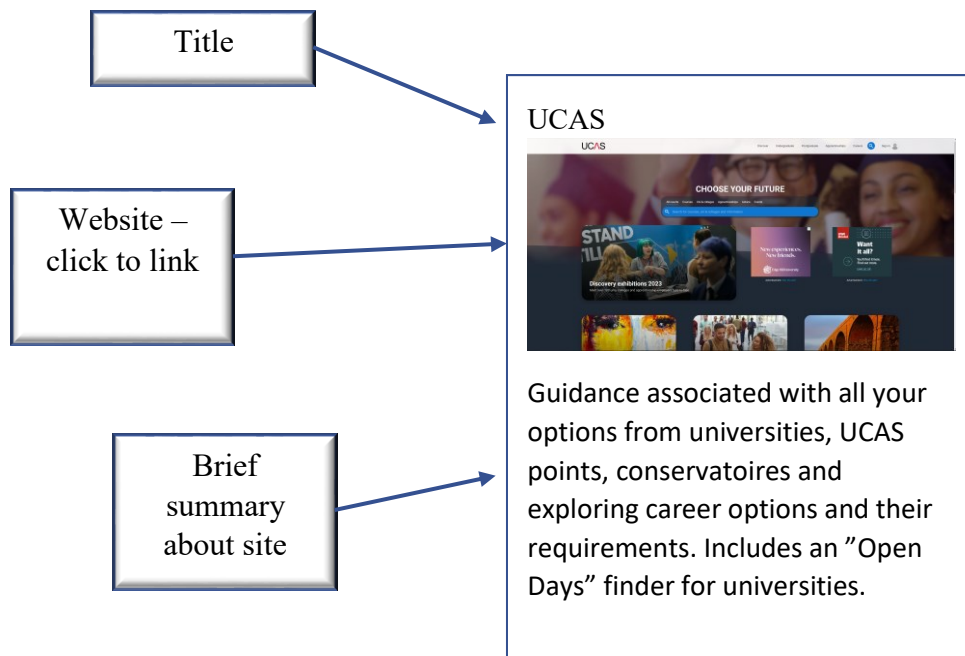


Useful Career Websites

On the following pages are websites you can visit to find out more about your chosen area of interest.

Each box has a brief explanation of what is on each website.

Click on the image of the website to follow the link straight to it.



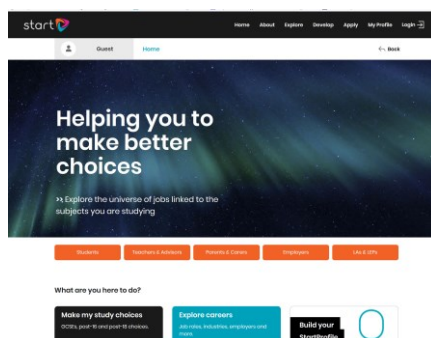
Careers Information

Milkround



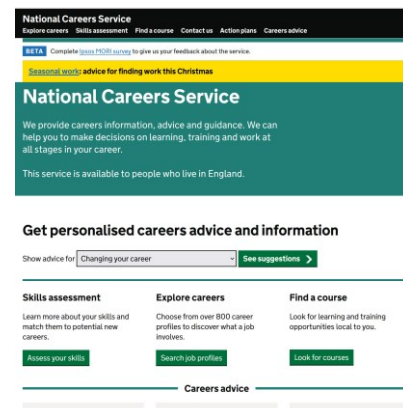
A career resource hub targeted at school and college leavers aged 16 to 18. Lots of information about careers, universities and apprenticeship options and associated support and guidance.

Start Profile



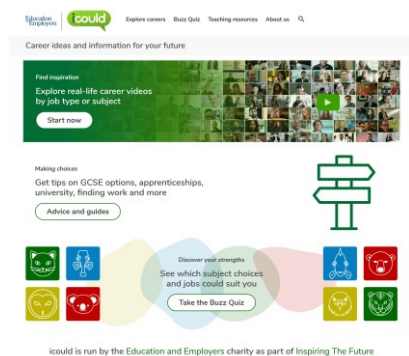
Careers site for 11-24-year-old students. Create a personal profile to help identify jobs and training that will suit you. Explore jobs to find out what you could do. Explore different qualifications and training routes.

National Careers Service



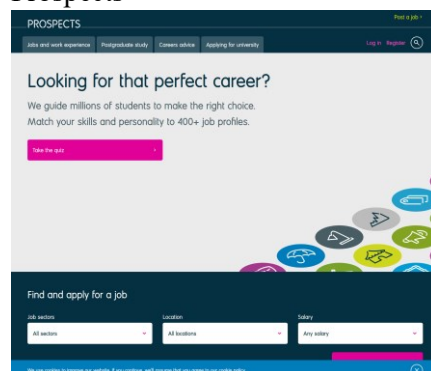
Over 800 job profiles telling you what a job involves and how to get into it. Help with CVs and interview advice.

iCould



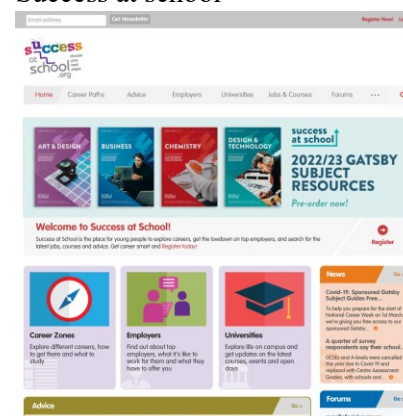
icould gives you the inside story of how careers work. The icould storytellers relate their real-life career journeys. There are over a thousand easy to search, varied and unique career videos as well as hundreds of written articles. There are also quizzes to support your search and provide career suggestions.

Prospects



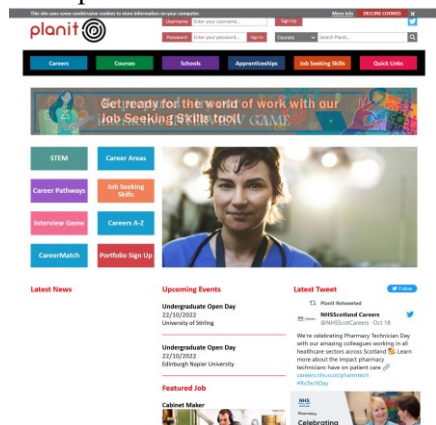
This website includes skill matching, careers advice and jobs and work experience sections. Choose your likely degree subjects (one at a time) and the website will give you ideas of graduate jobs you could consider and the skills you will develop.

Success at school



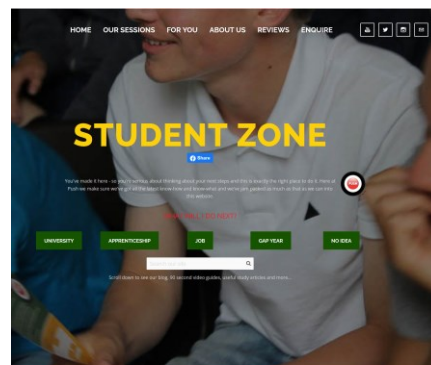
Useful careers guidance and careers zone focused on different jobs, what to study and how to get there. <https://targetcareers.co.uk/> A guide to potential career paths, choosing the most appropriate A level subjects and which careers require specific degrees or A levels.

Planitplus



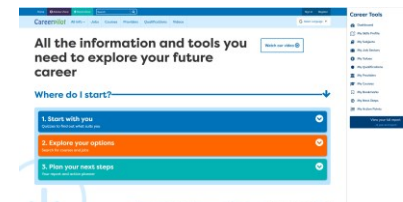
Helps you match your subjects with possible careers, has a course matching page to aid you in identifying courses relevant to your career interests.

Push talks



Push Talks are unique to any other school talk you've ever heard. They use comedy and storytelling to relate their deep expertise on higher and further education, careers, skills and employability.

Career Pilot



An online resource that helps you consider your options. This resource has a range of sections dedicated to job sectors, qualifications, identifying and recording skills and an online test.

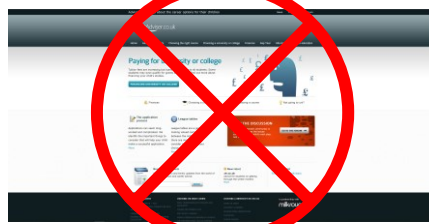
Parental Support and Guidance

Parental Guidance



Advice, tips and guidance on all aspects from apprenticeships to colleges and higher education, to completing applications and interviews.

Parent adviser



Advice for parents on helping your child to research, understand qualifications and influences in their lives.

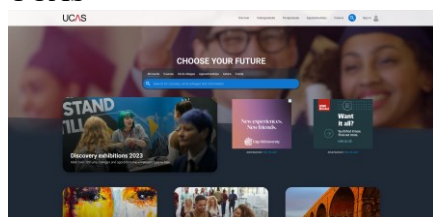
Apprenticeships



A guide to what apprenticeships are, how you can support your young person to apply and what skills and experience will be relevant.

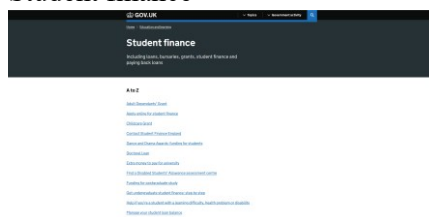
UK Universities:

UCAS



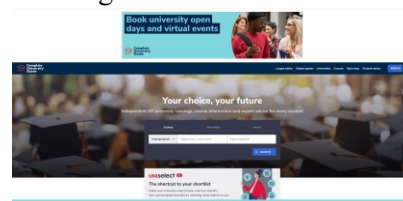
Guidance associated with all your options from universities, UCAS points, conservatoires and exploring career options and their requirements. Includes an "Open Days" finder for universities.

Student finance



This site provides up to date information on student finance, fees & help available.
<https://www.theuniguide.co.uk/>
Includes an A Level explorer, ways to find courses and information about where you can study.

Uni league tables



Includes information about where and what to study along with league tables and general advice for university.

Informed choices



#What you study at sixth form or college can affect your options at university, use informed choices to help you understand which subjects open up different degrees.

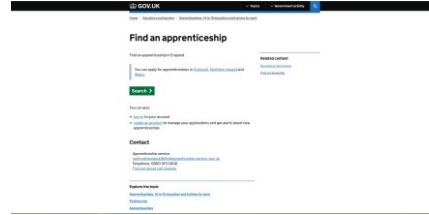
Apprenticeships and Traineeships:

Find apprenticeships



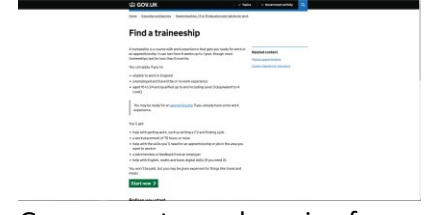
Government site to help you track down apprenticeships

Apprenticeships UK



Government search engine for apprenticeships

Find traineeships



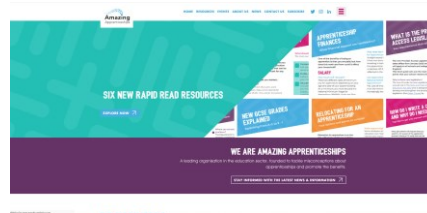
Government search engine for traineeships

Institute of apprenticeships



The institute for apprenticeships and technical education provides information for apprentices, available apprenticeship standards and resources.

Amazing Apprenticeships



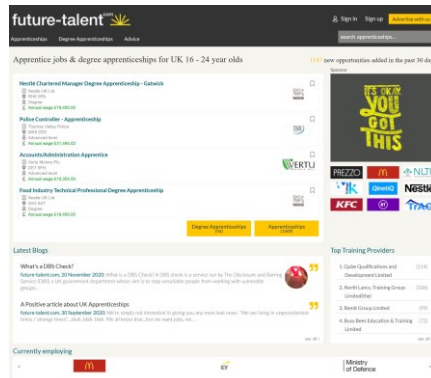
Explains what apprenticeships are, how they work, and the different types. It also provides resources for prospective apprentices and parents to help you understand everything you need to know to secure and succeed in an apprenticeship.

Apprenticeship guide



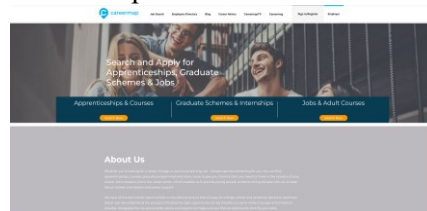
It's full of information on what apprenticeships you can study, how you apply, who offers apprenticeship schemes, and much, much more. Have a look at the industry sectors to decide and see what's on offer.

Future talent



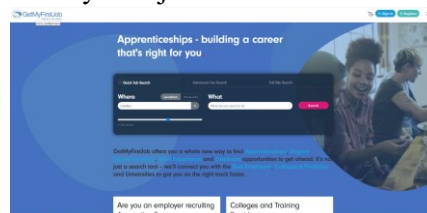
Future-talent.com is designed to show you the alternatives to going to university. Apprenticeships, internships, courses, training and gap years. Predominantly a job board but also a mix of information and case studies related to the sectors that you may be interested in pursuing.

Career map



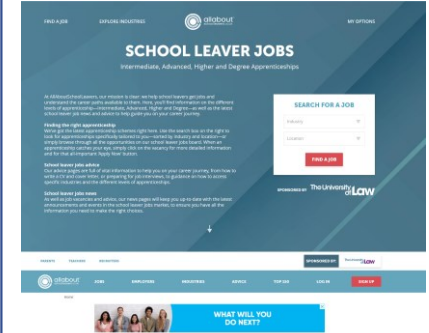
Many apprenticeship offerings, jobs and training options, along with videos focused on apprenticeship experiences and roles in a variety of companies.

Get my first job



Apprenticeship and traineeship opportunities and matching site.

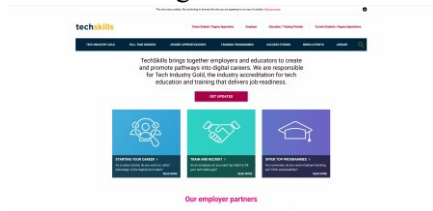
School leavers



UK wide job and apprenticeship search engine for school leavers. www.notgoingtouni.co.uk Information is available on all the alternatives to university. Includes distance learning, apprenticeships, foundation degrees, getting a job, gap years and vocational training.

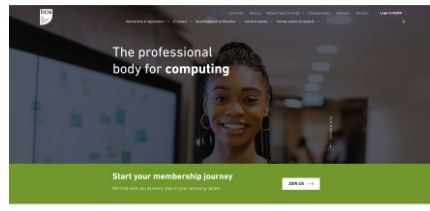
IT and Digital careers:

Tech Skills degrees



Interested in a career in IT? Tech Partnership Degrees unites employers and universities and provides details of courses and placement opportunities for students.

Chartered Institute of IT



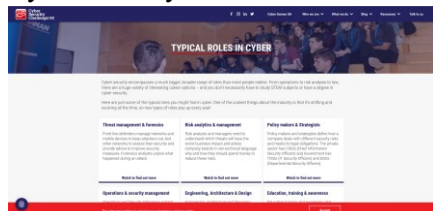
The Chartered Institute for IT provides events and insight into IT related skills and careers, alongside digital apprenticeships.

Women in Tech



Provides advice and information about events and case studies for those interested in entering IT and digital careers.

Cyber security



Guidance around typical roles available in the cyber / security areas of IT.

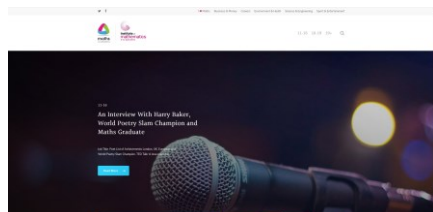
IT career path options



An American site that provides IT career path options and skills requirements.

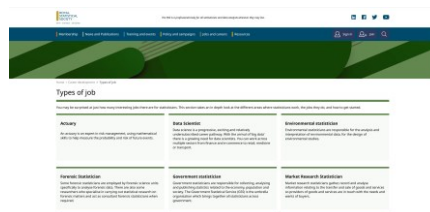
Maths, Statistics and Accountancy:

Careers in Maths



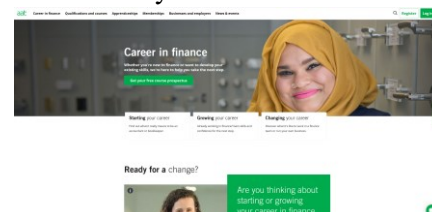
Use this resource to explore the range of careers where mathematics plays a significant role.

Statisticians



If you are forward thinking, IT-savvy, interested in finding practical solutions to problems in society and the world we live in and you enjoy working with numbers and people, this could be the career for you. The RSS's Careers in Statistics provides all you need to know about being a professional statistician.

Accountancy



Accountancy training company that provides vocational qualifications as an alternative to A Levels.

Mechanical, Engineering or Construction:

Quarrying



Quarrying - the rock, sand & gravel we need for places to live, work & play. Take a look at an industry many of us take for granted & its career opportunities. Look beneath the surface at a vibrant, high tech & environmentally responsible industry offering a host of exciting & rewarding career opportunities.

House building



Guidance and job roles in house building such as bricklaying, carpentry, quantity surveying, sales advisor, roofer and others. Describes typical tasks, earning potential, qualifications, and career path.

Engineering development



EDT (Engineering Development Trust) provides opportunities for 11-21-year olds to enhance their technical, personal and employability skills through industry-led projects, industrial placements and specialised courses. It develops partnerships, build links between education and industry and helps organisations reach talent and connect with young engineers and scientists.

Tomorrow's engineers



Provides advice on what is engineering, things to consider and approaches to take in developing the skills required to become an engineer.

Construction careers



Considering a career in construction? Explore and use the online tools to find out what a career in construction can offer you, whether you're starting out or considering a career change.

Motor industry



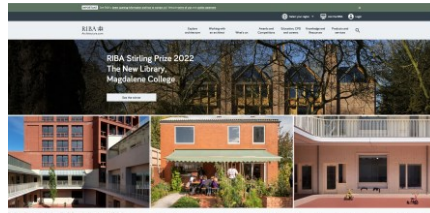
View useful information on careers and apprenticeships in the motor industry. Videos showing the 150+ motor careers that you could choose from.

Oil & Gas engineers



Explore this site for careers information about the oil and gas industry. OPITO is the global skills body for the oil and gas sector that also offers training courses and details on apprenticeships and training providers.

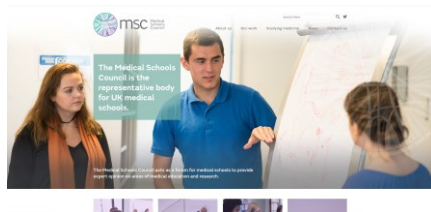
Architects



The Royal Institute of British Architects. Find information about careers in architecture, entry pathways, available support and guidance on studying architecture.

Medicine and Health:

Medical schools



This website has lots of useful information about medical school. If you look under "Studying Medicine, Resources for students and teachers", you will find information about entry requirements, different medical schools and UKCAT and BMAT

Health careers



Search careers within the NHS. There is much more than just doctors and nurses and you can compare roles, their characteristics and requirements.

Health and care profession



Health and Care Professions Council covering Health, Psychological and Social Work careers.

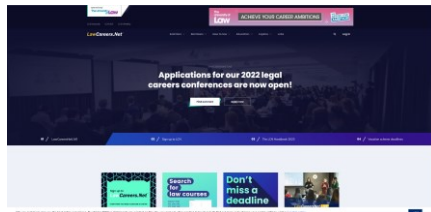
NHS career options



Insight into over 350 potential career options within the NHS.

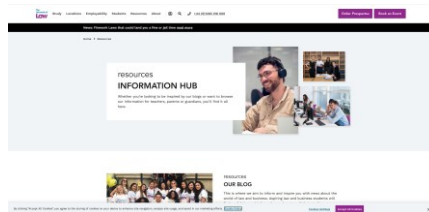
Law:

Law careers



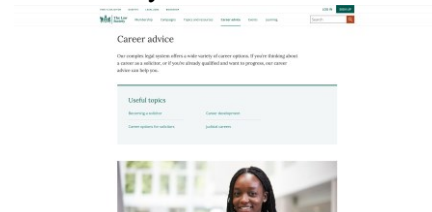
View information about careers in law, apprenticeships and entry routes.

Uni of Law



The University of Law. Future Lawyers Network is a resource to help current and prospective law students become successful modern lawyers. With expert advice and insight, they aim to help you understand the legal market, prepare you for interviews and manage the early stages of your career.

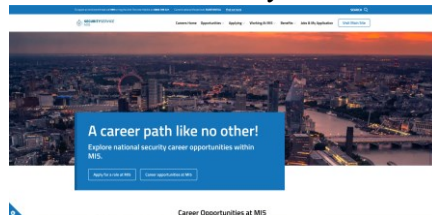
Law Society



There exists a wide variety of career options in the legal profession, the law society site looks at why you should choose a career in law, what your career choices are and how to progress.

Intelligence, Security and Services:

MI5 – Internal security



Not James Bond - MI5 offers a range of training, development and career opportunities for school leavers and graduates

MI6 – Secret Intelligence Service



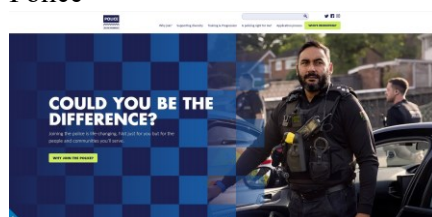
Like James Bond - MI6 offers a range of training, development and career opportunities for school leavers and graduates

GCHQ



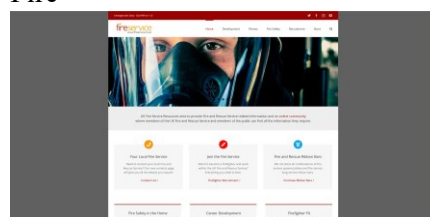
MI5, MI6 and GCHQ offer a range of training, development and career opportunities for school leavers and graduates. Find out more about what it's like to work for the secret services, what they do and what they can offer you.

Police



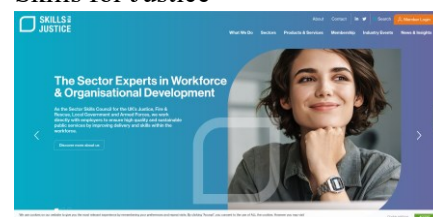
The site offers general information on joining the police force in the UK. It also details opportunities to get into an apprenticeship with the Police, what the entry routes are.

Fire



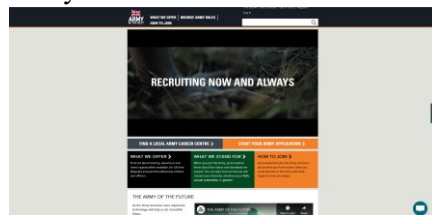
An unofficial website aimed for those interested in becoming firefighters. Information including , contact details, tips on filling in forms, going for interviews, and the various tests you have to complete.

Skills for Justice



Skills for Justice is a not-for-profit organisation committed to the development of an improved and sustainable workforce across the UK's Justice, Fire and Rescue, Local Government and Armed Forces sectors.

Army



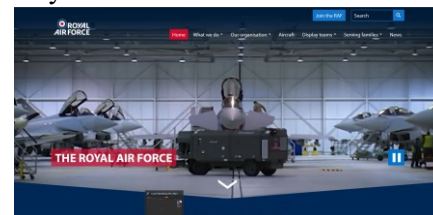
Careers in the Army

Royal Navy



Careers in the Navy

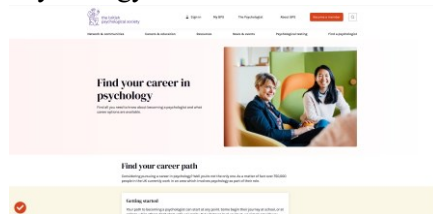
Royal Air Force



Explore careers in the armed forces.

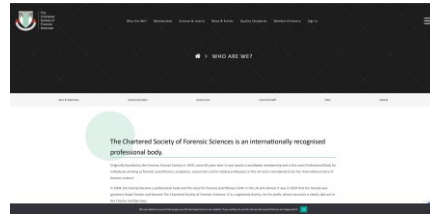
Psychology, Criminology, Forensics and Sociology:

Psychology



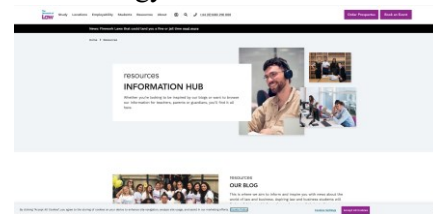
The British Psychological Society is a registered charity which acts as the representative body for psychology and psychologists in the UK.

Forensic science



Contains resources packs about careers in forensic science, crime science investigation, laboratory work and similar.

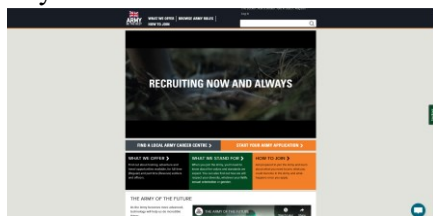
Criminology



The British Society of Criminology is the sector's professional body and offers events and development and networking opportunities for careers in criminology.

Science and the Environment:

Physics



Institute of Physics for ideas and advice on careers using physics.

Chemistry



Royal Society of Chemistry for ideas and careers using chemistry.

Royal Society of Biology



Royal Society of Biology for ideas and careers using biology.

Met Office



Careers from forecasting, observations, technology and engineering to marketing, business development or finance. Find out about the benefits and rewards you can get if you work for the Met Office.

Social research



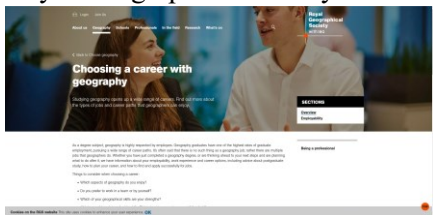
If you are looking for a career in social research this site provides general advice on who social researchers work for, training, qualifications needed and where to job search.

Green jobs



A green jobs recruitment agency with lists of jobs in a variety of industries.

Royal Geographical Society



The Royal Geographical Society provides information on career opportunities, studying geography and information on summer schools and research.

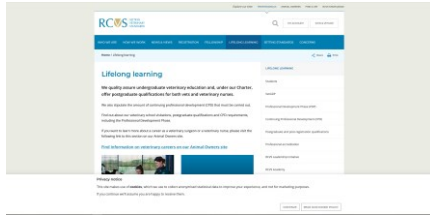
Environment



The institution of environmental sciences for careers information, education and pathways into the environmental sciences.

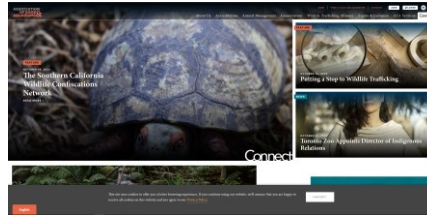
Land-Based, Vets and Animal / Animal Care:

Veterinary surgeons



The Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons – gives a good overview of how to become a vet or veterinary nurse.
<http://www.rspca.org.uk/utilities/jobs> RSPCA website gives lots of facts about jobs in animal care and how to become an inspector.

Zoos & aquariums



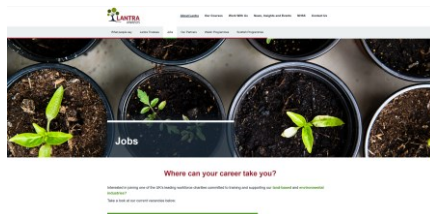
Careers in zoos and aquariums
Association of zoos and aquariums, details on the careers available and resources to help find them

Horse racing



There are many different types of jobs in the horse racing industry. This website has case studies, details about the jobs, what's involved in the jobs, qualifications and advice.

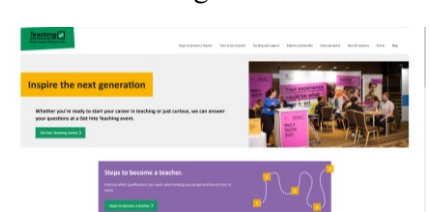
Land-based careers



Land-based and environmental careers. Explores Agriculture, Animal Care, Animal Technology, Aquaculture, Environmental Conservation, Equine, Farriery, Fencing, Fisheries Management, Floristry, Game & Wildlife Management, Land-based engineering, Horticulture, Landscaping & Sports Turf, Production Horticulture, Trees & Timber and Veterinary.

Teaching:

Get into teaching



Look at up to date information about getting into the teaching profession. If you are interested in this career, this website is a must for you. You'll find out about the different training routes and what a career in teaching has to offer.

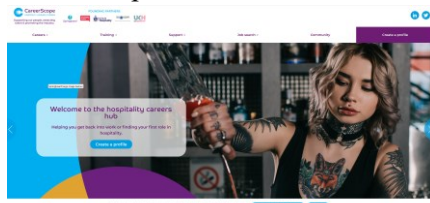
Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM):



STEM Career information relating to science and maths, broken down into age categories for students with additional support for parents, teachers and careers staff.

Food and Hospitality:

Career scope



Provides information about careers in hospitality, leisure and tourism, including learning about the industry, your options, career tools and getting work.

Tasty careers



Includes role descriptions, apprenticeship and job vacancies and why you might consider a career in the food and drink industry.

Institute of food science



The institute of food science and technology offers careers information about food science careers and how to get into them.

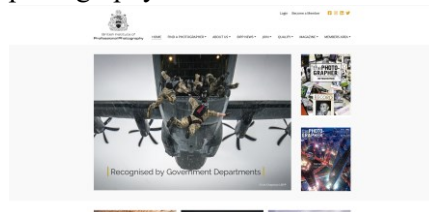
Fashion, Interior Design and Photography:

Fashion & Textiles



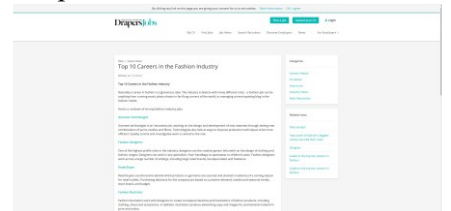
The fashion and textiles industries skills body can help you identify training; understand career opportunities and the skills and qualifications you may require.

British Institute of Professional photography



The British Institute of Professional Photography supporting professional photographers offering qualifications, events, training and competitions.

Drapers



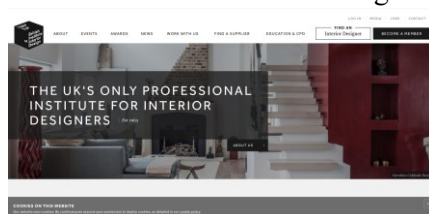
Sustainable fashion and digital innovations in the fashion industry.

Fashion & Textiles museum



The Fashion and Textile Museum is a cutting-edge centre for contemporary fashion, textiles and jewellery in London. Founded by iconic British designer Zandra Rhodes, the centre showcases a programme of changing exhibitions exploring this world. The Academy also runs courses for creative students and businesses.

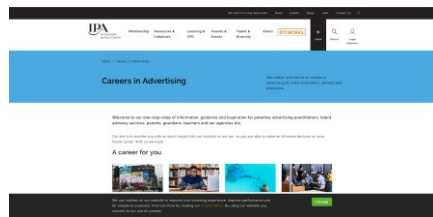
British Institute of Interior design



The British Institute of Interior Design includes design challenges and competitions, advice on how to choose interior design courses and is the UK professional institute for interior designers.

Creative, Media and Entertainment:

IPA



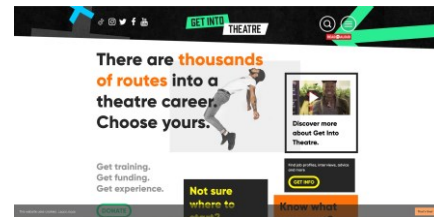
To learn more about opportunities for a career in advertising, the right roles and how to get into a career in advertising.

Journalists



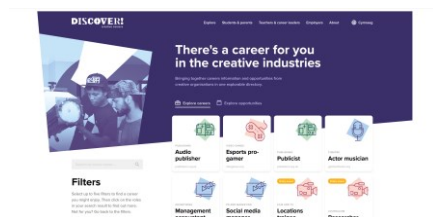
The National Council for the training of journalists. Explore training schemes to equip you to work in this multi-media industry.

Get into theatre



Hundreds of ways to enter careers working in the theatre. Ideas on where and how to start and step by step guides to support you.

Discover creative



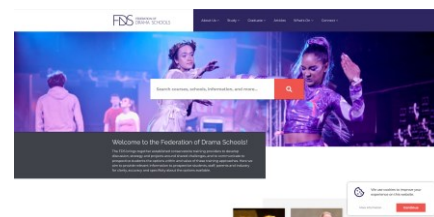
Brings together careers information and opportunities from creative organisations. Find careers that you enjoy in all areas of creative skills from textiles to video games, dance and theatre to coding and CGI/animation.

Screen skills



ScreenSkills - industry-led skills charity for the screen industries. Gives insight, career development and other opportunities. The industry's leading casting resource, used by companies ranging from the BBC through to individual casting directors.

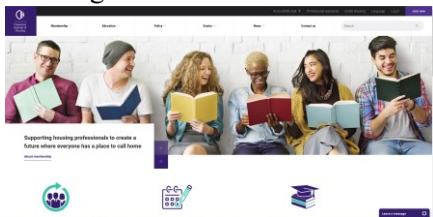
Drama schools



The Federation of Drama Schools is a group of institutions that provide conservatoire style vocational training for those who want to be professional performers, theatre makers and technical theatre practitioners.

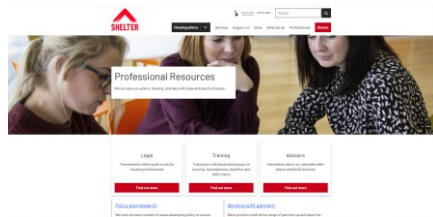
Housing:

Housing institute



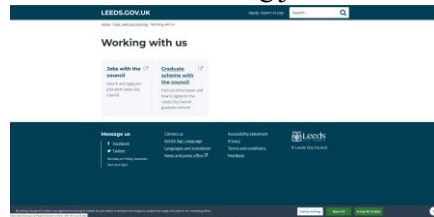
Working in housing is not just about the building - it's making a positive difference to people's lives, their communities & their life chances by providing people with a decent home & environment in which to live. The Housing Academy offers apprenticeship opportunities, qualifications, and training

Shelter



Charity providing support for homeless people

Leeds council housing jobs



Leeds city council job opportunities in housing

Tourism:

Institute of Hospitality



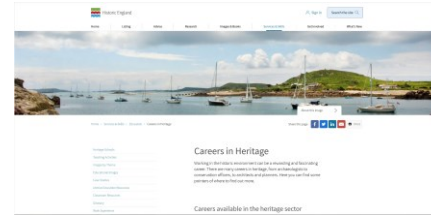
The Institute of Hospitality provides hospitality career & job seeking resources.

Prospects



Detailed information about how to gain access to a career in Transport and Logistics.

Historic England



HE provides guidance on careers, work experience & volunteering in the heritage industry.

Travel & Tourism



The Institute of Travel and Tourism is the professional body of the travel industry.

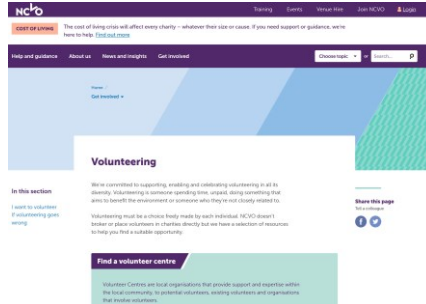
Volunteering and Work Experience:

Do it life



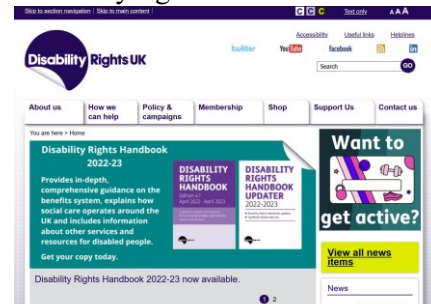
Explore and apply for volunteering opportunities in your area.

NCVO



Lots of useful information on finding a voluntary work placement.

Disability rights



Advice on Disability Rights.

Global premeds



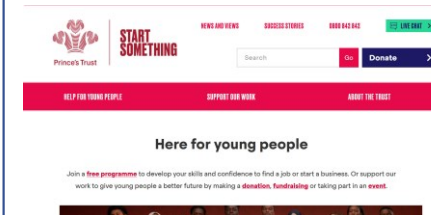
Global Pre-Meds provides 2- week residential medical work experience & doctor shadowing placements for aspiring healthcare students in hospitals in the Caribbean.

National Citizens' Service



If you are 15 to 17 and looking to get the most out of your summer, join the National Citizen Service for a great experience! Meet new people, make life-long friends and gain new skills for your CV.

Prince's Trust



Detailed information and help for anyone thinking of becoming self-employed.

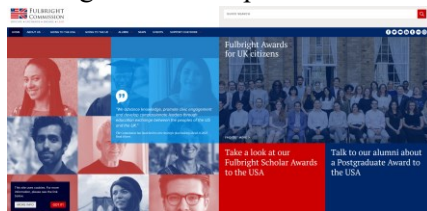
Worldwide and European Study:

Study options



Study Options is for people looking to study in Australia and New Zealand. The official representative of Australian and New Zealand universities and colleges in the UK and Ireland.

Fulbright scholarships



The US-UK Educational Commission (Fulbright Commission) fosters mutual cultural understanding through educational exchanges between the US and the UK.

Overseas Universities



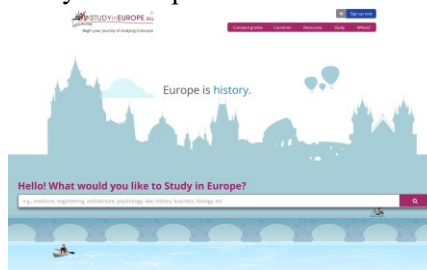
Courses available in popular overseas locations as well as discussing important issues such as finance, accommodation and visa requirements. It includes information on scholarships.

Star future



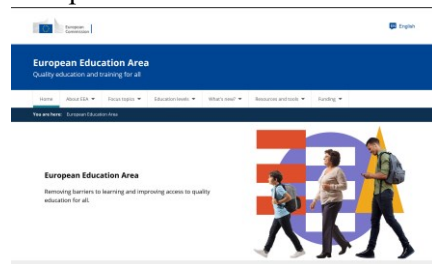
Information about international higher education opportunities for students, parents and advisors. Advice on the right university & course, application process, entry requirements, financial information, tuition fees & costs.

Study in Europe



Information about, admission requirements, grading systems, tuition fees etc. Tips and advice on student life abroad for students who want to study entirely in English.

European Commission



European Commission of Education and Training provides comprehensive industry sector and equal opportunities information.

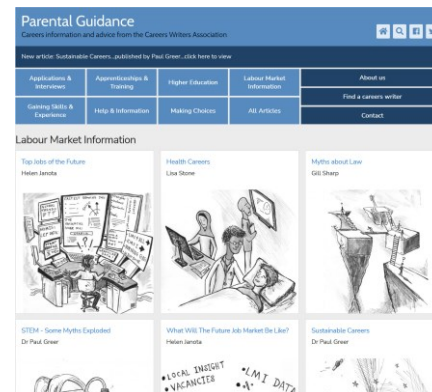
Eunicas



Eunicas provides information about studying abroad.

Labour Market Information:

Labour market information



Articles written by career professionals with links to resources that will help you identify current and future trends.