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Oxford and Cambridge Student Conferences 2019 bookings open!

We are delighted to invite you and your students to one of eight FREE Student Conferences, organised by the University of Oxford and the University of Cambridge.

Edinburgh - Friday 15 March 2019
Swansea - Monday 18 March 2019
Birmingham - Tuesday 19 March 2019
Aintree - Wednesday 20 March 2019
Newcastle - Thursday 21 March 2019
Lisburn, NI - Tuesday 26 March 2019
Epsom - Wednesday 27 March 2019
Epsom - Thursday 28 March 2019

These full-day conferences are available to students from all UK schools and colleges currently in Year 12 or equivalent, studying for A Levels or comparable qualifications. The conferences include:

- Course information sessions with taster lectures delivered by current Oxford and Cambridge teaching staff
- Up-to-date information on applying to Oxford and Cambridge (including Student Life)
- Student finance and graduate prospects
- Information for teachers and HE advisors
- Admissions Tutors and other staff from both universities will be on hand to answer questions and there will be the opportunity to talk informally to current undergraduates.

Admission to the conferences is by advance ticket only and places are allocated on a first come first served basis, up to a maximum of 25 students per school or college.

If you wish to attend any of the conferences on offer, please let the Post 16 Office know.

Events & Opportunities for Sixth Formers with Leading Universities & Employers

For the latest opportunities and events for Sixth Formers with leading universities and employers, please go to the Pure Potential website at http://purepotential-mail.org/_act/link.php?mId=P9283327479819522934414946453518&tId=149138018

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Rolls Royce - Apprentice and School Leaver Programmes

Apprenticeships & School Leaver Programmes — Engineering, Operations & Business

You want to get a head start in your career. To undertake meaningful work in an organisation that will nurture your skills, but that's also big enough to open up all sorts of new possibilities as you develop.

At the same time, you don't want to miss out on the chance to achieve useful qualifications. All of which means you should consider joining Rolls-Royce.

Where could you join us?

Our programmes for people with A-levels (or equivalent) include degree apprenticeships in these areas:

Non-Destructive Testing (NDT) Engineering

Materials Laboratories

Engineering

Manufacturing Engineering

Supply Chain Management

Project Management

Commercial

Digital & Technology Solutions

What can you expect with us?

Whichever programme you join, you'll undertake live projects, earning as you learn through formal training and practical experiences working alongside our technical or business experts.

You can expect to have a real say in how we do things too – we love fresh perspectives and are big believers that a great idea can come from anyone, at any level. Most of all, you'll have the chance to shape the world we live in. You'll help us to pioneer the power that matters.

Find out more and apply at: https://email.targetcareers.co.uk/rsps/m/3Y8Y-PgW-bCReFAgy_BRI8lylnakZc3ePEMFxLdsi8A

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University of Nottingham: Summer schools and Workshops

Our **University Experience Days** will be taking place on Tuesday 30th April and Thursday 4th July 2019. These events will give year 12 pupils the opportunity to receive information, advice and guidance, speak to current students about university life and experience an academic taster session. Further information can be found on our website.

Applications for our popular **summer schools** are now open! These free programmes are targeted at high achieving year 12 students who may not otherwise have the opportunity to find out what university life is like. The week long summer schools take place in July, and participants continue to receive support throughout year 13.

Our websites www.nottingham.ac.uk/npss and www.nottingham.ac.uk/suttontrust provide further details of the programmes including the dates, subjects and entry criteria.

Applications must be made via our websites by 28th February 2019; all applicants will be assessed after this date and informed by 30th April 2019 the outcome.

WAMS (Widening Access to Medical School) are a group of medical students from the University of Nottingham who are passionate about helping pupils from diverse backgrounds who have an interest in a career in medicine.

They provide support with the aim of bridging the 'opportunity gap' that can often arise as a result of differing socioeconomic backgrounds. Their dedicated team of schools and events co-ordinators have worked hard to create inspiring and innovative sessions, seeking to raise aspirations and offer practical information. Sample events have included:

Introduction to medicine:

- Guide to application
- UKCAT and BMAT
- Personal statement evening
- Mock MMIs
- Doctor for the day

Click here to find out more!: <http://www.wamsnottingham.co.uk/>

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Work Experience Opportunity at PwC - Application Deadline 31 January 2019!

Why not kick off 2019 in the right way by applying to one of our two unique paid summer work experience programmes for Year 12 students*. This year we are offering over 400 work experience places in 2019 across the UK.

Digital Insight Week

Join us for our week-long Digital Insight Week designed to provide you with the knowledge and experience required to prepare you for work in the digital world. You'll spend time getting excellent tuition from technology experts from a range of business areas across PwC, as well as gaining key employability and professional skills for your career going forward. This action-packed week is a great way to network, learn and kickstart your career in technology and beyond.

Business Insight Week

During PwC's Business Insight Week, you'll gain an insight into life at PwC as an apprentice or a graduate. We'll welcome you with a day's training at a central location within your region where you'll get to meet other students on the programme, helping you make friends right from the start. You'll then spend time in the office working on live projects and buddying up with a member of the PwC team. You may even have the opportunity to visit external client offices with your team. If it goes well, you'll have the opportunity to: secure a full-time job with us when you leave school or college; explore our Flying Start degree programme, or join one of our undergraduate work experience programmes if you decide university is for you.

Whether you're looking for a general introduction to potential career pathways into business, or are keen to get stuck into some cutting edge technology, these programmes are worth exploring.

When to apply: The deadline for applications is **Thursday 31 January 2019**

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Goldman Sachs Degree Apprenticeship Programme – Apply Now!

At Goldman Sachs, we believe who you are makes you better at what you do. We seek out people with all types of skills, interests and experiences. So whether you've been trading penny stocks since the eighth grade or have never imagined a career in finance, there's a place for you here.

For us, it's all about bringing together people who are curious, collaborative and have the drive to make things possible for our clients and communities.

About the programme:

The Degree Apprenticeship Programme allows participants to complete an apprenticeship within Goldman Sachs' Technology division while studying for a degree at Queen Mary University of London. After the four-year programme, participants will graduate with a bachelor's degree in Digital and Technology Solutions, with the potential opportunity for a full time position with Goldman Sachs.

Application Deadline: 17 March, 2019

All applications should be made online at www.goldmansachs.com/careers