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*****The University of Sheffield—
Mechanical Engineering (Intro to
3D Printing)*****

‘Have you heard about 3D Printing but don't really know what it's all about?

Perhaps you've seen some things in the media but don't really know how it might have an impact on your life?

Then come along to this mini lecture covering 3D Printing basics, some things you might be surprised to learn about it, and a bit about the exciting research we're doing here in Sheffield to make it even better!’

**Tuesday 11 May 2021, 15:45pm-
17:00pm**

[https://www.sheffield.ac.uk/
undergraduate/visit/taster-days](https://www.sheffield.ac.uk/undergraduate/visit/taster-days)

*****University of Hertfordshire—
Astrophysics Taster session*****

Astrophysics: The Dark Universe - what is dark matter and dark energy?

Interested in Astrophysics? Join our online taster lecture on Thursday 13th May 2021 (17:00-18:00) for a chance to learn more!

[https://www.herts.ac.uk/study/
open-days/lets-talk-about-uni](https://www.herts.ac.uk/study/open-days/lets-talk-about-uni)

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- Taster events -

*****MediCafe - Hull York Medical School*****

‘Here at Hull York Medical School, we help prospective students fulfil their ambition of studying Medicine.

To help you on your journey to medical school, we run the MediCafé – a series of live web chats for prospective medical students suitable for anyone from Year 9 upwards.

Our sessions cover key topics such as the medicine application, student life as a medical student, work experience, and interviews. The events are an opportunity for you to chat with our staff as well as current Medicine students, who can provide knowledge based upon their own personal experiences.

Whether you are simply considering medicine at this stage, or are completely certain that it's the route that you want to go down, MediCafé is open to all students interested in a future in medicine.’

Dates: 13th May, 27th May and 10th June

<https://www.hyms.ac.uk/medicine/open-days-and-events/medicafe>

*****Falmouth University—Future Proof: Introducing Creative Careers*****

‘This session seeks to challenge some of the stereotypical thinking around creative careers and help you consider the possibilities and pathways available to you if you choose to follow a creative route.

You will also get an overview of what it is like to study at a creative university, like Falmouth, and the wide range of courses available. If you want to do something creative but you're not sure where to start, this is the session for you.’

13th May 2021 ; 16:00-17:00

[https://www.falmouth.ac.uk/experience/virtual-experience/
introducing-creative-careers-13-may-2021](https://www.falmouth.ac.uk/experience/virtual-experience/introducing-creative-careers-13-may-2021)

*****University of Southampton—A First look—Virtual Event*****

‘Do you want a First Look at the University of Southampton? This year, for the first time ever, we're offering you the opportunity to meet us and get a virtual taste of Southampton life prior to visiting us for an open day.’

Saturday 15 May 2021 (12:00 - 16:00)

<https://www.southampton.ac.uk/open-days/undergraduate>

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UEA Taster Sessions—Creative Writing and Biological Sciences

‘Ever wondered what it's like to be part of one of our world-famous undergraduate creative writing workshops? This is your chance to experience one! Join Dr Philip Langeskov, one of UEA's lecturers in Creative Writing, as he invites you to try your hand at prose writing. This session will be of interest to everyone from experienced writers to complete beginners - if you think creative writing at university (or at UEA) might be for you, this is a great opportunity to get a first-hand feel for it. With Philip Langeskov.’

Thursday 13 May, 16.30-17.30

<http://www.uea.ac.uk/study/information-for/young-people/subject-taster-sessions>

‘Join a friendly taster to find out what it's like to study Biological Sciences at university.

Mutations: what happens when cells can't spell?

In this session we will be exploring sense and nonsense mutations and the extent to which different types of mutations can affect genes. With Becky Lewis.’

Thursday 13 May, 16.30-17.15

<http://www.uea.ac.uk/study/tasters>

National Grid—Virtual Work Experience

‘The work experience provides amazing insights into the energy sector, an industry that is required to fill 400,000 roles by 2050 to help the UK reach its Net Zero target! National Grid is a company that is truly impacting the lives of millions of people around the country, ensuring the energy we use is clean and renewable.

Manage an exciting and challenging 5-day digital project*

Blended approach combining live sessions with static learning content including quizzes & videos.

Develop key workplace skills (presentation skills, project management & employability skills)

Network with STEM industry role models and attend panel discussions / Q&A sessions

Insight into a range of STEM careers and receive developmental feedback’

Monday 5th July- Friday 9th July: 10am-3pm

To apply you will need to fill in a short application form and provide key information. For more information, please click on the link below:

<https://nationalgrid.connectr.co.uk/vwex/>

Contacting the team

For more information on anything contained in this newsletter or to book to catch up with a member of the team, please email:

careers@uspcollege.ac.uk

UEL—How to choose a course at university

‘Struggling to choose a course to study at University? Don't worry we've got you covered.

This webinar explores the things to take into consideration in order to make the right course choice and study path for you. It explores research methods, touches upon entry requirements, gives useful starting points, qualification types, career paths and prospects. In order for you to be confident in making that final decision.’

11 May 2021, 4.15pm- 5.00pm

<https://www.uel.ac.uk/events/2021/05/how-to-choose-a-course>