

South London Careers Hub Newsletter – April 2022



Mobilisation Update:

We are pleased to announce that most of the South London Careers Hub's Enterprise Coordinators have joined the team.

Since joining the team, they have been working extremely hard to match schools with businesses through Enterprise Advisors.

The Careers and Enterprise Company have been focusing on supporting schools and colleges to achieve Gatsby Benchmark 1 (GB1). Please let us know whether the South London careers Hub can support your institution to achieve this benchmark.

Additionally, the Careers and Enterprise Company have developed a [useful Resource Directory](#) to support schools to achieve GB1, along with the other GB.

Dates for the Diary

5th May: Compass+ Training

Compass+ training will show how to get started and make the most of the platform's key functionalities. Compass+ can help you benchmark, manage, track and report your school's careers programme. The session will help you to get to grips with the basics of the platform and discover handy hints and tips. If you would like to attend the event, please use this [link](#) to sign up on our Eventbrite page.

17th May: Preparing for Ofsted

An essential preparation workshop for Ofsted Inspection. This event is primarily intended for Careers Leaders to support getting ready for inspection. Please register [here](#).

18th May: Careers Leaders Work Experience CPD

Gain a better understanding of work experience! This event will be dedicated to all our South London Partnership (SLP) Careers Leaders and will provide information on local work experience opportunities, alternatives to traditional work experience models/approaches. If you would like to attend, please sign up [here](#).

1st July: London Careers Educators Conference

This all-day conference, being held in central London, will feature a series of **Continued Professional Development** workshops and seminars designed to support you in your role delivering quality careers education to young Londoners. This is also an opportunity to join other careers educators from across London to share best practice. If you would like to attend, please sign up [here](#).

NEXT SOUTH LONDON CAREERS LEADERS NETWORK MEETING:

23rd June
3pm – 4.30pm

CAREERS HUB - BE A MEMBER

Just a reminder...

If you haven't already done so, please could you complete your MOU and return it to the team asap.

Any questions, please drop us an email:

slcareershub@southlondonpart

Labour Market Information: Careers in the Spotlight

Health and Social Care

There are many job roles in Health and Social Care and a career in this sector means you will play a vital role in looking after people's health and wellbeing. This sector will need up to 520,000 more workers by 2035 to meet the growing demand for care and support.

Example of roles in Health and Social Care



[Nutritionist](#)



[Occupational
Therapist](#)



[Biotechnologist](#)

Construction and Engineering

There are varied job roles in the Construction and Engineering sector. A career in this sector will see you working anywhere from buildings in your local community to space aircraft in aerospace engineering. It is estimated that the industry will need 200,000 skilled engineers between now and 2024 and 217,000 construction workers by 2025 to meet demand.

Example of roles in Construction and Engineering



[Building control
surveyor](#)



[Structural Engineer](#)



[Acoustic consultant](#)

Some employers who have been recruiting

- Skills for care
- NHS
- The Sorrel Health
- Churchill Healthcare
- Southwest London health & Care partnership
- London Care

Some employers who have been recruiting

- Local Authority Building Control (LABC)
- Macdonald and Company
- Go construct
- RICS Recruit

Introducing some of the new South London Careers Hub Team



Amanda McLoughlin 📧: amanda.mcloughlin@southlondonpartnership.co.uk

Amanda is the Enterprise Coordinator for the **Borough of Kingston upon Thames** with the South London Careers Hub. Amanda has strong links with the Borough having worked for Kingston Chamber of Commerce for over 9 years in her previous role, she therefore has great links with the business community and key stakeholders as well as insights into the local economy.

Daniel Dempsey 📧: daniel.dempsey@southlondonpartnership.co.uk

Daniel is the Enterprise Co-ordinator for **Merton borough**. The South London Careers Hub's overarching aim of providing a platform for all young people to have access to impactful, inclusive, and locally relevant careers education is particularly important to him, given that he is a Merton local who left secondary school at 16 with no qualifications and struggled to find a minimum wage job. He was able to eventually carve a pathway into sustainable employment (having developed experience within multiple roles in the careers education, advice and guidance sector) and education (having completed undergraduate and postgraduate degrees to distinction level and presented papers at academic conferences), but many of the barriers he encountered on the way there could have been mitigated if he had access to quality CEIAG to help him navigate that crucial post-16 transition. Daniel is fortunate that now, through working in partnership with our dedicated network of enterprise advisers and careers leaders, he is able to have a tangible impact on the lives of young people in South London and improve social mobility, through co-ordinating the development of innovative and inclusive careers provision as part of the South London Careers Hub.



Miayah Wright 📧: miayah.wright@southlondonpartnership.co.uk

Miayah is the Enterprise Co-ordinator for the **Borough of Croydon**. Miayah has a background in the education sector, with over 3 years working for an educational charity providing educational and enrichment support to schools. Miayah is therefore keen to use her experience and skills to support careers leaders to provide great career provisions for students within South London.



Stakeholder Updates



[Unilever](#) can offer your schools a menu of employer encounters with options including assembly talks, workshops, business challenge events, CV and LinkedIn skills. If you would like Unilever to come into your school, please contact Future.CareersUKI@unilever.com



[National Grid](#) offer STEM based activities ranging from virtual work experience and resource packs to talks, workshops and insight events. The school outreach programme is delivered by Chandni Patel at Connectr, for more information please email them directly: chandni@connectr.com



The Open Private School is a registered charity, which seeks to advance social mobility and equality of opportunity, by providing some of the intangible benefits of a private education to those from state schools. The Open Private School pair highly experienced professionals across finance, law and business, with state-educated students, provide them with exposure to the business world at an age when they are making critical, life-changing decisions.

Students can apply for help via the website, www.openprivateschool.org by **18th May 2022**



The charity **If Chloe Can** works with schools to help career progression, planning and personal goal setting. It does this through giving career advice and guidance with the support of role models, helping pupils achieve their dream.

If Chloe Can started out in 2010 as a career role model magazine for young girls featuring stories of successful women. It was then expanded to support boys and went on to be made into a careers play by the National Youth Theatre - playing to packed houses in London's West End before it travelled around the country.

Working mainly with pupils aged 12 to 14, the programme is tailored to each pupil. The programme also teaches the vital skills of confidence, assertiveness, resilience, communication and career planning - as part of their PHSE and career studies. More information can be found [here](#).

London Careers Festival 2022

(**Virtual Festival:** June 20 – 24 and **In-Person Festival:** June 27 - July 1)

The annual London Careers Festival has a jam-packed programme for London's schools and colleges. It promises to be a fantastic way for your schools and colleges to take part in free careers activities with a range of exciting employers and careers providers and support your schools and colleges to achieve their Gatsby benchmarks.

[Click here to view the programme and book](#)





Pathway CTM is an award-winning Social Enterprise, founded over 6 years ago, transforming employability training, support and opportunities for schools and students across the UK. We provide our award-winning FREE Programme to 60,000+ students, and over 300 schools and colleges throughout the UK, helping young people make informed decisions about their next steps post GCSE and A-Level.

For more information, please contact info@pathwayctm.com



The Skills Builder Partnership brings together educators, employers and leading organisations to support every child and young person to build their essential skills. The Skills Builder Universal Framework breaks down each essential skill into teachable steps, supporting progress for students of all ages and abilities - including those with special educational needs. The Framework was developed by Skills Builder with the Careers and Enterprise Company, Gatsby Foundation, Business in the Community, EY foundation, the CBI and CIPD.

Skills Builder are looking for Careers Leaders to sign up to their Accelerator Programme

To find out more please [visit](#) or contact hannah.senior@skillsbuilder.org



Apprenticeships

Career Leaders have been asking us about apprenticeship and where to get help and support. There are some great apprenticeships resources to support teacher, parent/carers and budding apprentices. These are some of our 'go to' resources and support.



[Amazing Apprenticeships](#) have a huge volume of resources for all audiences. This website is really good for people wanting to explore apprenticeship opportunities and possibilities.



The Apprenticeship Support and Knowledge programme ([ASK](#)) provides a FREE service to schools and works with teachers, careers advisers, parents and governors, alongside other key partners, to develop and transform how students think about apprenticeships. *If you would like to arrange for ASK to come to your school and attend assemblies, parents evenings, careers event etc, then please contact: Olufunso Alabi (Ebony): oolabi@educationdevelopmenttrust.com*

Find an apprenticeship

Search and apply for an apprenticeship in England

This is the place to register if your student is looking for an apprenticeship. You can approach colleges and training providers to see whether they have any apprenticeship vacancies but if your student does not have an employer, you can find a job and training [here](#).

Examples of Live Higher & Degree Apprenticeship Opportunities - Aimed at Y13



HM Treasury

Policy Officer Apprenticeship: [HM Treasury](#) is looking for enthusiastic, curious people to work with their policy teams. Prior experience in policy or the Civil Service is not required, and this opportunity is ideal for those looking to start a career in the Civil Service. The role will include a Level 4 Policy Officer Apprenticeship alongside a challenging but rewarding role.

Applications can be made via Find an Apprenticeship and [Civil Service Jobs](#), closing on **8th May**



TOYOTA

Project Management Degree Apprenticeship: The BSc Project Management Level 6 apprenticeship role is directly supporting the delivery of project and work activities with the ConsumerOne Data and Insight (D&I) team. The apprentice will engage with a range of stakeholders from business departments, Field Team members and Retail Network partners.

Applications can be made via [Find an Apprenticeship](#) closing on **13th May**

STOCKDALE®

Apprentice Quantity Surveyor: Stockdale is looking to recruit an Apprentice Quantity Surveyor to join the London team in our Brixton office. Great opportunity to start your career and gain exceptional industry experience across a range of interesting projects whilst studying at LSBU - BSc (Hons) Quantity Surveying and working towards chartered membership of the RICS.

Applications can be made via [Find an Apprenticeship](#) closing on **22nd May**