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Employer Led Advanced Engineering Apprenticeship

Engineering Apprenticeship, what does it mean to you?

An exciting job with a multi-national company?

The chance to be at the cutting edge of technology?

The challenge of discovering how things work and then finding ways to make them work better?

Engineering offers the opportunity of a secure career in a range of different industries, and one of the most interesting ways of becoming a successful engineer is to train through a Engineering Apprenticeship Programme.

What can TTE offer?

The TTE Engineering Apprenticeship Programme is a sponsored three and a half year work-based training programme where you gain practical experience both at the Training Centre and on-site with your 'Sponsor Company.' During this time you can also study for nationally-recognised qualifications.

TTE offer two years of broad-based or core training (Engineering) that progresses in year 2 or 3 to a specific engineering discipline of either:

Mechanical and Fabrication Engineering

Electrical Engineering

Instrumentation Engineering

Process Engineering

FOOTBALL SCHOLARSHIP



TRAIN • PLAY • LEARN • ACHIEVE

Be a Scholar

- Study up to Level 3
- Gain FA Level 1 and 2 Coaching Badges
- Train like a professional - Follow the same syllabus as professional Football clubs
- Coach Football - Deliver sessions to junior football players

Your Future

- 97% of our students progressed to their chosen destination
- The chance to become a professional or semi-professional footballer
- Pathway to Scholarships in America with Collegiate soccer USA
- Progress to an apprenticeship
- Paid employment
- University - courses can be converted into UCAS points.
- Last year JM RET supported 98 young people into Apprenticeships and Employment

As a Scholar you are entitled to:

- Fully funded FA Level 1 and 2 football courses
- Training Kit and Uniform
- Travel Expenses
- Bursary

RECRUITING NOW



Interested? Contact us to arrange an interview

Call 0151 609 1193 or Gary on 07932 338 405

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www.jmret.com www.activityforall.com

Activity For All, Maguire Avenue, Bootle, L20 9PQ

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These are the progression pathways we have on offer for Year 11 students who will be leaving school this summer for 2019/20.

Based at Activity For All, Maguire Avenue, Bootle and we offer a range of Sport qualifications and opportunities such as:

- NCFE Level 2 Activity Leadership Certificate
- NCFE Level 2 Diploma in Sport, Exercise and Fitness
- NCFE Level 3 Certificate in Personal Training
- Level 2 Fitness Instructing for Children
- Level 3 Diploma in Sport

Programmes of study will include the possibility to access fully funded FA Level 1 coaching courses, Work Experience on soccer camps and after school clubs and the opportunity to study Functional Skills and GCSE English or Maths for any students who may not pass in the summer.

We will be hosting a range of tournaments and open days from now till the summer which we would like to invite the students to attend as and when the dates are confirmed.

ETON COLLEGE UNIVERSITIES SUMMER SCHOOL

Only students in maintained schools are eligible

The Summer School (established in 1982) is a ten-day residential course for pupils at the end of their first year in the Sixth Form and contemplating entry to University in 2020. Applicants should have the intention of going to a British university and be of the calibre of those applying for admission to Oxford or Cambridge. As far as possible the course supplements normal school work and avoids the topics covered during Advanced Level teaching. The aim is to provide an intensive and exciting programme to enrich the intellectual experience of those participating and to give them the opportunity to exchange ideas with able students with similar interests from other schools.

Please may I draw to your attention the Eton College Universities Summer School 2019 which takes place in the first two weeks of July. The summer school was established in 1982 as a ten day intensive academic residential course for pupils who have just completed year 12 in the maintained sector and are contemplating entry to university in 2020.

Applicants should have the intention of applying for a place at a well-ranked UK university. Many of the students who take part in our course apply for either Oxford, Cambridge and other Russell Group Universities.

As far as possible the course supplements normal school work and avoids the topics covered during Advanced Level and IB Teaching.

The aim is to provide an intensive and exciting programme to enrich the intellectual experience of those students participating and to give them the opportunity to exchange ideas, develop independent thinking and meet with able students with similar interests from other schools.

Further information can be obtained on the Eton College website <http://www.etoncollege.com>

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Applications must reach:
Universities Summer School Secretary
Eton College
Windsor SL4 6DW
by 1 March 2019
Late applications will not be considered.

British Aviation Experience 2019

- We currently have **6 places** remaining on the British Aviation Experience 2019!
- Please have a look at our 2018 Video and 2019 Brochure: <https://www.brookfieldav.com/british-aviation-experience>
- Students attending the programme will experience many aspects of life in the aviation industry, including flying lessons on light aircraft, aerobatic lesson, helicopter lesson, Boeing 747 simulator, and emergency training with British Airways. Students will also learn about the maintenance and engineering side of the industry by visiting maintenance facilities and attending talks with professionals. There will also be visits to airline headquarters and other aviation related activities. The students for age group 14 – 18 will be staying in Uxbridge at Brunel University with our partner Stafford House. All other activities can be found on our brochure.
- This is an excellent way to help young people to decide whether they would like a career in aviation and provides a wonderful experience for the participants. They will go home having gained valuable experience of many aspects of the industry, flying hours logged and a broader outlook on life.
- **2019 BRITISH AVIATION EXPERIENCE**
- Dates for age group 14 – 18:
 - 16th July – 27th July
 - 21st July – 1st August
- **Please book now – 6 spaces available!**
- **Cost and what it includes:**
- For age group 14 – 18: The price is £3,600 (GBP) plus VAT, which includes accommodation, food, local transport and all activities, excluding flights to London and airport transfers.
- **For ages 18 and over or groups, please get in touch for more details.**
- If you have any questions or would like to discuss this opportunity, please get in touch.
- Best regards
- Todd
- **Todd Skaggs**
- [VP-Educational Services](#)
- www.brookfieldav.com
- Tel: +44 (0) 1372 747 044

Applying for medicine/Dentistry? Have you completed your UCAT?

<https://www.ucat.ac.uk/ucat>

About the University Clinical Aptitude Test (UCAT)

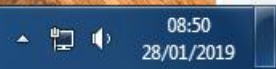
The University Clinical Aptitude Test (UCAT) is an admissions test used by a consortium of UK Universities for their medical and dental degree programmes.

The UCAT helps universities to select applicants with the most appropriate mental abilities, attitudes and professional behaviours required for new doctors and dentists to be successful in their clinical careers. It is used in collaboration with other admissions processes such as the UCAS application and academic qualifications.

It is also your opportunity to stand out from other applicants and demonstrate your aptitude for a demanding programme of study.

The UCAT is a computer-based test delivered in Pearson VUE test centres throughout the UK and internationally.

Prior to 2019 the UCAT (University Clinical Aptitude Test) was known as the UKCAT. Whilst the name has changed, the test content remains the same.



A-LEVEL OPEN EVENING

Hugh Baird
COLLEGE 

WEDNESDAY, 30TH JANUARY 2019
5:30PM - 7:30PM

FIND OUT ABOUT:

- Our wide range of A-level subjects
- Small class sizes
- Supportive learning environment
- State-of-the-art facilities



PLEASE NOTE:
EVENT HELD AT THE SIXTH FORM CENTRE AT HUGH BAIRD COLLEGE'S SOUTH SEFTON CAMPUS.

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You can send an enquiry to
0151 252 3000
or email enquiry@liv-coll.ac.uk

There is also a full list of
courses at www.liv-coll.ac.uk

Liverpool John Moore's University

Discovery Days

Prospective students in Year 12 and above have the opportunity to sample over 30 undergraduate programmes and work alongside academic staff and current students

During **January – April 2019** LJMU are offering prospective students in Year 12 and above the opportunity to sample over 30 undergraduate programmes by spending time working alongside academic staff and current students. The days will provide opportunities for students and staff to visit the university teaching facilities and take part in lectures, practical workshops and laboratory sessions.

[Register for a Discovery Day](#)

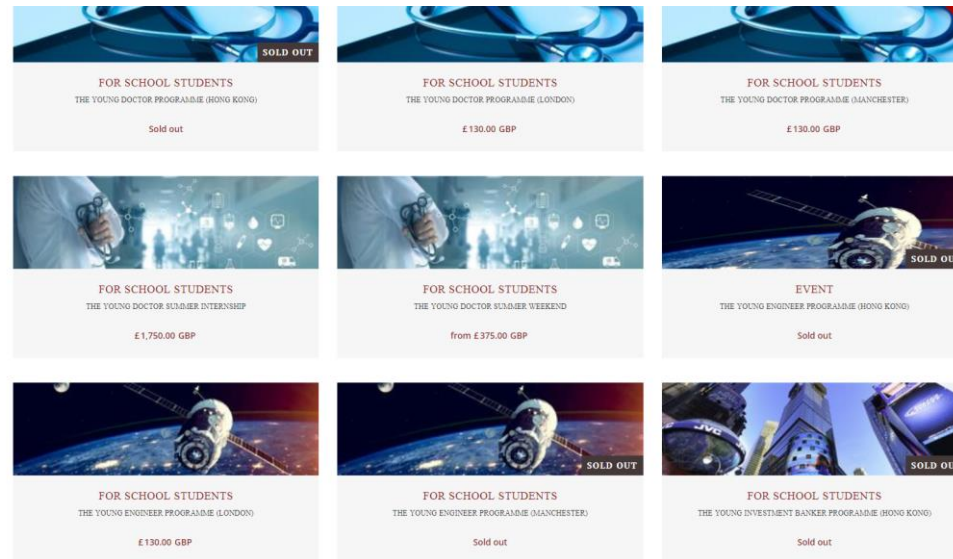
Spring Work Experience Programmes 2019

InvestIN provides inspirational career-experience programmes to students who aspire to break into some of the world's most-desirable professions.

On our programmes, we aim to create the 'ultimate work experience' through interactive simulations, seminars, networking sessions, and career coaching guidance.

We offer experiences in investment banking, law, medicine, engineering, politics and journalism in London, New York and Hong Kong.

Around 25,000 students from 71 countries have attended our programmes since our inception, and our movement is gathering pace at an exponential rate.



<https://investineducation.co.uk/collections/events>

The Young Investment Banker Programme:

[UCL: Sunday 24th March](#)
[University of Manchester: Sunday 17th March](#)



On the programme, senior investment bankers give your students the following:

1) A fully-interactive immersion into the world of an investment banker through a series of simulations including:

- Competitively trading commodities and currencies after a major world event under the guidance of senior traders
- Valuing a blue-chip technology company
- Negotiating in a live deal to get the best outcome for your client
- Building a portfolio to achieve outperforming returns

2) Coaching on every step to becoming a top investment banker from now; by those who currently recruit at 'Top 10' banks:

- Why university and degree choices matter
- Extra-curricular activities that recruiters look for
- Interview guidance & self-branding techniques
- Networking and gaining work experience

3) Personal advice from top investment bankers and the opportunity to form a lifetime network:

- Ask all your burning questions
- Meet career mentors
- Use the InvestIN network at any time after the programme to ask further questions

<https://investineducation.us6.list-manage.com/track/click?u=42ef3d3a89e86b8375cadb9aa&id=8db392ed58&e=3c3950579d>

Experience Engineering residential at the University of Southampton is now open for applications.

Experience Engineering
14th – 16th April 2019

Experience Engineering is an exciting residential course designed for Year 12 students interested in studying engineering at university. This engineering course will introduce students to the areas of Ship Science and Mechanical Engineering. Over the course of three days, participants will design, build and test a Greenpower car and a fastcraft for water as part of a team. Talks, workshops and seminars from staff and students in the Faculty of Engineering and Physical Sciences provide insight into the wealth of careers and opportunities that an engineering degree can provide.

Participants live in university halls of residence for the duration of the course, and are mentored by current undergraduate and postgraduate students, giving them a unique opportunity to find out what life is like at university. The course is a great opportunity to get a taste for engineering ahead of university applications. **This course is free to attend.** To be eligible participants must be under the age of 18 at the time of the summer school, meet the following academic criteria:

Have achieved at least five 9-7 grades at GCSE

Are taking relevant subjects in relation to engineering (e.g. Maths, Physics and other Science subjects)

and meet at least two of the following Widening Participation criteria:

- In the first generation of your immediate family to apply to Higher Education
- Current home postcode shows that you live in an area with low levels of progression to Higher Education. (Postcodes within the lowest 2 POLAR4 young participation quintile). [OfS Postcode Checker](#).
- Attended a school/college whose performance places it into the lowest two quintiles for average QCA points per A level student (or equivalent) (in England, Wales or Northern Ireland) as identified by the Department for Education dataset. [Eligible schools for applications](#).
- In receipt of a 16-19 bursary or similar grant OR received Free School Meals at any point during your school education
- Living or grew up in Local Authority care
- Are a Young Carer
- <https://www.southampton.ac.uk/schools-colleges/experience-engineering.page>



Renault Bosch Suzuki IVECO Apprenticeships

We register approximately 350 apprentice vacancies all over the UK, Wales and Scotland each year

We have already begun to register a number of vacancies targeted to school leavers. If you have anybody who is looking to work in the Automotive Industry, they can apply online here. We offer hands-on roles in the workshop, Motorcycle roles and also Customer Service roles

Below are the links to our websites which have more information about the apprenticeship.

Bosch: http://aa-boschcommon-web.resource.bosch.com/microsites/en/internet/apprenticeship_ww/startpage_1/overview_apprenticeship.html#

Suzuki: <http://www.suzuki-apprenticetraining.com/>

Renault: <https://life.renault.co.uk/careers/dealer-apprenticeship-programmes/>

IVECO: <http://www.ivecotrucks-apprenticetraining.co.uk/>

Free 'Explore Law' Liverpool Event

The free **Explore Law Liverpool** event is now open.

Who's it for?: Year 10, 11 and 12 students

What's it about?: This is a great event for students who are considering law and want to find out if it's for them.

What's the plan?: We'll be giving information about careers in law along with interactive sessions and tasters for students to find out how we teach law and where it might take them.

Venue: University of Liverpool (rooms and parking will be sent shortly)

Date & Time: Wednesday 13th March 2019 – 13:00-15:30

Booking: Individuals can book here - <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/ExploreLawLiverpool>

You are also welcome to contact us directly on DSRChester@law.ac.uk to make group bookings. There is plenty of parking on site for attendees and minibuses/coaches. Refreshments are available.

If your students can't make the Liverpool event, we will be aiming to host a Chester equivalent on 6th March. This would be based in the University of Law, Chester Campus.

<https://careemap.co.uk/vacancies/Apprenticeships-Liverpool/>

Find apprenticeships in Liverpool and the surrounding area. If you are looking for Liverpool apprenticeships CareerMap can help you look at options across every sector.

You can find a wide range of traineeships and apprenticeships in [Business](#), [Construction](#), [Engineering](#), [Sport](#), [IT and computing](#), and many more.

Our Liverpool apprenticeship vacancies can be found in the city centre, Wirral, and more. Liverpool is fast paced and bursting with opportunity, and apprenticeships are a great opportunity to get started because they give you the chance to get in the workplace and spend time learning important skills.

We work with some of the best employers and apprenticeship training providers in the UK including RBS, BBC, BT, EE, QA Apprenticeships, Learndirect, Babcock and Lifetime training. We want to give young people a kick start to their career with school leaver jobs, traineeships, & apprenticeship vacancies. For more information contact us at info@careemap.co.uk.

Unilever Apprenticeships

Unilever apprenticeship open evenings in Port Sunlight.

If you are interested in attending, you will need to register for one of the events.

Link for Feb 13th session: Link for Feb 13th session:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/unilever-apprenticeships-port-sunlight-tickets-54980344691>

Link for Mar 7th session: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/unilever-apprenticeships-port-sunlight-tickets-54980478090>

Interested in Accountancy?

School leavers and parents' events – nearest location Manchester 12/03/2019 (ICAEW event).

Why attend?

Come along to our upcoming events for school leavers, parents and teachers to discover how a career in chartered accountancy is more than you'd imagine.

You'll hear expert advice from ICAEW's Student Recruitment team, trainee and qualified chartered accountants, and both local and national employers, helping you to deepen your understanding about chartered accountancy.

Find out about the opportunities available locally and gain first hand insight into the career and how to succeed in the recruitment process.

You'll also hear about the different routes available to those wishing to become a chartered accountant, whether that's starting straight from school; through school leaver and apprenticeship programmes, or after university as a graduate.

https://careers.icaew.com/advisers-and-parents/parents-evenings?utm_campaign=Non%20Members%20-%20%20ICAEW&utm_medium=email&utm_source=762693_Student_SchoolLeaver_15Jan2019_AR&utm_content=view%252%200all%2015%20events&dm_i=47WV,GCHX,2S4M73,1VFDN,1

BAE Systems Apprenticeships

BAE Systems (Warton) Degree and Higher apprenticeships open (aerospace, software engineering, finance, project manager). For more information, please visit:

<https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/apprenticeship/-377536> Aerospace

<https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/apprenticeship/-377677> Chartered Manager

<https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/apprenticeship/-377630> Project Manager

Useful Websites for all age groups

<https://careerpilot.org.uk/job-sectors/subjects>

www.ucas.com this is a very informative website-not just for those wishing to go to university. There are sections for apprenticeships too: use the course search tool to explore what is required to study certain courses at universities, including subject specific and grade requirements.

www.russellgroup.ac.uk top 24 Unis, offering advice on making A level choices; their booklet Informed Choices is in their website

www.notgoingtouni.co.uk This website promotes ideas for those not planning to go to university, with great links to many different routes for your future career, including sponsored degrees through companies and businesses.

www.gov.uk/topic/further-education-skills/apprenticeships opportunities are advertised here for post-16 apprenticeship routes.

<http://www.careerswales.com/en/education-and-courses/how-to-choose-a-subject-course/> How to choose a subject/course (Careers Wales but relevant to England)

<https://icould.com/> have a go at the Buzz Quiz at home for fun and information about your preferred style and possible careers to suit this!

<https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/>

<http://www.futuremorph.org/11-13/>

This is a useful website for parents:

<http://www.parentalguidance.org.uk/> It offers a wealth of information and guidance as you help your child through their choices.

To find out more about apprenticeship opportunities more suited to you and your desired profession, as well as the logistics of completing an apprenticeship as a university alternative, follow the link below:

https://www-05.ibm.com/employment/uk-en/school_leaver.html