



# Careers Bulletin

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2021**

**The Careers Department is open daily from 8.30am to 4pm. We are always happy to see students. To book an appointment please come in person to the office in the LRC. The Careers Bulletin will be emailed to all students weekly, so please look out for it as it includes important information.**



## **Degree Taster Sessions**

**Engineering  
with Plymouth University**

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**Drama  
with Queen Mary University**

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**Comparative Literature  
with Queen Mary  
University**

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**Geography and Environmental  
Science with Queen Mary University**

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## Virtual career sessions: Apprenticeships



Barclays - Online Talks

*Hosted from 10th Jan 2022*

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These events are an incredible chance for students to hear from leading industry professionals from a number of global companies over the course of a few evenings all of which are free to join! Limited places so register ASAP.

### **Accounting & Professional Services**

Date: Tuesday 7th December - 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Employers Involved: PwC, Grant Thornton, Mazars & CIMA

Registration Link: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/Accounting-Professional-Services>

### **Careers in Engineering**

Date: Wednesday 8th December - 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Employers Involved: Spectris, Equans, Siemens, Vodafone and specialist university NMITE

Registration Link: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/YP-Engineering>

## Females in Technology

Date: Friday 10th December - 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Employers Involved: Capgemini, Experian, Spectris, World Wide Technology & VMware

Registration Link: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/Females-in-Technology>

For all the events each company will speak for 25 minutes, giving an insight into their business and a taster of what it's like working for the organisation through different workshops and interactive sessions. There will also be breakout rooms set up so that students can network and ask further questions to the employers involved at the respective events.

## LSBU Subject Conferences

These conferences allow students to **explore options for their next steps** which include academic taster sessions by current lecturers, campus tours and the chance to meet Student Ambassadors. Click the links below to view event information



Human Behaviour: Applied Sciences  
27/1

The World of Tomorrow: Engineering 8/2



Care for a Generation: Health & Social Care  
24/2



Sustainability: Built Environment &  
Architecture 1/3



Global Responsibility: Law & Social  
Sciences 3/3

The Digital World: Business 17/3



SCREEN AND  
FILM SCHOOL

Brighton

We have three events happening this December before the holiday break.

**First - our final Open Day of 2021 is on Sat 11th December from 11:00am until 14:00pm.**

If you have not yet visited us in person, this is your last chance to do so before the new year! Sign up at the following

link: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/screen-and-film-school-brighton-undergraduate-open-day-tickets-164338349427>

Next, we have a **virtual Meet the Students Event at 6pm on Weds 15th December!**

This is an excellent opportunity to ask both current and former students about all things Brighton, student life, film projects, accommodation, and more!

Please sign up at the following link: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/meet-the-students-screen-and-film-school-brighton-tickets-219840146797>

And finally, you can join us for a **Virtual Open Evening at 6pm on Tues 21st December!** We'll be talking about all three of our campuses on Zoom - and you can sign up to join us here: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/online-screen-and-film-school-undergraduate-open-evening-tickets-215684306567>



## **Insight to Mace Group - Engineering and Construction**

**9th December from 5:00pm - 6:00pm**

Thinking about a career in construction?

Engineering events like this don't come around too often so if this is a career path you're considering this is something you won't want to miss!

Mace Group Ltd, commonly known as Mace, is a global consultancy and construction firm headquartered in London, United Kingdom, employing approximately 5,000 people, across five continents with a turnover in excess of £2 billion.

Mace are involved in some of the most impressive building projects around the UK and the world and offer a variety of fantastic apprenticeship and graduate schemes.

We will be hearing from the Deputy Chairman who will share insights into his background, career journey from growing up in the midlands to where he is now as Deputy Chairman and sharing experiences from his early career to date which has contributed to his success. Mark will finish by giving his advice on what he looks for in top talent.

We will also hear from a panel of current apprentices and graduates from within the company who will discuss what life is like within the firm and what the process of securing a position in the firm was like.

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### **Registration Link:**

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/Mace-Group>



### **Part Time Sports Coach – Surrey Based**

**£10.00 - £15.00 per hour (dependent on experience)**

Ultimate Coaching Ltd is a progressive organisation that specialises in 5 - 11 sports development and coaching. The organisation is committed to recruiting Sports Coaches that have an open mind and have a desire to support a range of projects in Education settings and Grassroots Clubs.

We provide the highest level of coaching to players to help them thrive and be the best they can be. Education is in our DNA.

We have the highest quality Coaches, so new team members have complete peace of mind that we will support their CPD and help further their prospects.

In order to help meet our objectives and our growth, we are looking for energetic and passionate Coaches, that are organised and can work towards a development plan. Coaches will also need to be comfortable working in school environments as well as taking junior teams for weekend games on Saturday mornings.

This would be ideal for new coaches looking to gain experience, or for Coaches looking to add hours to their weekly schedule. The successful applicant must be available midweek for 4 - 5 hours, and on Saturday mornings to support football club projects.

#### **Candidates should possess:**

- NGB equivalent Level 1 / Level 2 qualification
- Valid Safeguarding & Emergency Aid Certificates
- Valid DBS ( Preferably)
- Genuine passion for coaching
- Committed to improving and CPD
- Comfortable working in both school and grassroots environments

#### **We are looking for passionate coaches with the following;**

- Organised and understands the importance of planning
  - Good communication skills
  - Comfortable working alone and as part of a team
  - Ability to work in different environments
  - Ability to plan short term goals
- Session rates are dependent candidate's experience, qualifications and ability to lead sessions.

Candidates should email their CV and covering letter to [sylvia@ultimate-coaching.co.uk](mailto:sylvia@ultimate-coaching.co.uk)

## University of Law Real World Lectures

Our Real World Lectures take place just after school from 16.30 – 17.30 and are delivered live by our ULaw tutors. They are aimed at students currently in Years 12 and 13, to give greater depth to their current study and give an insight into studying at degree level.

### Tuesday 14 December

#### How do you Defend Reasonable Force?

Students will enhance their learning in Law topics including self-defence, reasonable force and malicious revenge. We will cover: what is self-defence and reasonable force; the subjective and objective tests; historic self-defence cases; can you defend your home from an intruder?

[Open Days and Events | University of Law](#)

[Book Here](#)

## Year 13

### Applying to UCAS ?

**Below is the college process for doing this. Year 13 tutors are the first point of call for checking applications and personal statements.**

1. Get your tutor to check your application including your personal statement. They will tell you if there are any mistakes/errors.
2. If everything is correct, your tutor will attach a reference, add your predicted grades (you need to get teachers to write these on your predicted grade sheet – you can get a sheet from the careers office) and tell you to pay for your application.
3. You should then come in person to the Careers office in the LRC to book an appointment with me (SWI) **DO NOT** pay for your application or try to book an appointment with me unless your tutor tells you to.

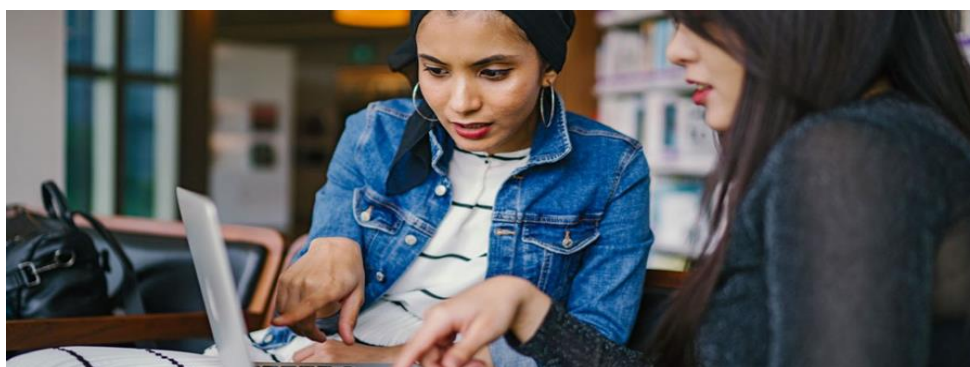


4. Either Helen Taylor or I will quickly check your application and if everything looks ok, will book you an appointment. You will be told if there are any mistakes/errors/missing information that you need to change/add.
5. When everything is correct, during your appointment with me, your application will be sent to UCAS.

### **Things to remember –**

1. Paying for your application (pay and send) does not send your application to UCAS. It comes to me and only I can send it on to UCAS. If you are experiencing financial hardship and think you may not be able to afford to apply see me.
2. We can only process applications that have been linked to us with the buzzword Woking22.

### **LSBU Webinar - Student Finance & Budgeting**



Who is Student Finance England? How do I repay my student loans? What scholarships and bursaries are available? How do I budget? Find out in this webinar led by one of our Outreach Team members.

[Student Finance and Budgeting | London South Bank University \(lsbu.ac.uk\)](https://lsbu.ac.uk)

### **Not going to University and looking for an apprenticeship ?**

#### **Think about the type of apprenticeship you want**

What job sector do you want to work in? Is there a specific role you want to do? Applying for an apprenticeship is like applying for a job – you want to do something you enjoy.



## **Think about what level of apprenticeship you want to do or what level you may need to do**

There is a difference between the length of time it takes to do different levels of apprenticeships for example. Most students complete either a Higher or Degree level apprenticeship after leaving college. However, some employers may require you to complete an Advanced apprenticeship first if you haven't studied a specific relevant subject. Do your research carefully.

## **Apply for more than one apprenticeship**

If you were applying for a job you would apply for a number of jobs you were interested in – the same applies for apprenticeships. Apprenticeships can be competitive so the more you apply for, the more chance you have of securing one.

## **Keep checking for vacancies and opportunities**

Companies advertise at different times. There is not a set time of the year when everyone advertises. If you don't find what you are looking for, keep searching.

## **Check start dates carefully**

Just like jobs, apprenticeships can start at any time – companies don't follow the academic year. Check the apprenticeships you are applying for start after you have finished college.

## **How to find apprenticeships**

Research individual companies by going to their websites

Register with recruitment sites like Indeed and Total Jobs

Register with the Government Apprenticeship Site

Go on UCAS – they have a dedicated section on apprenticeships and a vacancy finder

[www.notgoingtouni.co.uk](http://www.notgoingtouni.co.uk)

[www.careerpilot.org.uk](http://www.careerpilot.org.uk)

Look at the top 100 Apprenticeship employer list below for ideas

Read the weekly careers bulletin and look on the postings on the Careers teams

We are delighted to announce that the new **Top 100 Apprenticeship Employers & Top 50 Training Providers** for 2021-2022 are now live on [RateMyApprenticeship.co.uk](http://RateMyApprenticeship.co.uk).

Based on thousands of insightful reviews on [RateMyApprenticeship.co.uk](https://www.ratemyapprenticeship.co.uk), the tables reveal which companies are leading the way in offering world-class apprenticeships and training to school and college leavers in the UK.

Click below to see who made the cut.

[Top Apprenticeship Employers Guide 2021 / 22 | RateMyApprenticeship](#)

[VIEW TABLES ONLINE](#)

### **Solicitor Apprenticeship Opportunity**

The Farrer & Co Solicitor Apprenticeship is a 6 year level 7 programme. Students will gain an LLB (Hons) in Legal Practice and at the end of the programme will qualify as a solicitor. All tuition fees will be paid and students will earn a salary whilst training and gaining their qualification.

Students will combine on-the-job training with guided, independent study and skills coaching delivered by the University of Law (ULaw). Four days a week will be spent working in one of our teams and one day will be allocated to study. Students will work in our London office, and over the course of students time with the firm they will work in a variety of departments including Commercial, Contentious, Private Client, Property and Business Services.

### **Closing date for applications**

**Sunday 13 February 2022**

[Careers | Farrer & Co](#)

[Application Information](#)

# JUST DROPPED!

15 x 30-minute talks  
now available to  
watch on-demand



It's now been **one month** since we hosted our two-day Virtual Careers Event, featuring presentations, Q&A sessions and more from Top Employers such as **BDO**, **Vodafone** and **DLA Piper**.

With topics covering what it's *really* like to work as an apprentice, handy tips and tricks for applications from employers and the different types of apprenticeships students can apply for **right now**, you may be wondering how to get your hands on this information...

To make things easy, we've popped all these presentations in one handy blog, so you can watch the presentations at any time.

[Free Careers Advice from Top Employers | RateMyApprenticeship Blog](#)

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