Careers Events

Look and Book

Tuesday, 20 February

- The hidden job market | 1pm-2pm
- The Reading internship scheme introductory session | 1pm-2pm
- A CoStar introduction to commercial real estate | 1pm-2pm
- Application essentials: CVs, covering letters and application forms | 5pm-6pm

Wednesday, 21 February

- Getting started with LinkedIn | 1pm-2pm
- UROP information session | 1pm-2pm

Thursday, 22 February

- MBTI – Understanding your personality | 1pm-2pm
- Finding Summer internships and Placements | 1pm-2pm
- Introduction to the RED Award | 1pm-2pm
- Volunteering drop-in with RVA | 2pm-4pm

Friday, 23 February

- RED Award completion session | 1pm-2pm

Monday, 26 February

- American and Canadian summer camp information session | 1pm-2pm
Compete for success

Depending on their area of activity, employers are looking for different skills in graduate recruits.

Prepare for your job hunt using the tools on offer on the Careers website here.
Plan your next move, build your confidence, gain skills and practice your interviewing technique.

To discover vacancies for graduates, filter through Rate My Placement, Gradcracker and MyJobsOnline.

Deadlines are looming so take action now!

Your mental health impacts both your professional and your personal life, that's why it is important to be aware of your
feelings and stay positive as well as help those who are struggling.

The Stranger on the Bridge
Guest speaker event with Jonny Benjamin MBE and Neil Laybourn

Friday 28 February, 1-2pm in 3Sixty (RUSU)

If you saw someone about to take their own life, would you know what to do?

Join us to mark University Mental Health Day by hearing the incredible true story of one man’s global search to find the stranger who stopped him from taking his own life by jumping off Waterloo Bridge.

Shortly before his 21st birthday, Jonny Benjamin sat on the edge of London's Waterloo Bridge about to take his own life, when a
stranger came over and talked him out of it. Six years later, a recovered Jonny launched what would become a massive social media campaign shared by millions of people across the world to find the man who helped him, Neil Laybourn.

All students and staff welcome.

This event is free to attend but please book your place [here](#). You will be prompted to log in with your University username and password.

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Did you know the Careers team source up to **100 summer internships** with SMEs, exclusively for UoR students paying £300 per week?

These internships are generally **focused on a specific project**, which means you'll be working on a particular event/task within the organisation, last **6-8 weeks** and take place within commuting distance of Reading. They are **open to all UG students** and cover a wide range of sectors and roles. To find out more, visit our website and register for email alerts!
Vacancies will be advertised from March onwards.


‘Definitely take part in the internship scheme. I’ve met incredible people and gained invaluable life experience. I am already looking forward to taking part in an internship next summer. It’s also amazing to think that this internship will help me so much in the future.’ Anisah, Communications Intern at In2ScienceUK

Speculative applications & The hidden job market

Can’t find the job you dream of? Send speculative applications to employers!

Find out more here about this job hunting technique, and attend our session to learn more about The hidden job market.
Expand your horizons, look for summer work opportunities abroad!

Check out GoinGlobal!

But first, have a look at how different the job application process is in other countries.

2 more days until Deloitte's Reading Insight Day!

This is your chance to spend an informal day with Deloitte professionals at their Reading office and feel the energy that drives their work.

Book now


HOT JOBS

- **Training Contract 2020** | Shoosmiths | Berkshire | £20001 - £30000 | Apply by 23 Feb
- **Teacher of Mathematics** | Easthampstead Park Community School | Berkshire | £20001 - £30000 | Apply by 23 Feb
- **Project and Programme Management Graduate** | Kellogg Brown & Root | Surrey | £20001 - 30000 | Apply by 23 Feb
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