

# Careers Bulletin

## 6th February 2023

# National Apprenticeship Week



## National Apprenticeship Week Showcase Event – The Sovini Group 8th February 2023, 3.45pm – 4.45pm

Elevate EBP are thrilled to be running this event as part of National Apprenticeship Week in partnership with The Sovini Group to showcase their apprenticeships programme and offer.

The Sovini Group has been named the Best Place to Work in the UK for the third time (2021, 2020, and 2018), the Best Place to Work for Women 2020 and third Best Place to Work in Europe 2020. They are a thriving, growing business that creates opportunities and changes lives for the customers and communities in which they work. They are a property management and development company that continues to grow from strength to strength.

The event is open to all students from across the Liverpool City Region who are interested in an apprenticeship from September (and parents/guardians if they would like to attend too). The session will be delivered via Zoom and students are able to ask questions via the chat function.

Please can we ask that you forward the attached

# National Apprenticeship Week



**ELEVATE** The Sovini Group  
The education business partnership

# APPRENTICESHIP SHOWCASE

## WITH THE SOVINI GROUP

Elevate EBP are hosting an open event via Zoom with The Sovini Group to showcase their apprenticeships programme and offer:




**08 FEBRUARY**  
3.45pm - 4.45pm  
VIRTUAL EVENT VIA ZOOM

Please register to attend on Eventbrite by scanning the QR code or visiting:  
<http://ow.ly/eQbt50MwCYm>  
(Zoom link will be sent the day before)

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We are a thriving, growing property management and development company that creates opportunities and changes lives for the customers and communities in which we work. We continue to grow from strength to strength and the success of our commercial members provides investment in social housing and our local communities. As a company we believe our people are our greatest asset. We celebrate diversity and are proud to be an equal opportunities employer and we encourage applications from every member of society.

We currently have 42 apprentices working with us in a variety of roles and we pride ourselves in ensuring that we offer the best possible journey for our apprentices to develop the necessary skills. You can register your interest in any of our apprenticeships by adding yourself to our mailing list and start to build networks to plan for your future.

**Join us for the hour to find out more and start thinking about your next steps.**

The event is open to all students from across The Liverpool City Region from Year 11 upwards, we want to invite you (and your parents/guardians if they can attend) to learn more about what opportunities are available to you:

- You will find out about The Sovini Group and the process involved in applying for our roles
- You will see the variety of apprenticeships on offer across our organisation from **Business Administration, Gas, Electrical, Ground Maintenance, Plastering**, and much more
- You will be given tips about applying for our apprenticeships and how to sell yourself
- You will hear about the 'journey of an apprentice' with the opportunity to talk to various members of staff from all departments

[The Sovini Group - Apprenticeship Showcase Tickets, Wed 8 Feb 2023 at 15:45 | Eventbrite](#)

# What next?



What  
Next?

APPRENTICESHIP

UNIVERSITY

Birmingham  
3 & 4 March

Who will  
be there?

Book your  
tickets

Chris, don't miss this vital event for 15- to 19-year-olds!

The unmissable school leaver event, **What University? & What Career? Live** opens its doors at the NEC, Birmingham, on 3 & 4 March. It's the perfect place to get all the advice you need on your post-school options.

Put your questions to the UK's leading employers and universities and compare your options side by side, all under one roof. Check out a few of the exhibitors below or view the complete list [here](#).

[What University? & What Career? Live Birmingham  
\(whatcareerlive.co.uk\)](https://whatcareerlive.co.uk)

Free tickets are going fast, book yours today!

**BOOK FREE TICKETS**

[What University? & What Career? Live 2023 \(eventdata.uk\)](https://eventdata.uk)

[Exhibitors 3 & 4 March 2023 - NEC, Birmingham | What Next?  
\(whatcareerlive.co.uk\)](https://whatcareerlive.co.uk)

# Liverpool Hope University



## Applicant Days

Some of your students may have already received an offer with us, and if they have been successful in receiving a conditional or unconditional offer, please point them toward our Applicant Days that will be coming up in the next couple of months.

Our 2023 Applicant Days will take place on:

**Saturday 25th February 2023**  
**Saturday 18th March 2023**  
**Wednesday 29th March 2023 (Virtual)**  
**Saturday 22nd April 2023**

These days are a great opportunity for students to come and get a feel for the university and the buzz of a busy campus. The applicant days will allow students to speak with current students and with different support teams within the university such as Student Finance, Student Development & Wellbeing, Accommodation, and Careers. They will also have a subject taster session in their desired course and will be able to ask subject-specific questions to our academics.

Please see the link below if any of your students are interested in booking on.



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UNIVERSITY**

[Book onto an Applicant Day](#)

# Myerscough



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## Advice Mornings

Saturday 18th March 2023

10.00am-1.00pm



The North West centre for land-based & sports education

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Walton Hall,  
Warrington

Course Advice  
Mornings

10.00am-12 noon



Animal Studies, Horticulture and Foundation Learning courses

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- ✓ Apprenticeships
- ✓ University Degrees

# Course Advice Mornings



The North West centre for land-based, sport, engineering and science education

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**Saturday 18th March 2023**

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# Skills Gap



## AI in Engineering

*Saturday, 25 Feb 2023*

Finding new and optimal ways of doing things is at the very core of engineering. Which makes it the perfect partner for AI and machine learning, from smart production lines to image processing technology that allows machines to see. Our online workshop is led by civil engineer and data scientist, Johan Hagstrom, who will introduce you to key AI algorithms and trends. You'll also get hands-on experience with Python, being guided through a computer vision algorithm that can detect cars on the road – a peek into the world of self-driving vehicles.

## AI in Finance

*Saturday, 25 Feb 2023*

The world of finance has been an early adopter of machine learning, from fraud detection to finance chat bots, yet it's still just touching the surface of AI's potential. Our workshop is led by Chelsea Murray, a data scientist at ING with a Masters in Machine Learning and Machine Intelligence from University of Cambridge. Chelsea will introduce you to the vast range of financial AI applications and give you practical experience training a machine learning algorithm to predict credit card fraud.

## Coding for Game Design

*Saturday, 25 Feb 2023*

With one third of the world's population already estimated to be gamers, the gaming industry offers one of the hottest career tickets today. Our online workshop gives you a unique insight into the latest trends from multiplayer games to game streaming. Led by Josh Hills, a programmer on some of the world's largest multi-player games, including Runescape and Horizon, you'll get first-hand experience of developing and enhancing a physics-based game prototype and discover the skills you'll need to succeed.

# Skills Gap



## Robotics in Space

*Saturday, 11 Mar 2023*

From exploring the surface of Mars to sizing-up metallic asteroids, the race is on to unlock the mysteries of the universe and answer our planet's biggest challenges. Taught online by robotics experts, this workshop gives a fascinating insight into today's space industry. Take part in a hands-on exercise to design an autonomous robotic lander to explore Europa and get career tips and advice to get ahead.

## AI in Medicine

*Saturday, 11 Mar 2023*

Medicine is on the verge of an Artificial Intelligence revolution – from pioneering surgeries to algorithms that predict future health issues. Our workshop is delivered online by med-tech experts, and will introduce you to key AI trends in medicine, its influence on global healthcare, and the tech skills you need to get ahead. You'll also take part in an exciting hands-on diagnostic exercise using AI modelling tools.

If you're looking for a competitive edge for your studies or career, our workshops are the perfect opportunity to arm yourself with valuable skills and knowledge.

For further information and to register for any of the events, please visit [www.skillsgap.tech](http://www.skillsgap.tech).

If you have any questions, please email [ian.dodd@skillsgap.tech](mailto:ian.dodd@skillsgap.tech).

# Year 13 – Preparing for student finance



## Applications for 2023

Student Finance England have recently confirmed that full-time undergraduate 2023 to 2024 applications are expected to open from **April 2023**.

Whilst this is slightly later than previous years, it's a good idea for students to start thinking ahead. We advise that students watch the video '[Student Finance Explained](#)' and follow the recommended social media channels for important updates.

[Find out more](#)

## Parents & Supporters

Student Finance applications can be universally daunting to parents, supporters and students alike.

Below, you can find a pre-recorded talk from Student Recruitment Assistant, George. The session gives a clear and streamlined guide to Student Finance for parents and supporters, from the application process through to repayments and accessing support.

[View the talk](#)

