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SMA have a strong relationship with the LJMU outreach team and would normally arrange talks and support for 6th form students particularly throughout the application process.

Unfortunately this face to face support is currently not available. However LJMU pleased to announce a new series of webinars to support students through the ever changing world of higher education.

Students will be able to register for individual events which explore all aspects of the university cycle, from an introduction to higher education, student finance, writing a personal statement and exploring how to apply for in demand subjects. They are also running a session to answer any questions parents may have about university.

Each session is followed by a question and answer session with key university staff, as well as members of our outreach team. All the links are below for registration.

- [Introduction to LJMU and Liverpool – 5 October – 4pm](#)
- [LJMU's How to research Universities webinar – 6 October – 5pm](#)
- [LJMU's Personal Statement Masterclass – 7 October – 4.30pm](#)
- [LJMU's University for Parents Webinar – 8 October – 5.30pm](#)
- [LJMU's Applying for Competitive Courses Webinar – 9 October – 12pm](#)
- [LJMU's University Interview Techniques – 12 October – 4pm](#)
- [LJMU's Student Finance and Budgeting at University – 13 October 2020 – 5pm](#)
- [LJMU's Ask a Student: Discover our Faculties – 14 October – 4.30pm](#)
- [LJMU's Discover Degree Apprenticeships Webinar – 15 October – 5.30pm](#)
- [LJMU's Personal Statement Masterclass Webinar – 16 October – 12pm](#)

Liverpool Hope University



What can you do at a Hope Open Day?

Our Open Days are tailored for you. It's important that you get the most out of your visit with us, so you will be able to:

- Attend course talks to find out more about your areas of interest
- Take a virtual tour of our campuses and accommodation
- Talk to current students and ask questions about studying at Liverpool Hope
- Find out all you need to know about entry requirements, the application process, student finance and the different options available to you

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Register by clicking on [link](#)

We would like to share an exciting course which has been designed by **Queen's University Belfast** in partnership with EIT Food, Autonomous University of Madrid, Aarhus University, University of Turin and the Spanish National Research Council (CSIC). It is targeted to 16 to 18 year-olds who are studying a food-related subject, those considering a career in food and for those individuals who want to feel empowered to make safe, healthy and sustainable food choices. The online course is called 'Introduction to Food Science' and begins on 5th October on FutureLearn. It is now open for enrolment.

What is it about?

Across 4 weeks, the course aims to create an awareness and understanding where learners are encouraged to become responsible partners in the food system. This will in turn empower them to make safe, healthy and sustainable food choices and spark a new generation of informed consumers. The topics covered include:

- **Food integrity**
- **Diet and health**
- **Ethical and sustainable considerations**
- **Role of the consumer**

We would be delighted if you could share this fantastic opportunity with your students and to anyone you think could benefit.

Duration: 4 weeks

Study time required: 4 hours/week

Price: The course is free.

Register Now: Enrolment is open and the course begins on 5th October. [register here](#)

Virtual Work Experience for Medics

We have a few spaces left on our next GP Live course so I have attached details below. Please feel free to forward to students who this may help.

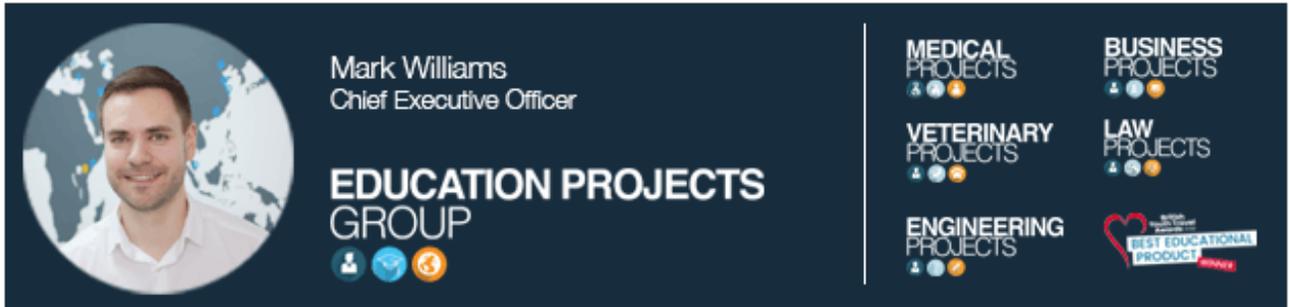
Course: GP Live - Medical Work Experience

Date: 7th November 2020

Time: 10am - 4pm

Ages: 15+

Link: <https://educationprojects.co.uk/medical-projects/gp-live/>



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[UK University & Apprenticeship Search Virtual Fair](#), is coming up very soon! They have designed the fair to feel **exactly like a Careers Fair, just on your laptop**. You'll be able to visit a virtual Exhibition Hall full of over 90 universities, colleges and apprenticeship providers and scroll through their colourful and informative stands and chat directly to representatives. They also have a virtual Auditorium where webinars will be taking place throughout the day. **More information is contained in this [link](#)**

Join them on **Wednesday 11th November from 12pm to 6pm**. The event is completely free of charge, and open to students in Year 13, 12 and 11. Russell Group, red brick, modern and specialist universities will be attending, including Newcastle, Edinburgh, Cumbria, Lancaster, Aberdeen, Birmingham, UCLAN and Teesside. You can view all of the exhibitors (so far!) [here](#).

The live webinars will be led by university representatives and apprenticeship providers and packed with advice. They have spread them out throughout the day to ensure students can take part in informative and engaging webinars whether they **log-in at school or at home**. Here's a selection of webinars for you, you can view the full timetable [here](#).

- 1pm - Personal Statement (presented by Lancaster University)
- 1.30pm - Studying in Scotland (presented by University of Glasgow)
- 2pm - Higher and Degree Apprenticeships (Presented by EY)
- 5pm - Personal Statement (presented by York St John University)

Online Work Experience in Law and Politics

InvestIN is an organisation that provides inspirational career-experience programmes to school 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. They run half term programmes as well as weekend and summer courses

For more information click on the [link](#)