Engineering and Manufacturing

Although the Engineering sector – aeronautical, automotive, bioengineering, chemical, civil, electronic and electrical and mechanical – all need graduates of engineering degrees, you might be surprised to know that they also have roles for graduates of all disciplines.

Engineering firms look for a wide range of roles (e.g. marketing, HR, IT, sales, planning, project management), which means that if you like the sound of working for a company which designs, innovates and creates some of the products you admire, there might well be a role for you.

Engineering firms active in our region include automotive firms (e.g. McLaren in Woking), aerospace and defence (e.g. Thales and AWE here in Reading), mechanical engineering (e.g. Dyson in Wiltshire), civil engineering (e.g. HR Wallingford).

Key Resources

Gradcracker
Science, technology, engineering and maths graduate jobs, internships and placements. Detailed engineering filters

Engineering and Technology Jobs
Engineering and technology jobs board

Target Jobs - Engineering
Graduate jobs, training schemes and placements, as well as advice and news

Engineering Council
The professional associations for engineering the UK, many of whom have useful careers sections for engineers, e.g. iMechE

Engineering UK
Promotes the engineering profession, and provides analysis and statistics on the industry

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