

# Careers Bulletin

### **Monday 21st February 2022**

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.



Any Year 12 students who are considering applying for a Russell Group university can take part in two free **pre-event webinars**. Each webinar will be led by representatives from eight different member universities, and will provide you with vital information regarding applying and an insight into life at a Russell Group university.

Why study at a Russell Group University, a Student's Perspective Wednesday 20 April | 12:30

Why study at a Russell Group University, with RG Director of Policy Sarah Stevens

Monday 25 April | 16:30

Sign up for both events at Russell Group - April 2022 (vfairs.com)



**TS&W** are the UK's leading integrated wealth management and professional services group and offer Level 4 or Level 7 Apprenticeships (for after Year 13)

You can hear all about the programmes straight from TS&W trainees at one of our virtual insight events throughout March. Join us to learn how to enhance your CV and get ahead in your career!

Please register via the links below for one of our virtual events:

- Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March
- Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> March
- Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March
- Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> March

Each event will take place via zoom from 4:00-5:30pm and will be hosted by trainees at TS&W, who will be sharing their experiences and why they decided to take on the apprenticeship, rather than take the University route.



### Finding Your University - Wednesday 23 February, 6-7pm

Join students and staff from Goldsmiths, Reading, Southampton Solent, St Mary's and Suffolk universities at this online webinar for information and guidance about how to choose a subject, course and university. The session is designed for both Year 12 students researching their post-18 options, and Year 13 students who are preparing for applicant days and thinking about how to choose between the offers they have received.

Registration (gotowebinar.com)



### **DE:CONSTRUCT 'Our Changing Environment'**

A festival where participants explore a particular theme through art, science, the humanities, and popular culture.

This free festival for students in Year 12 will take place online from **Monday 28 – Thursday 31 March**. Session will run between 4.00pm and 7.15pm with each session lasting around 45 minutes.

Highlights of this year's festival include speakers from **London Zoo**, the **Victoria** and **Albert Museum** (V&A), **Reboot the Future**, and the **Science Museum**.

Bookings will be live from **Monday 14 February** but you can check out the exciting line up now Session details | Goldsmiths, University of London



#### Year 12 students -Opportunities in accountancy at BDO

School leavers at BDO can truly make an impact from day one - with early client exposure and the kind of complex, challenging problems that will really make the most of their skills. Our four-year School Leaver Programme is an exciting way for ambitious individuals to earn while they learn.

School leavers can join us in either Audit, Advisory, Tax or Business Services & Outsourcing departments (we call them 'streams') where they'll study for their professional qualifications. Within four years, they'll be a qualified accountant as

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#### Why BDO?

We're one of the UK's largest Accountancy and Business Advisory firms. We provide Audit, Advisory, Tax and Business Services & Outsourcing services to clients across the UK and the globe. When the most ambitious organisations need advice on accountancy and business, they turn to us. We provide the perfect platform for young people to jump start their career, discover the best use of their skills, and reach their potential.

**What's next?** Find the full details for all our streams and the minimum entry requirements by clicking <u>School leaver programme - BDO Early in career</u>

### **Royal Holloway Upcoming Open Days**

**Saturday 26 February & Sunday 20 March** - Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences.

**Sunday 27 February & Saturday 19 March -** Business, Management and Science.

Meet lecturers and current students, visit your academic departments, find out more about our accommodation and the support available to you, and explore our facilities at your own pace. These Open Days offer a full programme of talks from every department, campus tours, and enable you to get all your questions about Royal Holloway answered in real time.

Book here Open Days (royalholloway.ac.uk)



## Apprenticeships with Dyson - Study engineering, Work on real projects, Earn a salary.

Our undergraduates enjoy a unique student experience on our immersive BEng (Hons) Engineering degree apprenticeship. The Dyson Institute of Engineering and Technology is unlike any other higher education institution. It's for those with a passion for solving problems and a fascination for how things work; people who'd rather get hands-on with real engineering challenges.

During term-time, two days a week are dedicated to pursuing an academically rigorous engineering degree. With a year group of around 40, our undergraduates get to know their lecturers and peers while learning in bespoke lecture rooms and labs.

Three days a week our undergraduates will be part of the Global Engineering team, working alongside Dyson technology experts. With their guidance, undergraduates can apply what they learn to real projects and develop their professional skills.

Go to Form (integrate-events.com) to register for more details and virtual events

## <u>University of Leeds - Business Studies with Foundation Year information</u> session (online) – Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> March 6pm – 7.15pm

Business Studies with Foundation Year is designed for students who have the potential to study on a degree level course at The University of Leeds but don't meet the requirements for direct entry (entry requirements A-level: CCC or equivalent). The Foundation Year provides a supportive environment for students to make the transition to university study and gain the academic knowledge and study skills to succeed in their chosen degree.

Join us to find out about:

What you'll learn on the Business Foundation Year

The range of degrees it can lead onto, including Accounting, Management, Economics, Banking, International Business, Human Resource Management

Our widening Participation criteria and entry requirements.

You'll also hear from current students, course tutors, and have the chance to ask questions about studying on a Foundation Year at the University of Leeds.

Book your place here: <a href="https://bit.ly/cpBSFYevent31MAR22">https://bit.ly/cpBSFYevent31MAR22</a>

**Undergraduate Open Days** - Open Days give students an opportunity to find out more about Roehampton, hear from our academic staff, chat to current students about student life and get all the information they need from student support teams including Accommodation and Student Finance.

Click <u>here</u> or go to to <u>https://www.roehampton.ac.uk/events/undergraduate-student-life-on-campus-open-day/register</u> for the on-campus event on 5 March.



Free careers webinars for sixth-formers. Places are limited, so sign up today!



Scan to sign up now

### Aspire Career Exploration Week

Join industry experts and the upReach team to discover a range of exciting careers you may not know exist! Discover why not all these career paths need a degree, while for others, university and subject choice can be important.

7 Mar Tech & Engineering

Accountancy & Professional 8 Mar

Services

9 Mar Banking & Finance

10 Mar **Public Sector** 

11 Mar Law

### **Aspire Webinar** Series

A panel provides top tips on your post-18 options, from university to apprenticeships.

Applying to Oxford or 21 Apr

Cambridge

How to Get Work Experience 28 Apr

Over Summer

Choosing the Right University 14 Jun

for You

21 Jun Alternatives to University

How to Write a Great Personal 5 Jul

Statement

12 Jul How to Write a Great CV

All Webinars run from 5:00-6:00pm. More dates will be announced throughout the year, so please visit the Aspire website to stay up to date with the latest events

Sign up today: www.aspire.upreach.org.uk

### **Year 13**

Not going to university?

Looking for an apprenticeship?

Unsure about your plans after year 13?

On Tuesday 1st March 2022 we are running a trip to the National Apprenticeship Show at Sandown Park

This will provide an excellent opportunity for students to find out about the apprenticeship options that are available to them after they leave College in the summer of 2022.

We will leave Woking College at 9.45 am and return around 1.15pm. We will be travelling by coach to and from Sandown Park. There is no cost for this trip.

Letter and consent form available from the Careers Office in the LRC

This trip is not bookable through wisepay.



### How do I go on the trip?

Download a letter & consent form from the post on the Careers team, ask your tutor or come to the Careers Office in the LRC to collect a letter and consent form.

- Return completed consent form to Careers Office
- On the day(1st March) you will need to be in the Canteen at 8.55am for registration
- Places limited so first come first served!

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Our UK Apprenticeships are now open for applications!

We're excited to announce that applications are open for UK apprenticeships! Apprentices become an integral part of their team while at Google, and also gain a Level 4 apprenticeship qualifications over the course of their work and study.

### **Software Development Level 4 Apprenticeship**

This program aims to provide the skills you need to become a software development professional. You'll work alongside teams of Googlers, solving real problems and gaining exposure to different roles across the company, including coding, development, testing and project management.

Students can visit g.co/buildyourfuture for more information and apply before 18 March.