

Careers Bulletin

Tuesday 2nd November 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.



University of Chichester Open Days 2021

Friday 29 October Saturday 20 November

Visit the website for full details

Virtual UK Higher Education Expo 24th November 2021 11am – 6pm

Registration is now open for the virtual UK Higher Education Expo. This event highlights Higher Education opportunities and offers information from Universities across the UK.

REGISTER: <u>https://ukhex.vfairs.com/en/register</u>

Aston University Upcoming events

Undergraduate Open Day - Saturday 20th November 9am-3pm

Our last Open Day of the year. Attend course talks with our academics, chat to our students about the Aston student experience and take a tour of campus tour. This a great opportunity to see what Aston has to offer. **Book <u>here</u>**

Tuesday 7th December 5.30pm-6.30pm: Online Maths Taster Book

Psychology Taster event for individuals interested in studying for an undergraduate degree in Psychology

24th November 2021 2pm-5pm

Place: Birkbeck, University of London

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Go to the Eventbrite link below to book your free space:

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/psychological-sciences-department-open-eveningevent-tickets-199251956967

Alternatively go straight to the booking form here.

University of Dundee Online Events

We will be hosting a series of online Q&A/Panel sessions for a variety of subjects. These online sessions are a fantastic chance to engage with our world leading, academic staff, our friendly students and even our recent graduates!

We are running sessions on studying STEM subjects at Dundee, Careers in Healthcare and a number of sessions on studying and pursuing a career in Business.

Sign up by clicking on the link: Online Sessions

University of Dundee Facebook Videos

The University of Dundee Facebook page is now host to a wealth of videos where you can hear directly from our academics about our research, our courses and what it's really like to study at here Dundee! In particular we recommend our fun and informative Q&A series of videos, available on our Facebook page using the link below.

Watch here: Facebook Videos



UCAS/Discovery Apprenticeships Fair Tuesday 30 November 10:00 – 18:00 (UK time)

- Understand different post-18 options
- Get practical tips to get started on next steps
- Understand the application and assessment process
- Gather the information needed to start shortlisting options, and figure out if an apprenticeship could be the right choice

• Live sessions including CV and application workshops, interview clinics and advice on how to land their dream apprenticeship

- Meet and speak to top name apprenticeship employers, including the NHS, PwC, and Rolls-Royce
- Hear from real apprentices about what it's like

Find out more and book >





COMPETITION

History ESSAY

THE BEST ENTRY WILL RECEIVE £100 in vouchers

At the University of Exeter, we want to hear your ideas about history

We're inviting A-Level, IB, BTEC and GCSE students in any subject to send us a response to one of the following big questions:

•Explain which periods of History students should learn about in U.K schools?

•Are humans still evolving?

Is gender important in History?

There will be two prizes. One for the best Essay/creative piece (1000 words), and one for the best video entry (6-7 minutes).

To enter, simply email your piece to studentoutreach@exeter.ac.uk

Be sure to include your name, age, school, details of the qualifications you are studying, and the name of a teacher who knows you are entering. The deadline for entries is 30th November. Winners will be announced in December 2021

This essay challenge is a great way to develop your research and independent learning skills before coming to university.





RUSSELL GROUP

YOUR JOURNEY TO HIGHER EDUCATION ≫

Upcoming events: www.exeter.ac.uk/discoveruniversity Tuesday 2 November (18:00-19:00) Considering the University of Exeter

Thursday 4 November (18:00-19:00) Choosing a Course

Tuesday 9 November (18:00-19:00) Applying to a competitive university

Thursday 11 November (18:00-19:00) Writing an effective personal statement

Tuesday 16 November (18:00-19:00) Managing your Money at University

Thursday 18 November (18:00-19:00) Preparing for Medicine/Nursing Interviews

Tuesday 23 November (18:00-19:00) Student life Q&A

Thursday 25 November (18:00-19:00) Understanding the UCAS process

Tuesday 30 November (18:00-19:00) Studying a degree apprenticeship

Wednesday I December (12:20-16:00) Intercultural Awareness in a Global Economy *Please email hums-outreach@exeter.ac.uk for more info*

Visit our webpages to find out more: **exeter.ac.uk/discoveruniversity**

<u>Year 13</u>

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.
- 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.

Do you need help writing your UCAS personal statement?

A number of university representatives will be coming into college to offer 1:1 personal statement writing advice and feedback.

To book a slot you must come in person to the Careers Office in the LRC. We do not take bookings via Teams or email.

By booking you are making a firm commitment to attend. Please come to the Careers office to book a slot- limited spaces, so first come first served.

There are a few slots still available on **8th November** with University of Winchester. There are also lots of slots available on **18th November** with Roehampton University.

You do not need to be applying to these universities to get help from them!

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Are you considering an apprenticeship? There's a lot to be part of at bp. We're reimagining energy and transforming our business - driving down emissions, growing our low-carbon energy business, and forming partnerships around the world.

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- HR
- Trading and Shipping
- Finance

To understand more about our recruitment process visit our <u>hints & tips</u> <u>portal.</u>

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