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This newsletter is a collation of all the opportunities we have heard about from employers and universities. Please use the links included to read more information and apply to anything you are interested in. Links are <u>underlined</u>.

Opportunities

4th-20th October 2024 is Recycle Week. It's the one week of the year where retailers, brands, waste management companies, trade associations, governments and the media come together to achieve one goal: to galvanise the public into recycling more of the right things, more often.

This year's Recycle Week theme is 'Rescue Me'; focusing on rescuing recyclable items from the rubbish bin.

We would consider jobs that promote recycling, Co2 reduction and the promotion of enrivonmentally friendly causes a "green job". Here is a <u>blog from the National Careers Service</u> that tells you everything you need to know about Green Jobs.

If you're feeling inspired and think you might like to work in a green job in the future, check out this <u>Green Jobs board</u> which shows you a range of roles available, how much you could earn and the sort of things you'd be responsible for in each role.

If you want to understand more about the industry, check out these virtual work experiences on Springpod:

- Engineering a Sustainable World with IChemE
- Grow Your Sustainable Career Work Experience in Farming
- Sustainability Unveiled: Virtual Work Experience in Green Careers
- Met Office Careers Forecasting Your Future

If you don't want to commit to a full work experience programme yet but would like to learn more, these talks from Speakers4Schools will also be of interest:

- Why Your Involvement In Nature Is No Longer Optional
- How the NHS are working to lessen their environmental impact
- <u>Figuring Out The Small Changes You Can Make To Have A Positive</u> <u>Impact on Sustainability And Society</u>





Sustainability Consultant

Sustainability consultants use their expertise and knowledge to advise and guide businesses to become socially and environmentally responsible. In addition, their expertise touches on how the company operates in a more sustainable way. Watch the video to learn more about working hours, salary and qualifications needed.

Labour Market Fact

LinkedIn reports that between 2022 and 2023, the number of people with the skills to help address the climate crisis **grew by 12.3%**.

However, the share of jobs posted over the same period that required at least one green skill increased by nearly twice as quickly, at 22.4%.

<u>Source</u>



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<u>Future Financial Adviser</u> is a digital community providing career advice, peer-to-peer connections, mentors, events, and career opportunities within the financial-advice sector. Join us this Autumn for a series of 40-minute webinars covering;

- Understanding financial services and the different roles that are available, 16th October 2024, register here.
- Get the skills you need to secure your first job: personal branding, CV and interview tips, 20th November 2024, register <u>here</u>.

<u>Sportfolio</u> help UK students to pursue their sporting ambitions alongside their education. They proudly work with the leading sporting and academic insitituions throughout the UK to offer Sportfolio users an opportunity to find out all you need to know regarding sport at University and the prospects available. You can read more about <u>how it works here</u>.

Are you thinking about the end of Year 11? Choosing your A Level subjects is a big decision. Read the Complete University Guide's advice on how to decide, whether you know what you want to study at university or not.

Uni Spotlight

"RSK is a global leader in the delivery of sustainable solutions. Our family of more than 200 environmental, engineering and technical services businesses works together to provide practical solutions to some of the greatest challenges societies have ever faced. People are at the heart of our business, we know that our success is founded on the development of our colleagues."

Read more about <u>RSK</u> <u>Careers here.</u>

World Spotlight

Country: Denmark

Key Links: Prospects guide | List of institutions | Budget guide

Key Information:

- In Denmark, there are three types of higher education institutions:
 Universities offer traditional Bachelors, Masters, and PhD degrees.
 University colleges provide vocational professional courses in areas such as nursing, engineering, and social work. Academies of professional higher education include artistic higher education institutions, schools of maritime education and training, and business academies.
- There are a total of eight universities in Denmark.
- The fees vary depending on the institution, but they are generally cheaper than in the UK, ranging from around DKK 44,742- DKK 119,312 (£5,130-£13,675) per year.



Employer Spotlight

"Choosing the right university and course for you is one of the biggest decisions you'll ever make, but it does not have to be a complicated one. At Kingston, all our courses are developed with your career in mind, so that you get the most up-to-date information and gain the relevant work-related skills needed for the modern work environment." Read more about Kingston University Courses here.



Are you interested in joining the Economics and Finance Society Speak to Mrs Uphill (room 25)

