



### Get into Accounting with PwC, EY & CIMA

Have you ever thought about a career in accounting or business? Do you want to hear from two of the Big 4 and the world's largest accounting qualification body? The Young Professionals have brought together PwC, EY and CIMA for a very exclusive evening webinar in accountancy and business.

They have keynote talks from partners at EY and PwC, CIMA VP's address, workshops and mini accounting exercises as well as a recruitment panel to talk you through all the opportunities you can get involved with.

#### Webinar Details:

- Wednesday 2nd December, 5pm - 6:30pm
- Insight to Accounting & Business (hear from the professionals!)
- Partner keynotes from EY & PwC with VP keynote from CIMA
- Audit and Accounting workshops with mini exercises
- Recruitment panel taking all about paid work experience opportunities and apprenticeships

Registration Link:

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/YP-Accounting>

They only have capacity for 100 spaces for this event and as such is likely to be very popular, if you are interested please do sign up ASAP to secure your place.



Arkwright Engineering Scholarships provide financial support, mentoring, exclusive events and industry experience opportunities to ambitious students pursuing a career in engineering.

Now heading into its 30th anniversary year, their Scholarship programme supports students through their sixth form studies, who apply during Year 11\*, giving them access to a variety of enrichment opportunities and £600 to enhance their studies. The title 'Arkwright Engineering Scholar' is an accolade that will benefit students' applications to university, higher apprenticeships and jobs for years to come

**Scholarships, and will close on Friday 15th January 2021.**

<https://www.arkwright.org.uk/our-scholarships/arkwright-scholarships>

### Insight to GSK

The Young Professionals have teamed up with one of the world's largest pharmaceutical companies, GSK to put on a very exclusive webinar for school students looking to get into a STEM related career. The webinar is taking place on 26th November, 5pm - 6pm and is open to all students across the UK who would like to find a bit more about what a career at GSK could look like.



#### GSK Webinar Details:

- Insight to GSK - 26th November, 5pm - 6pm
- GSK are a £34 billion global pharmaceutical company
- GSK have been behind some of the trials and testing for the Covid Vaccine
- Hear from some of their scientists, recruitment teams and current graduates / apprentices
- Opportunities to work at GSK and work experience summer placements
- We are encouraging you to bring your parents along to this webinar

Registration Link:

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/YP-GSK>

### Apprenticeships and careers with the Armed Forces webinar

Amazing Apprenticeships will be hosting an exclusive webinar with the Armed Forces to explore the apprenticeship opportunities available within the British Army, Royal Navy and Royal Air Force. Join them on 25th November at 3:30pm to find out more!



All three services we recently listed in the **top 10 of the Top 100 Apprenticeship Employers** (British Army secured #1, Royal Navy secured #3 and Royal Air Force #10) which is a phenomenal achievement.

They will speak with leads from each of the service areas to understand more about the vacancies and opportunities that they have and how you can access them.

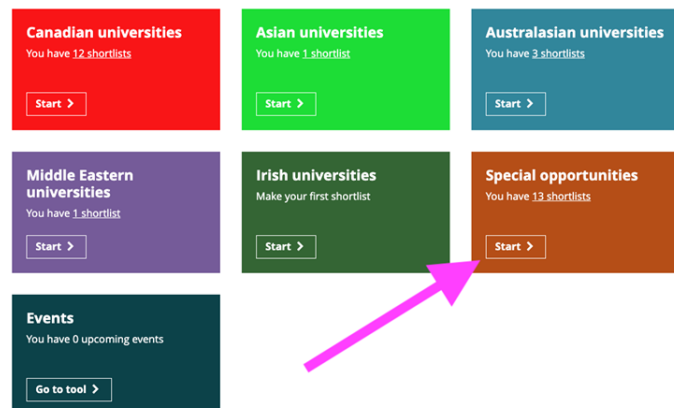
[Click here to register](#)

## Unifrog Know-How Library Guide of the week

### Understanding Human Rights

Our featured guide this week helps students learn about the fundamental freedoms we are all entitled to. It covers what Human Rights are, why they're important, and how you can stand up for them.

[Go to guide](#)



### Unifrog now has 75+ Virtual Work Experience opportunities in the Special opportunities tool

Recently it's been difficult for students to secure WEX, but we've just added 75+ Virtual Work Experience opportunities.

Here's how students can find these new opportunities:

- Go to the Special opportunities tool
- On 'Country' page students select 'Online / Worldwide'
- On 'Longlist' page filter for 'Virtual Work Experience'.

### Subject Discovery Webinars Everyday this week

Law	Tuesday 24 November 4-5pm	Business & Management	Wednesday 25 November 4-5pm
Creative Arts & Design	Thursday 26 November 4-5pm	Hospitality	Friday 27 November 4-5pm
Computer Science	Monday 30 November 4-5pm	Engineering	Tuesday 1 December 4-5pm
Medicine	Wednesday 2 December 4-5pm	Psychology	Thursday 3 December 4-5pm

There is a Subject Discovery webinar **every day this week**, and more next week too. If you have students who might be interested in any of the Subject Discovery webinars, here's more information for them including details on how to sign up for free: [Subject Discovery pdf](#)



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## VIRTUAL EMPLOYER ENCOUNTERS

**Hertfordshire Opportunities Portal (HOP) conduct a series of webinars each week that feature interviews with local employers.**

Our next Virtual Encounter will take place on **THURSDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2020** (3:30pm) and the theme will be **CAREERS in JOURNALISM**

This webinar focuses on careers in both broadcasting and written journalism. We are delighted to welcome two esteemed professionals from the industry who will be able to share some valuable insights and experiences and answer your questions.

**Aysha Iqbal** now runs an organisation called Wizz Media that provides training and experiences for young people interested in Journalism careers. Aysha graduated from London Metropolitan University in 2001 having studied Communications and Audio/Visual Production Studies but has gone on to be a reporter and newsreader for BBC spotlight and ITV South West for and is a Sony Gold Award recipient.

**Darren Isted** has spent almost 35 years in the media, working as a journalist, broadcaster, editor and now publisher with his own business. He started his career as trainee reporter at The Stevenage Comet, a paper which he went on to edit for 12 years. He has also broadcasted radio and TV news for BBC and ITN and also worked as a sports journalist for Sky Sports TV. Darren's business Hashtag Digital Media now publishes magazines for businesses and industry and programmes for a range of sports organisations. He is currently the national logbook moderator for the NCTJ (National Council for the Training of Journalists).

**We believe this webinar will be of most relevance and interest for students in Years 10 – 13 who have an interest in Journalism careers. Although students who enjoy English and other written subjects are most likely to have an interest in this career there are no specific subjects that need to be studied to gain realistic entry routes into the industry.**

**We have 100 places** available and are initially able to offer each school **up to 6 places** but additional places may be available on request.

The registration link can be found [here](#):

## Explore studying in the USA and get help applying to American universities

Applications are open for the Sutton Trust US Programme 2021.

The **Sutton Trust US Programme** helps state school students from across the UK explore US study and access leading universities through support, advice, UK residentials and a one-week trip to visit a variety of US universities. Year 12 students can now apply to be part of the tenth cohort. It is free to take part in the programme.

The student application deadline is on Sunday 17 January.

### Who can apply?

To be eligible to apply, students must:

- / Currently be in Year 12
- / Attend, and have always attended, a state-funded 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



### Application Process

Their online application form is based on the Common Application, an admissions platform used by over 900 American universities.

Among other things, the application will ask questions on an applicant's:

- ☐ Academic profile
- ☐ Extra-curricular activities
- ☐ Family and financial background information
- ☐ Passport and visa information

Applicants are required to complete five short essays, and a video interview. Students will also have to coordinate a reference from a member of staff at their current school. Students who apply will have the chance at a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to explore what studying in the US is like.

Programme participants get a taste of what it's like being an international student in the US and can decide if it's the right fit for them.

<https://us.suttontrust.com/>

## Generation Stevenage

Generation Stevenage is an online event for young people aged 15-18, showcasing the exciting STEM career opportunities available on their doorstep. The event brings together Stevenage's world-class employers, including:

- MBDA: engineering, technology, maths
- Airbus: engineering, technology, maths
- GSK: science and healthcare
- NHS: science and healthcare
- Cell and Gene Therapy Catapult: life sciences
- Stevenage Bioscience Catalyst: life sciences



Students will be able to ask questions and attend two breakout sessions to hear from apprentices and early career starters on what it is like to work in their chosen sectors. A webinar recording will be made available on HOP (Hertfordshire Opportunities Portal) following the event, as a resource for students, schools and colleges.

Generation Stevenage will be delivered via Zoom on Tuesday 1 December from 6pm-7.35pm. Register via HOP, the premier gateway in Hertfordshire to explore career opportunities.



Visit [www.hopinto.co.uk/generation-stevenage](http://www.hopinto.co.uk/generation-stevenage) to learn more and book your free place.

### Amazing Apprenticeships Parent Pack

The latest apprenticeship information & advice for parents, supported by the National Apprenticeship Service. In the November issue, they look at the regional Apprenticeship Awards, WorldSkills UK Live, Top 100 Apprenticeship Employers, a Traineeship case study, apprenticeships in traditional trade areas and more!

<https://amazingapprenticeships.com/app/uploads/2020/11/Parent-Pack-November-2020-1.pdf>



## Mace

### 2021 Apprenticeship - Cost Consultancy (Quantity Surveying) – London

Cost consultancy is the management and procurement of a construction project predominantly but not limited to cost and contract management. Cost Consultants may often be referred to as professional quantity surveyors (PQS) or Cost Managers. Their role is to represent the client and protect the client's interest within the clients design team. They are involved in every stage of a construction project from early inception through to final delivery with a main contractor. Their role includes working with a client or developer to estimate the initial cost of a proposed build, to managing the setting up of contracts and the post contract financial management between the client and the main contractor of construction projects.

You will be sponsored through a five-year part-time BSc degree in quantity surveying. We will provide support and mentoring to develop your experience and achieve Membership of the Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors within six years.

Entry requirements for this role are 112 UCAS points



### 2021 Apprenticeship - Planning – London

As a Trainee Planning Manager you will assist the project team in the master planning, management and coordination of construction activities to ensure the project is delivered on time, on budget and to the required safety, environmental and quality standards. Your responsibilities will increase throughout the programme as your technical knowledge and skills develop. Gain awareness and knowledge of construction techniques, methodologies and processes including Construction to Production.

This Apprenticeship is based in London. Entry requirements for this role are 64 UCAS points.

You will be sponsored through a 2 year HNC and further study opportunities will be presented to you once this has been completed.

### 2021 Apprenticeship - Project Management – London

Mace has a vision to be the industry leader in helping shape cities and build sustainable communities. As an apprentice working in project management, you will have the opportunity to be involved in the whole lifecycle of a construction project, from when a client has an idea through to handing over the finished project and then supporting our clients manage the property or building on an ongoing basis. These projects could be in a variety of sectors, for example it could be a school, hospital, home, office or retail outlet.

Project Management Apprentices are supported in working towards a 5 year BSc Construction Management Degree and you will be supported towards accreditation with the Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors (RICS) or the Association of Project Managers (APM).

Entry requirements for this role are 112 UCAS points



### 2021 Apprenticeship - Project Controls – London

Project and Programme controls is a core part of Project and Programme management is a core Mace discipline and typical of our larger commissions in sectors like aviation, infrastructure and energy sectors. It was central to the delivery of major projects and programmes such as the London 2012 Olympic Games, Heathrow Expansion and more recently HS2.

Minimum requirements Grade C,C,C from three A Levels

Project controls apprentices are supported in working to achieve either a Level 4 Diploma in Project Management or a Level 3 Project Controls Technician apprenticeship. We will be deciding which qualification will enable you to get the best construction project controls training and is the most relevant course to help you develop in the role.

<https://www.macegroup.com/careers/school-leaver-and-apprenticeship-programmes>

*If you have any questions or queries relating to careers please contact the careers leader Kate Ward on [wardk@haileyburyturnford.com](mailto:wardk@haileyburyturnford.com)*