or actual GCSE grade 6 in Maths, English and Science are welcome to apply.
- There is around 10 hours of activity which you can fit around other obligations that you have.
- Deadline for applications is <u>January 22nd 2021</u>

https://www.springpod.co.uk/opportunities/allied-health-professional-virtual-work-experiencesurrey/

Meet the people behind the masks: South East England <u>NHS</u>

Find out about a career where you can make a difference, work in different roles around the world with a competitive starting salary and earning potential and a huge choice and opportunity for personal and professional growth.

We have many different roles in nursing, and we want to show you what a career in nursing can offer and introduce you to the faces behind the masks.

Join us for a Virtual Insight Day in South East England to hear from nurses working across a range of disciplines, find out more about the profession, the key skills needed and how you can start to develop them. **3 dates available – see below.**

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