Careers E-Bulletin

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Y9 – Y13 – Meet the Russell Group Webinars - 28 April – 30 April



Are you interested in going to a Russell Group University? Hear directly from representatives and experts from Russell Group Universities including Cambridge, Leeds, King's College London, Durham, and Manchester. The webinars will cover topics such as 'Personal Statements & Applying' 'Researching University Options' and 'Student Life'.

The webinars will be held across 3 days, but if you are unable to attend you can simply sign up and receive access to recorded versions of each session.

Sign up here: UK University Search Fair Russell Group Webinars | UK University Search

Y10 – Y12 Global University Fair - 3 June, 3–5.30pm



The Unifrog Global Fair is a great opportunity to find out all about studying at university abroad, including the Americas, Asia and Europe. Join over 30 universities from across the world and speak to their representatives via Q&A. You can also choose from 16 live webinar sessions, for example 'Studying in the US', 'Understanding and Accessing International Scholarships and Funding' and 'Making the Most of Studying Abroad'.

Sign up here: - Global university fair

Y11 – Y13 Young Professionals Summer Conference, London – Sat 18 July, 2pm - 6pm



Meet with 30 of the world's biggest brands, take part in workshops, skills sessions, and hear/network with senior leaders from across the industry. This year's event will feature representatives from some of the biggest names in business, banking, finance, law, engineering, and technology including Goldman Sachs, Lloyds Banking Group, KPMG, Grant Thornton, UBS, Slaughter and May, Farrer & Co, A&O Shearman, Charles Russell Speechlys.

You will be able to:

- network with top employers – Speak directly with recruiters and decision-makers from the biggest global firms actively hiring young professionals. Get work experience and secure either a grad role or an apprenticeship.
- hear from senior business leaders as they share insights, career advice, and industry trends.
- expand your professional network – build valuable connections with industry experts, company representatives, and like-minded peers who share your career ambitions.
- attend workshop sessions on CV's, LinkedIn, how to master the corporate recruitment process and much more

You will get a professional LinkedIn headshot as well as a digital PDF link packed with CV templates, how to start a business, top tips on applying to corporate roles, and lots of other useful content.

Please note that there is a booking fee of £26 to secure your place,

Register here: Young Professionals Summer Conference 2026 Afternoon Session Survey

Y11 – Y13 – Make Your Summer Count — Arrange Work Experience!



Now is a great time to arrange a work experience placement for during the summer holidays. Work experience, even for just a day or two, is a brilliant way to explore possible careers, gain confidence, and build valuable skills. It will give you a taste of working life and help you understand what different jobs are really like.

Taking part in a placement can strengthen your CV, apprenticeship, or university applications, and shows future employers that you are motivated and proactive. You'll also develop key skills which employers are looking for such as communication, teamwork, and time management.

Think about what interests you and start asking — family contacts, your friends' parents, local businesses, charities are often happy to help. Placements fill up quickly, so the sooner you start, the better. You might also want to look at websites like Springpod for virtual placements that you can complete in your own time - Gain Virtual Work Experience. Earn certificates - 100% free! | Springpod. Companies like InvestIn offer great paid for placements too - InvestIN | The Ultimate Work Experience – InvestIN Education

Your summer could be the first step towards your future career — take the opportunity!