



Ashfield Careers News

PWC OPPORTUNITIES

PwC have a **new exciting Technology Degree Apprenticeship** that has been announced recently in partnership with Queen's. They have 20 positions for September 2018 intake. In summary:

- Students will undertake a 4 year higher level apprenticeship degree programme at Queen's, and will graduate with a BEng in Software Engineering with Digital Technology Partnership
- Students will have over 1.5 years work experience
- Students will incur no tuition fees, these are funded by the NI Government
- Students are PwC employees from day 1 and therefore will receive a salary when they are both working and studying
- This isn't day release - students will study full time years 1 & 2 combined with 12 week summer internships, then in years 3 & 4 years will spend one semester each year at Queen's and work at PwC the rest of the time
- Students will have the opportunity to work across a range of PwC's Technology teams in Years 1 & 2, then will specialise in a particular area from year 3 onwards

Queen's will be contacting those pupils who have already applied to either Computer Science, Software Engineering or Computing and Information Technology @ Queen's. If a student has already applied to courses at other universities and are interested in this programme then they should contact UCAS to discuss their options with regards to changing one of their choices.

<https://digital.ucas.com/courses/details?coursePrimaryId=f646b5f5-191f-4f62-bf88-8424a4f3ea1a&courseOptionId=bff3f6f6-7ab7-4307-b6b0-d8d27c687de7>

Nuffield Research Placements

Each year Nuffield Research placements give over 1,200 year 13/lower sixth students hands-on experience of a professional research environment through a 4-6 week placement in their summer holidays. By working with STEM professionals students are able to gain insight into a wide variety of STEM careers.

The programme is run by the Nuffield Foundation and works through regional coordinators and Sentinus are the coordinators for Northern Ireland. It is an enriching FREE placement programme for students to undertake in the Summer of 2018, the added bonus is that the successful students will receive financial support from the Nuffield Foundation throughout the duration of their placement.

The application process for the Nuffield Research Placement Programme for current Lower Sixth students is now open for 2018 applications and is available online at www.nuffieldresearchplacements.org **The closing date for applications is 13th March 2018. See Mrs Moore for more details.**

***Ulster University Talk
for all Year 13 and 14 on
7 March in Enrichment
Class.***

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