

# Careers Bulletin

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#### The Sutton Trust US Programme

The Sutton Trust US Programme is designed to support students from state schools across the UK to explore US study and access leading universities.

It includes two residentials in the UK before all students spend a week in the US staying on campus at a leading US university and visiting a variety of other American universities.

The programme is founded and funded by the Sutton Trust, the UK's leading social mobility charity, and delivered in partnership with the Fulbright Commission, who are experts in helping UK students study in the US.

#### How much does it cost for students?

The programme is free for students. All costs are covered by the programme – including travel, food, accommodation, admissions test preparation and more.

#### Who are we looking for?

To be eligible to apply, students must:

- Currently be in Year 12 in England and Wales,
- Attend, and have always attended, a statefunded school or college i.e. non-fee paying
- Not hold US citizenship
- Be from a low or middle income family (generally, this will mean a household earning £45,000 or less)
- Be interested in US culture and higher education

In addition, we are looking for students who:

- Would be the first generation of their family to attend university
- Have been eligible for Free School Meals
- Attend a school or college with a belowaverage A Level or Higher point score and/or a low rate of progression into higher education
- Have attended schools with a lower than average progression to higher education, or a higher than average proportion of students who qualify for Free School Meals
- Live in a neighbourhood with a low rate of progression into higher education and/or a high level of socio-economic deprivation
- Have excellent GCSEs or S4 qualifications. This means you have achieved at or close to the following: In England and Northern Ireland: at least eight GCSEs at grade A or 7 or above, or near this level. In Wales: at least eight GCSEs at grade A or above, or near this level. In Scotland: at least six B passes at National 5 or above, or near this level.

The more of these you meet, the more likely you are to get a place on the programme.

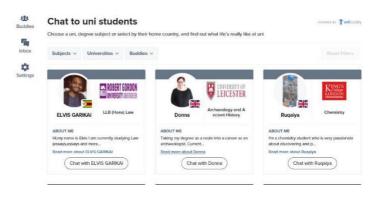


#### When is the deadline for students to apply?

Students must submit their application by 19 January 2020 and we strongly advise they get started straight away as the application form requires some thinking!

There's lots more information on their website: https://us.suttontrust.com and the application form can also be found there.

#### **UCAS Chat to Students**



Discover what student life is like by chatting to real students! Find out what the place is like, as well as the accommodation, course, and lecturers.

It's the perfect opportunity for you to start shortlisting your options without having to attend an open day

#### **College Open Days**

HRC 15th February 10am-1pm

Harlow College 5th February 5pm-8pm

Oaklands 5th February 5pm-8pm

Conel College (Enfield) 7th March 10am-2pm

Capel manor College 28th March 10am -3pm



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# Q APPRENTICESHIP

Open evenings at Mercedes-Benz Stevenage, Hertford and Bishop's Stortford which will give prospective apprentices the opportunity to come and have a look where they will be working and ask those all-important questions.

The apprenticeship they offer is truly industry leading with a very well respected career at the end with a very competitive salary.

This year they are looking for technician apprentices who are the heartbeat of any Mercedes-Benz dealership. They are holding open evenings on the following dates:



#### Mercedes-Benz Stevenage – 5<sup>th</sup> February Mercedes-Benz Hertford – 11<sup>th</sup> February Mercedes-Benz Bishop's Stortford – 19<sup>th</sup> February

This event is open to all prospective apprentices and their families who might be interested in a career at Mercedes-Benz Hertfordshire.

Anyone interested in attending one of their open evenings please click on the link below and complete the online form.

https://www.landlautomotive.co.uk/books/mercede sbenz-hertfordshire-apprentice-recruitment-eveningschools/

#### **BP Supply and Trading School Leaver Programme**

Starting salary £25,000 pa + £3,000 location allowance Canary Wharf, London

Study for a Level 4 apprenticeship in data analytics

Their Supply and trading school leaver programme is an alternative to university. It will give you the skills and



experiences you need to succeed in a business role, the option to study for a Level 4 apprenticeship and the development to help you become a high performing, valued member of the team

This is your chance to gain experience across their Supply and trading division on a structured, 5-year programme. Together with the opportunity to gain a qualification, you can look forward to exciting, long-term career options with a future-thinking world leader.

You will be involved in a wide range of commercial activity in our oil and gas trading sector. That could see you analysing market data, working with the shipping team and supporting commercial trading as part of a financial team.

At the end of the programme, they'll support you in getting a permanent role as trader or in a commercial team.

They're looking for people who have a real passion to work in a global business.

To be successful, you must have the ability to work on your own initiative and be able to work co-operatively as part of a team. You'll have a keen eye for detail, excellent written, verbal communication and numeracy skills, and the ability to plan ahead and prioritize your workload.



#### BP software development apprenticeship

Study for a Level 4 software development apprenticeship

They've embarked on an ambitious plan to modernise and transform through digital. It means more efficiency, more effectiveness and new business models. There's huge potential for transformation, and you'll be at the heart of it.

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As part of their team, you'll provide innovative, custom built software for BP colleagues and exter-nal users. This software either supports revenue earning activity or helps reduce costs within BP functions by automating manual activity. Ultimately, you'll be helping them become a digital leader in their sector, so they can drive energy transition and solve real-world problems.

Developing, improving and crafting new products and services, you'll focus on at-scale enterprise software development products using Java, C#.Net or Node js. You'll also be involved in rapid application development on low-code platforms such as Salesforce, Service Now and Microsoft PowerApps. In addition, you'll look at responsive mobile/web development using React Native, Xamarin and similar frameworks.

#### **Recruitment Process**

- Online application this is your chance to show them what motivates you
- SJQ a set of untimed questions will look to see how you match up with BP values
- Online tests these will check your numerical, verbal reasoning and error checking abilities
- Assessment centre a motivation and valuesbased interview, a group exercise and lunch
- Offer and feedback a firm offer or guidance on how to succeed next time

To apply, you must be aged 18 or over at start of the programme in September 2020

#### https://www.bp.com/en/global/corporate/careers/stu dents-and-graduates/locations/unitedkingdom/apprenticeships.html



The Dyson Institute of Engineering and Technology is unlike any other higher education institution. It's for those with a passion for solving problems and a fascination for how things work; brave people who'd rather get hands-on with real engineering challenges.

Their Undergraduate Engineers work alongside the Global Engineering team from day one. They are responsible for live projects, all while studying for their engineering degree and earning a competitive salary. And with no fees to pay, they can graduate debt-free.



Applications for September 2020 will open on Friday 10th January 2020 and close on Sunday 2nd February.

In the first two years at The Dyson Institute you will study a general engineering syllabus, giving you a strong technical foundation across multiple disciplines. In years three and four, you'll specialise in mechanical engineering, electronics, software, or electromechanical engineering. We will guide you through the potential specialisation pathways to find the route best suited to you.

Alongside theoretical knowledge, you will develop applied skills, such as design, prototyping, PCB layout and computer aided design (CAD). You'll be working in a global business, playing a vital role in the development of future products.

Undergraduates joining The Dyson Institute in September 2020 will be awarded their BEng (Hons) Engineering degree by The University of Warwick.

Over 4,600 Dyson people work at their Malmesbury campus, which sits in the heart of the Wiltshire countryside. People here spend their days developing technology and telling the Dyson story to the world.

As a first year Undergraduate Engineer, you will live on-campus in a modular pod in Dyson Village. Each unit contains a sleeping and study area, a bathroom and ample storage. Large windows make the most of the stunning views, while the desks are designed by James Dyson himself. There are also communal kitchen pods, laundry pods and social pods for relaxing.

To add to the campus feel, The Roundhouse contains a café, bar and screening room, offering plenty of communal space for working and socialising.

The on-site accommodation fees for first year Undergraduate Engineers are £550 per month, which includes all bills. This is taken out of your net salary each month (after tax).

## For September 2020 academic entry requirements are as follows:

A – Maths

A – STEM subject [Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Design & Technology (Product Design (3D), Systems and Control), Electronics, Engineering,



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Further Mathematics, Physics] B – any subject

If you study Physics at A Level, or equivalent, they will expect you to achieve a minimum of a grade B, to demonstrate your aptitude for the subject.

#### https://www.dysoninstitute.com/



# Government Economic Service Degree Level Apprenticeship

**GES-DAP** is:

- An exciting opportunity to work in a central government department or agency on some of the most important social, environmental and economic issues our country faces
- Study a free degree in economics provided by the University of Kent from September 2020.
- Earn at least £20k per year, and £27+ upon successful completion and a permanent job offer!

Begin your application at the website below! You must do this by the **4th February 2020**.

For further information about the Government Economics Service Degree Apprenticeship Programme visit their website where you can find out more about their exciting

- Minimum of five GCSE (including Maths at grade B (6) or above and English Language at C (4) or above) or equivalent
- Minimum of 96 UCAS points under the 2017 tariff point system

#### **Apply here**



#### **Buying & Merchandising**

Are you interested in Fashion and keen to get your foot on the ladder with

M&S? Then apply for their 15-month Buying & Merchandising Apprenticeship that they run in

partnership with the Fashion Retail Academy. Day to day you will work as either a Buying Admin Assistant or a Merchandising Admin Assistant within one of their Clothing & Home Business Units, with one day a week in training at either the Fashion Retail Academy or in the office. The training with the FRA will cover a wider range of topics to give you the broadest level of learning across all areas ranging from the fashion environment, retail communications, critical path management, creative digital skills, garment technology through to managing your own personal and professional development.

If you are interested and have experience working in fashion or a retail environment then apply online.

#### Applications close Friday 14th February 2020.

## https://careers.marksandspencer.com/apprentices hip



#### KPMG

Apprenticeships Audit - Apprenticeship Programme Cambridge Autumn 2020

The largest of their UK practices, Audit is all about examining organisations, and ensuring their published annual accounts are a 'true and fair' reflection of their financial performance.

As a member of their Audit team, you'll focus on delivering high-quality results. You'll use new technologies and tools such as artificial intelligence and predictive analytics, to provide insights and data to produce quality audit outcomes. You'll also have the chance to gain a deep understanding of a variety of businesses across different sectors - from the biggest multinationals through to innovative start-ups.

As an apprentice, you'll gain a breadth of expertise and experience in Audit. You'll be equipped with valuable technical skills, broad commercial understanding and in-depth knowledge of different industry sectors.

Apprentices joining the Audit Programme will have the opportunity to work in a specific business area whilst studying towards a valuable professional qualification

#### Programme Length: 5 years

**Qualifications:** You will work towards Level 7 ACA or CA qualification



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#### **Entry Requirements:**

- Minimum 5 GCSEs Grades 4 9 (inc. Maths and English Language)
- Minimum of 104 UCAS points- under the 2017 tariff point system
- In years 1 and 2 you will complete the AAT Level 3 Advanced Certificate in Bookkeeping and the AAT Level 4 Professional Diploma in Accounting.
- In addition to your role responsibilities, in years 3, 4 and 5 they will support you through Accounting and Taxation apprenticeships at Level 4 and Level 7 with the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales (ACA)

For further information click here



#### Trainee Construction Supervisor Higher Apprenticeship

Their Higher apprenticeship programme is a great opportunity to study towards a college or university qualification while putting everything you have learnt into action through on-the-job training.

Joining their Building team as a Trainee Construction Supervisor, you will help deliver buildings that improve communities and enhance lives across the UK. The Building team's award-winning public-sector projects include Bath Spa University, the Royal London Hospital and Bristol schools. In the private sector, their focus is on commercial and mixed-use buildings. Their expertise in London has created a portfolio that includes some of the capital's iconic buildings, such as The Gherkin and Heron Tower

Studying towards or having achieved equivalent level 3 qualifications worth 64 UCAS points. You will also need to have achieved 5 GSCEs including Maths and English at grades 4 or above. Candidates who do not meet these criteria may be considered based on demonstrable relevant work experience

- A good communicator and organiser
- You enjoy working outdoors
- Start date: End of August 2020
- Application deadline: 29<sup>th</sup> February 2020
- Location: central London site based



#### https://jobs.skanska.com/jobs/traineeconstruction-supervisor-higher-apprenticeship-2020-london-16598

#### **Parents Survey**

It is extremely important for us to gather feedback from parents on the quality of careers education within the school. We ask if you could complete this quick 2 minute survey on careers education to help us improve going forwards. The survey can be accessed by clicking the link below or scanning the QR code.

#### https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/NXGTC8W



#### **Careers on the School Website**

Did you know we have a dedicated section on the school website to support students, parents, carers and employers interested in finding out more about careers at Haileybury Turnford. It can be accessed by clicking on the link below. If there is any information missing from there that you would like to know please do not hesitate to contact me.

#### https://haileyburyturnford.com/news-andevents/careers/

If you have any questions or queries relating to careers please contact the careers leader Kate Ward on wardk@haileyburyturnford.com