



# 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 underlined.

## OPPORTUNITIES



On Tuesday 27th September from 5:00pm - 6:00pm Young Professionals will be joined by Danuta Gray, Chief Chairwoman of one of the most successful businesses in the country, FTSE insurance company Direct Line Group for their opening virtual Insight Event. We'll hear all about her experiences in the corporate world as a top businesswoman as she looks to inspire the next generation of young talent to set out on their own careers in business. We'll also get to hear all about the careers at one of the top insurance brokers in the country. Join virtually to hear from and ask your questions to the leader of a multi-billion turnover organisation and find out how you could one day become the Chairperson of a global company. Sign up here.



Have you ever considered a career in Formula. 1 Racing? There are SO many more jobs than "just" the drivers! Check out Formula Careers to see the full range of job roles currently available. This will help you to see how much you could earn, the hours you could expect to work and what you would be responsible for on a day to day basis.



The 2023 Cambridge SU Shadowing Scheme is a free University Access Scheme that gives students the chance to come to Cambridge for three days, shadow a current undergraduate, go to lectures and social events, and receive advice from Cambridge Admissions Tutors. The Scheme has been running for over 20 years. Applications are currently open and close on 9th October, and parents and teachers must complete consent forms by 16th October. You can apply here.



Amazing Apprenticeships invite you to join them in the first in a series of information webinars, on 27th September, 3.30pm-4pm, which will provide you with an abundance of tips, advice and guidance around the topic of apprenticeships. The session will be presented by expert speakers from the National Careers Service. Click here to read more and register.

## JOB OF THE WEEK



Computer game developers create video games for phones, tablets, PCs and consoles. You can earn £25,000 to £70,000 per year and expect to work 30-40 hours per week. T There will be 3.4% more Computer games developer jobs in 2026. You can read more about this here.

## LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

The UK employment rate for people aged 16 to 64 years decreased by 0.1 percentage points to 75.5%.

This is still below pre-coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic levels.

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If you have any questions or need support, please emailcareers@collegiateacademy.org.uk



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Gresham College is launching a Competition for Year 12 students in September 2022, to promote the art of communicating complex information in a clear, concise and compelling way. This year the competition is focussed on the environment / sustainability in a five-minute, recorded presentation. Shortlisted candidates will then be invited to present again in person in London, and there will be three awards (including prizes for student and the school). Click [here](#) to read more and submit your entry.



The London Interdisciplinary School has a new take on education.... "The workplace of tomorrow will look totally different and demand more of you than ever before. You'll need to be balanced, entrepreneurial, and resilient to be at the forefront of this movement. At the heart of LIS, we're building a university designed to give you the knowledge and skills to enter the modern workplace. This is your chance to take the lead and make your impact on the issues that matter to you." Read more [here](#) and download their prospectus [here](#).

Pret is one of the most recognisable names on the high street, and is a staple of millions of people's day. With their freshly made food and organic coffee, they have pushed high street food offerings forward towards a healthier, more considered and sustainable future! But, how much do you really know about Pret, and what it takes for some of our favourite food and drink items to become reality? Well, we've got you covered! Springpod and Pret have joined forces to give you a top insight into the world of product development. What's more, you'll even have the chance to have a go at designing a new product yourself - and it might even end up on the shelves! Find out more and apply [here](#).



The British Library is a fascinating organisation with a number of varied areas and exciting opportunities available to you. To help build your understanding of these areas and more, Springpod has partnered up with the organisation to bring you a fantastic programme all about the world of The British Library. Find out more and apply [here](#).

## EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT

"Our mission is to help people do the impossible. We take inspiration from what people want to accomplish in their lives and work to create products that empower in new ways. This is what drives our innovation forward. Find your opportunity to do what can't be done at Samsung."

You can read more about Samsung jobs [here](#).

## UNI SPOTLIGHT



University  
of Exeter

"We have some of the most satisfied students in the UK - their opinions about the quality of their experience here have consistently rated us highly for overall student satisfaction in the National Student Survey. Depending on your choice of degree, you may be based at one of our three campuses."

You can read more about their courses [here](#).