

# **CAREERS NEWSLETTER**

This newsletter is a collation of all the opportunities we have heard about from employers and universities. Please use the links included to read more information and apply to anything you are interested in. Links are <u>underlined</u>.

## **OPPORTUNITIES**



Tech Juniors is a niche jobs board for junior tech roles worldwide. They are due to launch soon and you can join the waitlist <u>here</u>. Also check out their <u>Instagram</u> page for CV advice, give aways and insights to the Tech industry.



University of Leicester's summer schools are back! Taking place on Wednesday 26 July – Friday 28 July 2023, their three-day residential summer school programme is available for students in years 10 and 11, and is completely free to attend. <u>Apply here</u> - applications close on Friday 31st March.



Make your mark by spending eight weeks between July 3rd – August 25th 2023 working with the best at one of the largest publishers in the world. You'll work on a paid independent project made especially for the internship programme – making decisions for yourself and contributing to our shared mission. Applications for the 2023 cohort will be open between midday on March 24th and 5pm on April 7th. Read more here.



Do you live within 30 minutes of an LNER station? Want to take part in paid virtual work experience? Check out the <u>Super Squad opportunity here!</u>



You are invited to attend a range of virtual sessions put on by the Schools and Colleges Team at ARU. Whether you are Year 13 and still thinking about applying to University, or want more information about Degree Apprenticeships, or you're a parent who just needs to understand Student Finance bettercome and join us for an informative chat and remember, no question is a silly question! Register here.

If you have any questions or need support, please email careers@westpark.derby.sch.uk

#### JOB OF THE WEEK



Commissioning editors request or buy authors, book titles and ideas to publish them. The annual salary is £25,000 to £50,000 and expect to work 37 to 39 hours a week. There will be 3.3% more Commissioning editor jobs in 2027. Click here to read more.

### LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

In December 2022 to February 2023, the estimated number of vacancies fell by 51,000 on the quarter to 1,124,000. This reflects uncertainty across industries, as survey respondents continue to cite economic pressures as a factor in holding back on recruitment.

Read more here



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The Queer Student Awards recognise inspirational young LGBTQ+ people in the U.K. and the individuals, organisations and educational institutions that provide them with the support and safe spaces they need to thrive and reach their potential in education and the workplace regardless of their sexuality and gender identity. Nominations close on 30th March. Submit yours here.

Free virtual "Meet the Russell Group" Webinars are on April 25th, 26th & 27th. Each webinar will run either during an afternoon (12:00 - 13:30) or evening session (18:00 - 19:30) and cover topics such as Personal Statements & Applying to RG Universities, Researching University Options and Student life, as well as a special session for International Students. This is an incredible opportunity for students considering applying for Cambridge, Oxford, LSE, Bristol or any of the 24 Russell Group Universities. You can register here.



The Aspire programme created by upReach, is a collection of free careers, university and further education resources designed to give students the tools and knowledge they need to make more informed decisions about their future, with free resources including:

- <u>The Aspire Guide</u> a 64-page guide providing in-depth information on different career pathways, university options, student finance, gap years and more.
- <u>The Aspire Webinar Series</u> Since launching in September 2021, our free-to-attend Aspire Webinars have had 2000+ registrations from 500+ schools, with 99% saying they would recommend these sessions to another student.



Did you know that a student from an underserved background who gains a first-class degree from a top university is less likely to secure an elite job than a more privileged student with a 2.2? UpReach exists to create the conditions for undergraduates from less-advantaged backgrounds to access and sustain top graduate jobs. They have three programmes that you can join whilst at university.. Read more about them here.



The Student Social Mobility Awards are organised by upReach to showcase the incredible achievements of undergraduates from lower socio-economic backgrounds from across the UK. Read more here.

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## EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT



"innocent started with our three founders and a simple mission: to help make it easy for people to do themselves some good. 21 years on, there are over 600 of us around the world and that mission has grown into something much bigger. We need more brilliant people who share our ambition to join the next (and most exciting) stage of our journey." You can read more about their careers here.

#### **UNI SPOTLIGHT**



University of Dundee

"With a student-friendly population and a self-contained campus, you'll find that Dundee is one of the best places in the United Kingdom to live, work, and study. Dundee is also one of the safest cities in the UK, ranked 2nd safest city in Scotland the Complete University Guide 2022."

You can read more about University of Dundee's courses <u>here</u>.



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# APPRENTICESHIP VACANCIES



Please see this weeks updated list:

**Derby** 

**Amber Valley** 

**Erewash** 

South Derbyshire

More available here

(Click on each item for vacancies)

## **DERBY JOBS WEEKLY**



is a digest of jobs available each week. This is not specifically for students, but would be useful for those leaving school / unsure of destinations. It may also be useful for Careers Advisers to get a flavour of job available in our area. <u>SEE LINK</u>

# POST16 OPEN EVENTS

**CLICK THE LINK TO FIND OUT MORE** 



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# APPRENTICESHIP SPOTLIGHT



Our Trainers and Mentors join EMA with either years of experience within the Finance, IT, Digital, and Marketing sectors, or as a progression path following the completion of their apprenticeships. This allows them to effectively guide and mentor apprentices in becoming they best the can be.

In addition to apprenticeship provision, EMA also offer commercial training programmes in Accountancy and IT, in addition to being an official AAT exam centre for external assessments.

<u>Vacancies</u>

#### DEGREE APPRENTIECSHIP SPOTLIGHT



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