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Free STEM Mentoring Programme for young women and non-binary people aged 15 to 25 (Stemettes)

A new organization called Stemettes has been set-up to inspire and support order to support young women and non-binary people between 15 and 25 years of age into Science Technology Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) careers,.

Holding **free** intersectional programmes, impactful events and inspirational content platforms. One such programme is the **Student to Stemette Programme** which **connects young women and non-binary people aged 15 to 25 with mentors working in STEM.**

Applications are now open for upcoming cohorts which are sponsored by Deutsche Bank, Standard Chartered and Mercedes F1 team. These cohorts are **open to all state-educated young women and non-binary people aged 15 to 25 regardless of their academic background.** As long as an applicant is passionate about STEM, they will be paired with a mentor.

Attached to this email is a poster that I'd be grateful if you could share with your students.

More information about the programme is available here: <https://stemettes.org/sts/student-to-stemette/mentee/>

FREE IMPARTIAL GAP YEAR

ADVICE

Opportunities in the gap year sector

Because of COVID-19 and overseas travel restrictions, there are options in the UK and others in safe parts of the world.

www.independentgapadvice.org

CILEX CPQ (CILEX Professional Qualification)

The Chartered Institute of Legal Executives ([CILEX](http://www.cilex.org)) are offering scholarships worth £12,500 through the [CILEX Foundation](http://www.cilex.org), to those from disadvantaged backgrounds to study to become a lawyer via its new [CILEX Professional Qualification](http://www.cilex.org) (CPQ).

CILEX Foundation's targeted scholarship programme will cover the training costs of becoming a fully qualified CILEX Lawyer, as well as the opportunity to network and learn from thousands of like-minded legal professionals who have benefited from the CILEX route.

To be eligible for a CILEX Lawyer Scholarship applicants must demonstrate that their finances and circumstances make accessing a legal education challenging. Support will be targeted at those who are underrepresented in the legal profession and/or from a socially disadvantaged background.

Eligible groups include young carers, those with a protected characteristic, as defined by the Equality Act 2010 (such as Black, Asian and other ethnic minority students), those in previous receipt of free school meals or a history of being in care.

Students interested in becoming a lawyer through CILEX and applying for a Millicent Grant QC Scholarship should visit the [CILEX foundation page](https://www.cilex.org) on https://www.cilex.org/membership/cilex_foundation

The application closing date is Tuesday 28 September 2021

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New virtual careers event for schools and colleges

A new and exciting careers event called Industry Insights for schools and colleges is upcoming for January 2022. YourGamePlan and Campus Media have teamed up to provide a daily FREE live stream across the week 24-28 January 2022 where each day will give insight into a different industry. This will be available as both a live stream and on-demand.

YourGamePlan is a free careers resource providing school and college students with the opportunity to gain key employability skills and improve their awareness of the career options available to them.

Campus Media are a youth experiential marketing company, established since 2009. Their events have been empowering young people from 15-25 years of age, they provide education into the different work industries and increase both gender and ethnic diversity into under-represented industries.

YourGamePlan and Campus Media have teamed up to deliver a week of daily live sessions for students across England about a range of career opportunities. These sessions are appropriate for year 10-13 students and will explore regional career opportunities across a range of industries. The sessions will provide the following:

- **Explore a range of opportunities for school leavers including different types of apprenticeships, traineeships, and university opportunities**
- **Explore a range of industries with leading employers from all regions of England**
- **Interact with regional employers from the classroom over a video stream**
- **Help educate young people about their career options**
- **University experts sharing information about a degree pathway into the industry**
- **Support schools and colleges to achieve the Gatsby Benchmarks and Ofsted Personal Development Criteria**

For further information please see: <https://www.careershubcios.co.uk/events/industry-insights>

Accessing Careers Support and Advice through email

Please remember that your Careers teams at both campuses are available to you through email—if you have any questions, please use the email addresses below to reach out to the team.

careers@uspcollege.ac.uk – general Careers email address

deborah.shepherd@uspcollege.ac.uk –

queries relating to either campus

stanislaw.trzeciak@uspcollege.ac.uk –

queries relating to Palmer's campus

samantha.peters@uspcollege.ac.uk –

queries relating to the Seevic campus

lisa.connors@uspcollege.ac.uk -

queries relating to the Seevic campus

TEDI London– Open Event

TEDI who specialise in Global Design Engineering are hosting their first in-person Open Day. Students will be able to visit our campus and tour our facilities, meet our academic team and current students, take part in hands-on demonstrations and discover how TEDI-London will offer them an engineering degree like no other.

Open Day | TEDI-London Campus, Canada Water | 20 October 4-7pm

To book your place: <https://tedi-london.ac.uk/open-day-october>

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Parent / Carers Information Evening - Your Child (young person) Their Future Thursday 30th September 6-7.30pm

Young Professionals UK invite you to their first parent / carers/ young person information evening event.

With leaders from some of the biggest employers in their industry IBM, HSBC, PwC, bp, University of Bath, Clifford Chance & Capgemini discussing how you can navigate the job market to find some incredible work experience / internship placements as well as graduate and apprenticeship opportunities. We will be sharing some useful tips around psychometric testing, how to prepare for assessment centres, CV's, and applications as well as lots of information around preparing your child / young person for the workplace / university.

This event is free of charge and it will be running on Thursday 30th September, 6pm – 7:30pm. You will have the opportunity to join this event virtually with your son / daughter / and or young person, ask questions you want directly to leading employers and obtain lots of useful information. The booking link can be found below here.

Booking Link:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/YP-Insight-Evening>

Young Professionals: Young person Their Future

Thursday 30th September 6-7.30pm

This online event will provide you with the opportunity to talk to leaders from some of the biggest employers in their industry IBM, HSBC, PwC, bp, University of Bath, Clifford Chance & Capgemini coming to talk to you about how your son / daughter or young person under your care can navigate the job market to find some incredible work experience / internship placements as well as graduate and apprenticeship opportunities.

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Data Analyst Apprenticeship– QA Tech Apprenticeships

QA have just released information regarding new apprenticeships which may be of interest for after completing your course:, starting exploring your options now!

Data Specialist Level 3– For anyone interested in a career in data

Data Analyst Level 4– In order to gain more insight into collecting, organising and studying data to provide business insight

Business Analyst Level 4– If you are considering a career where you investigate business solutions this could be a great opportunity for you.

For more information, please see:

<https://info.qa.com/en-gb/data-skills-hub-apprenticeships-work-based-learning-programmes-3>