

Graduate Jobs Fair Guide

Thursday 26 February 2026

11:00am to 2:00pm

The Forum, JHBB

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Quick Guide to Organisations Attending

Who to prioritise if you only have a few minutes at the fair...

Organisation Attending	Sector	Students of Interest
Beau Bespoke Construction	Construction	Construction/Built Environment
GRAHAM	Construction	Construction/Built Environment
Foxtons	Estate Agency	Real Estate/Built Environment
Pathways to Planning	Public sector/local government	Planning/Built Environment
DCS Group (UK) Ltd	Transport and logistics	OBBS/Computing
Spark Racing Technology	Engineering	Engineering
Lore Group	Hospitality	Hospitality/Events/OBBS
The Oxford Collection	Hospitality	Hospitality/Events/OBBS
The MGroup Partnership	Accounting, Tax and Business	OBBS
The White Horse Federation	Education	OBBS/All
Enterprise Mobility	Retail / Automotive	OBBS/All
DSA Prospect Limited	Finance	OBBS
emc design	Design and Publishing	Publishing/Design
Class Act Teaching Services	Education Recruitment	All
Diamond Light Source	Government Research - Science	STEM/Science
OBU CPD Study	CPD (Postgraduate Study)	All
Super Benji	Business, Marketing, Computer Science	All

Welcome to the Graduate Jobs Fair!

Why attend?

The exhibitors at this event are here because they want to meet **you**. They're keen to talk about their organisations, the training and development they offer, and the opportunities available — and they're looking for strong candidates to apply.

This is a great chance to speak directly with recruiters and explore where your degree could take you.

If you need support with applications, CVs or interviews, you can contact the Careers Team at **careers@brookes.ac.uk**.

You can also search for vacancies on the **Careers Portal**:
<https://brookes.jobteaser.com>

Making the most of the event

Before you arrive, take a look at the company profiles. Have a rough idea of who you'd like to speak to first — but stay open to discovering organisations you may not have considered.

Try asking employers about:

- What the job actually involves and what they enjoy about it
- What makes their organisation stand out
- Upcoming projects or future plans
- How they recruit and what they look for in applicants
- What training and development you would receive

We hope you enjoy the event and make the most of the opportunity



BEAU BESPOKE

Beau Bespoke are Ultra Prime Residential Construction Specialists whose founders have over 60 years of knowledge and experience behind them. The principles of Beau Bespoke enable us to deliver exceptional results for our clients.

Beau Bespoke has successfully delivered over 500,000 sq. ft. of prime residential property, which itself equates to over £600m in construction value during the last 20 years.

Each of our projects is entirely unique so our approach is always tailor-made to suit a client's needs. From the early stages of the design process through to post-completion we are renowned for our extensive attention to detail in everything we do.

We are experienced across all the construction disciplines, carrying out works to historic buildings and new build properties alike.

Level of recruitment: Placement Year, Full-Time

We are recruiting: Graduate Site Manager / Graduate Quantity Surveyor / Placement Year as a trainee QS or trainee assistant site manager

Locations: London

Recruitment timeline: Ongoing

Contact us: email hr@beau-bespoke.co.uk with an appropriate CV and cover letter

Find out more: <https://www.beau-bespoke.co.uk/>

Built Environment,
Technology &
Engineering



DCS is a dynamic organisation operating within the technology and digital solutions sector, delivering innovative products and services that help businesses transform and grow. We are known for our customer-focused approach, collaborative culture, and commitment to excellence, as well as investing in the development and wellbeing of our people. As an employer, we pride ourselves on creating an inclusive environment where individuals can thrive and make a real impact. We are looking for motivated, adaptable candidates who demonstrate strong teamwork, communication, problem-solving, and technical skills, along with a passion for innovation and continuous learning.

Level of recruitment: Placement Year, Full-Time, Part-Time

We are recruiting: NAM, Key Account Executive, IT Support Manager

Locations: Banbury

Recruitment timeline: Ongoing

Contact us: saranoad@dcsgroup.com

Find out more:

www.dcscareers.com/current-vacancies-senior

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Engineering



Civil Engineering is one of the main divisions within GRAHAM Construction. Operating throughout the UK and Ireland, we pride ourselves in delivering value for money and innovative solutions for our clients.

We have recently been involved in some of the most prestigious projects across the UK and Ireland, including:

The iconic Samuel Beckett Bridge in Dublin
A6 Randalstown to Castledawson Dualling for Transport NI
IF019 Framework for NI Water
Port of Tilbury

We are seeking for enthusiastic Graduate Site Engineers, Industrial Placement - Civil Engineers and Civil Engineering Apprentices to join our team, based on a major Civil Engineering scheme in Didcot.

Level of recruitment: Graduate Scheme, Placement Year, Full-Time

We are recruiting: Civil Engineer Placement, graduate and apprentice

Locations: UK wide

Recruitment timeline: Ongoing

Contact us: tara.spencer@graham.co.uk and 07385019825

Find out more: www.graham.co.uk/work-with-us/careers

**POTENTIAL
IS GREAT
FULFILLING IT IS
GREATNESS**



At Foxtons, we're famous for setting the standard in property. We do this by hiring brilliant people to help our customers find their dream home or unlock the true value of their property investment. Over the last 30 years we've built a network of over 60 branches and a strong operational infrastructure that enables our teams to achieve the highest standards in delivering exceptional service to our customers.

We offer several entry-level positions across our sales and non-sales departments, and our award-winning training ensures our teams have the knowledge and expertise that our customers expect from us, whilst our market-leading technology empowers all our staff to provide the best customer experience possible. We pride ourselves on our internal progression and growth, and are a company that rewards hard work with a range of perks and incentives!

Level of recruitment: Full Time

We are recruiting: Estate Agent, Property Management, Customer Service

Locations: London

Recruitment timeline: Rolling recruitment

Contact us: careers@foxtons.co.uk

Find out more: <https://careers.foxtons.co.uk>

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Engineering

Pathways to Planning



Pathways to Planning is a fast-track route into a built environment career for graduates from any degree background. Successful candidates work at a public sector body such as a local council, earn a salary up to £35,000, and get a fully-funded postgraduate degree. We've hired over 200 graduates into 100+ local authorities since our inception in 2023.

On our graduate scheme you can tackle global issues like climate change, accessibility and affordable housing. No work experience or knowledge is needed, just a desire to learn and make a difference!

Level of recruitment: Graduate Scheme, Full-Time

We are recruiting: Pathways Graduate Planner 30-50 roles available for 2nd intake (applications open March-June 2026). 200+ roles available per year across 2 intakes

Locations: Various - nationwide

Recruitment timeline: Rolling recruitment

Find out more: www.local.gov.uk/pathways-to-planning

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Engineering



Born in racing, our expectations are high. All members of our team are multifaceted and highly driven to exceed targets. This is a unique opportunity to test yourself while leading a new area of technical expertise at Spark Advanced Technology, the sister company of Spark Racing Technology.

Level of recruitment: Full-Time

We are recruiting: Junior Design Engineer – Battery Systems

Locations: London

Recruitment timeline: Ongoing

Contact us: career@sparkrt.com

Find out more: www.sparkracingtechnology.com/career

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DSA Prospect is a people-first accountancy firm that provides bespoke business and financial services designed to unlock financial potential. We're a dynamic organisation that supports an ambitious and diverse team and client base.

Level of recruitment: Full-Time, ACCA training

We are recruiting: ACCA Trainee

Locations: Witney, Oxfordshire

Recruitment timeline: Rolling recruitment

Find out more:

www.dsaprospect.co.uk/careers#opportunities



Enterprise Mobility™

We're Enterprise Mobility. A family-owned, global mobility leader with a \$38 billion turnover, nearly 90,000 team members, and operations in 95 countries. Led by CEO Chrissy Taylor, the third generation of the Taylor family, we're built on a legacy that gives us the stability to focus on the long-term success of our people, our customers and our business.

Join us, and as a three-time TargetJobs Graduate Employer of the Year and a The Times Top 100 Graduate Employer, we'll give you the freedom to explore your potential – and the support to shape your own career journey. Ready to make your move?

Level of recruitment: Graduate Scheme, Full-Time

We are recruiting: Graduate Management Trainee

Locations: Global, national, local

Recruitment timeline: We recruit year round for our graduate programme

Contact us: paul.hanrahan@em.com

Find out more:

www.enterprisemobility.co.uk/en/careers.html

Business &
Hospitality

LORE

GROUP

Lore Group is an international hospitality company specialising in the development and management of design-led hotels, including Sea Containers London and One Hundred Shoreditch. We are known for creating distinctive guest experiences through exceptional service, thoughtful design, and strong team culture. As an employer, we are committed to developing talent and providing opportunities for career growth within a dynamic and supportive environment. We look for individuals who are passionate about hospitality, proactive, adaptable, and team-oriented, with a strong work ethic and a genuine desire to deliver outstanding guest experiences.

Level of recruitment: Graduate Scheme, Full-Time

We are recruiting: Loading Bay Operative, Commis Chef, Events Chef De Partie, Security Officer, Day Engineer, Waiter/Waitress, People & Culture Executive, Night Auditor, Guest Experience Agent, Regional Head of Reservations, Regional Director of Technology, Chef de Partie, Spa Therapist, Room Attendant, Laundry Attendant-1, Housekeeping

Locations: London

Recruitment timeline: Ongoing

Contact us:

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Find out more: <https://loregroup.com/careers>
seacontainerslondon.com
onehundredshoreditch.com



As a leading firm of Chartered Certified Accountants, Tax and Business Advisers in Oxfordshire, we have the expertise in-house to support your business needs. Where we excel is in the care, efficiency and friendly approach we provide to clients.

Partners lead and stay involved with clients throughout, and ensure strong collaboration between the different expert teams. The partners also take the lead in making sure The MGroup is a friendly, fun, supportive place to work as we believe this underpins our approach with clients.

Level of recruitment: Graduate Scheme, Placement Year, Full-Time, Part-Time, Internship

We are recruiting: Accountant roles

Locations: Oxfordshire

Recruitment timeline: Ongoing

Contact us: g.ward@themgroup.co.uk

Find out more: www.themgroup.co.uk/careers

THE OXFORD COLLECTION®

The Oxford Collection is a small, privately owned group of two luxury 5* hotels and apartments, three restaurants that consists of the Old Bank Hotel, the Old Parsonage Hotel, 36 St Giles, Parsonage Grill, Gees Restaurant & Bar, and Quod Restaurant & Bar. Having recently undergone a complete refurbishment programme, we have 80 bedrooms across three iconic properties in central Oxford, with unrivalled views across the city's beautiful skyline.

Level of recruitment: Placement Year, Full-Time, Part-Time

We are recruiting: Various front of house, back of house (kitchen), housekeeping and reception roles

Locations: Central Oxford

Recruitment timeline: Various roles will be available across the year depending on business needs

Contact us: recruitment@theoxfordcollection.co.uk

Find out more:

<https://theoxfordcollection.recruitgenie.co.uk/jobs.aspx>



The white Horse Federation is a multi-academy trust committed to providing high-quality education and development opportunities across our schools. We are passionate about supporting young people into education-related careers and would welcome the opportunity to engage with students who are interested in teaching, leadership, educational psychology, business support roles, and wider careers within the education sector.

Level of recruitment: Graduate Scheme, Placement Year, Full-Time, Part-Time, We also have apprenticeships available in house for further CPD

We are recruiting: SEN Teaching Assistant, Teaching Assistant & MDSA, Complaints Officer, Specialist Teaching Assistant, Maths Teacher, Exam Invigilator, School Site Manager, English Teacher, Teaching Assistant, Teacher of Science, Higher Level Teaching Assistant, ASC Learning Support Assistant, Early Years & Key Stage 1 Class Teacher , Early Years Practitioner - Pre School Room Lead, Class Teacher, Teacher of Modern Foreign Languages, SEN Teaching Assistant and MDSA, Chief Financial Officer, Mid-day Supervisor.

Locations: Swindon Wiltshire with schools based in Oxfordshire, Berkshire and Wiltshire

Recruitment timeline: Our timelines vary - all our opportunities have different close dates.

Contact us: Via My New Term - our recruitment application platform or recruitment@twhf.org.uk

Find out more:

<https://thewhitehorsefederation.org.uk/careers/vacancies>



Class Act Teaching Services is Oxfordshire's leading supply teaching agency, providing high-quality teachers and teaching assistants to local primary and secondary schools. Founded in 2001, and now part of the Step Teachers Group, we have over 20 years' experience supporting schools and educators across the county and borders. We're known for our strong local partnerships and our core values of hard work, professionalism, and honesty in everything we do.

We're looking for candidates who are reliable and adaptable, whether you're starting your career in teaching or need greater flexibility and a better work-life balance. Supply teaching with Class Act connects you with local schools to suit your needs, and we place more teachers and teaching assistants into local schools than any other agency.

Level of recruitment: Full-Time, Part-Time, Ad-hoc, supply teaching and support work in Primary and Secondary schools

We are recruiting: KS1 and KS2 teachers, EYFS-KS2 teaching assistants, supply teachers and teaching assistants, flexible supply staff

Locations: The Lambourn, Wyndyke Furlong, Abingdon

Recruitment timeline: Ongoing

Contact us: kiranb@classact-teaching.co.uk, 01235 832828

Find out more: <https://www.stepteachers.co.uk/classact>



We are seeking a meticulous enthusiastic and analytical science graduate to participate in an exciting project upgrading the UK's only synchrotron. An Inventory Controller is required immediately to manage stock levels and ensure the efficient flow of inventory throughout the supply chain. This role requires strong organizational skills, attention to detail, and the ability to collaborate effectively with a wide range of stakeholders. This is an initial 6-month appointment with an opportunity for this to be extended. It is an ideal exciting first step for a graduate who wishes to pursue a career in science.

Level of recruitment: Full-Time

We are recruiting: Inventory Management

Locations: Harwell Campus OX11 0DA

Recruitment timeline: Ideally in the next 3 months

Contact us: michael.conmy@diamond.ac.uk

Find out more: <https://www.diamond.ac.uk/Careers.html>



emc design is a leading UK design studio specialising in creative, high quality print and digital materials for the global publishing and education sectors. For over 30 years, we have helped shape learning experiences worldwide by combining strong editorial understanding with innovative design. We are known for our collaborative approach, attention to detail and commitment to producing work that inspires, informs and supports learners. As an employer, we value curiosity, teamwork and a genuine passion for creative problem solving. We are always interested in meeting individuals who bring fresh thinking, strong technical skills and a desire to grow within a supportive studio environment.

Level of recruitment: Full-Time, Internship

We are recruiting: Designers / Project Coordinators / Production Editors

Locations: Bedford

Recruitment timeline: Ongoing

Contact us: jobs@emcdesign.co.uk

Find out more: emcdesign.org.uk/joinus



Super Benji is one of Oxford's fastest-growing AI startups, building an intelligent sales assistant that helps businesses create hyper-personalised outbound messages at scale. We're known for redefining B2B sales with a fun, human-centred approach, and for growing quickly while keeping a tight, ambitious team culture. We value curiosity, creativity, and people who love solving problems with technology. We're looking for candidates who are proactive, innovative, and excited to shape products, work with real clients, and contribute to a fast-moving startup environment. If you want to learn fast and make a real impact early, we'd love to meet you.

Level of recruitment: Full-Time

We are recruiting: Vibe Coding Product Engineer, Account Executive

Locations: Oxford

Recruitment timeline: Ongoing

Contact us: jeremy@superbenji.ai

Find out more: <https://superbenji.ai>

Oxford Brookes CPD offers professional development and short courses across multiple sectors, including healthcare, business, and education. We are known for high-quality, flexible, and practical learning opportunities that support career progression. We seek motivated, committed learners with a passion for professional growth and practical application of skills.

Applications are accepted on a rolling basis throughout the academic year. Specific course deadlines are published on the CPD course webpages.

We welcome learners who are keen to take the next step in their career or professional development. Success comes from curiosity, motivation, and a willingness to explore new skills and knowledge. Collaborative thinking, adaptability, and applying learning in real-world or workplace settings will help you make the most of CPD, short courses, or non-credited study opportunities.

Contact us: hlscpdadmissions@brookes.ac.uk

Find out more: www.brookes.ac.uk/study/courses/professional-and-short-courses/healthcare-cpd

Prepare for the Fair

Open Conversation Starters

It can be daunting to be part of a networking event or careers fair, especially starting up a conversation, so here are a few ideas to get you started.

Training and development:

How will you be developed as a graduate?

Are there opportunities to gain further qualifications?

Their experiences:

What is it like to work for that organisation, and why did they choose this company/role?

What do they wish they had known when they were applying for jobs?

How did they reach their current role?

The industry and the business: Where can I find out more information?

What developments are arising within the industry?

Are they an SME or large corporation (99.8% of UK employers are SMEs)

Skills and attributes needed:

What key skills are they looking for?

What makes a candidate stand out?

Ask about the work:

What opportunities are available?

Tell me about the day-to-day activities.

Experience and applications: What sort of experience do you like graduates to have?

Do you offer any work experience/internship/placement opportunities?

What's the best way to apply? Any tips for the application process?



These employers have travelled to campus to speak to you. Take this opportunity to show your interest and convey a positive attitude. By being courteous and friendly from the get-go; relaying your enthusiasm and being yourself throughout, you'll convey professionalism, positivity and confidence.



Top tip - Showing an interest is a key part of networking, demonstrated by active listening / nodding / asking questions.

First impressions count

- Body language makes up 55% of communication, so before you approach the employer they may already be drawing some initial conclusions about you based on things like your posture.
- The calmer you are, the more confident your body language will be, and the employer will pick up on that.
- A smile and regular eye contact are positive signs of engagement.

Update your CV

Make sure your CV is up to date, error free and ready to tailor to the roles you plan to apply for after the event.

Read the Application Guide for tips and good examples, then contact Careers to get your CV checked.

To make the most of the opportunities on offer at a Careers Fair

- Download the Fair Guide to find out who is attending and what roles are on offer. Speak to companies as you can and find out what opportunities they have available.
- Try to find out people's names and ask to connect on LinkedIn
- Take notes as you go so you can remember important details and names.
- If you are struggling with confidence, please come and talk to the Careers Desk who will have a buddy available to assist you.

Introduce yourself

Prepare a short introduction about yourself (for example: name, degree subject / year of study you are in and a question about what careers they are offering).



Careers will have a stand at each of our Fairs - talk to us if you need further support, or email us at careers@brookes.ac.uk

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT CAREERS IN WEEK 5

Join us for workshops and events to kickstart your career planning. Whether you have started considering your options, are preparing for success or have no idea where to start at all, these workshops and employer sessions are sure to help you.

Monday

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March

**Introducing the Careers
Resources Portal**
12.30 noon to 1.00pm
Online



Tuesday

3

March

CV workshop
12.00 noon to 1.00pm
Online



Wednesday

4

March

**Thinking about
postgraduate study?**
12.00 noon to 1.00pm
Online



Thursday

5

March

**Writing applications that
work**
12.00 noon to 1.00pm
Online



Register your place:
<https://bit.ly/obucareersevents>

How do I prepare for my graduate career journey?

Your Careers team has prepared a [Graduate Guide](#). The guide is designed as a toolkit to support your career journey. It covers lots of information and advice to help you move forward, and links to the wide range of further resources we have available. We hope you find it helpful!

There are lots of things to consider to prepare yourself for working life after Oxford Brookes:

[Writing and targeting your CV](#) for the role that you are applying for, reviewed by Careers

- Do you know what your selling points are and how to promote yourself to employers?
- Have you got enough experience for the job you want to apply for? Could completing a [virtual internship](#) or [volunteering](#) help boost your CV?
- Have you [researched employers in your chosen industry](#) and do you know what skills and experience they ask for in applicants?
- Is your [LinkedIn profile](#) up to date?
- Have you practiced for your [job interview/assessment centre](#)?
- Do you know [where to look for roles in your industry](#) and are you searching in the right places?

[Make sure that you update your access to resources to your personal email address before you graduate!](#)



**Meet employers and
discover jobs on
campus**

**Talk to Careers
careers@brookes.ac.uk**

Hospitality and Events Fair

**Tue 3 February,
11.00am to 2:00pm,
The Terrace, JHBB**



Physiotherapy / Occupational Therapy Fair

**Tuesday 10 March,
11.00am to 2.00pm,
Marston Road**



Volunteering Fair

**Thu 12 February,
11.00am to 2.00pm,
JHBB Forum**



Summer Jobs / Opportunities Fair

**Thu 12 March,
11.00am to 2.00pm,
JHBB Forum**



Graduate Jobs Fair

**Thu 26th February,
11.00am to 2.00pm,
JHBB Forum**



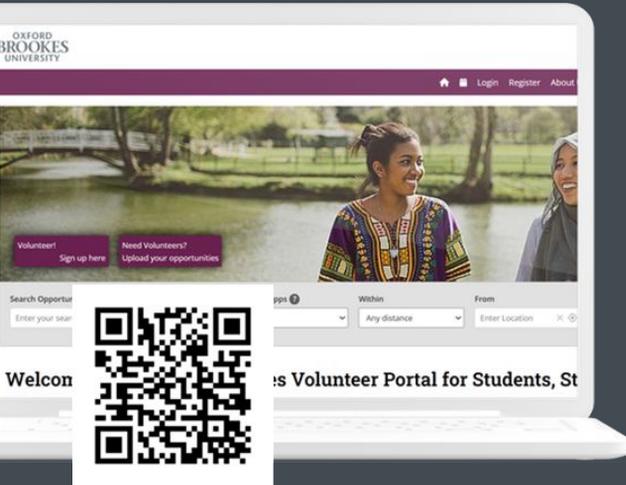
Nursing Jobs Fair

**Tue 14 April,
12:00pm to 3.00pm,
Swindon Campus**



**See who's attending and register your place now:
<https://bit.ly/obucareersevents>**

Careers support wherever you are...



Volunteer Portal

Register on our Volunteer Portal for access to around 250 opportunities, including Arts, Conservation, Admin, Events, Health, IT and Marketing volunteer roles.

Receive our Volunteer Newsletter by opting in on the Volunteer Portal and keep up to date on the latest opportunities.

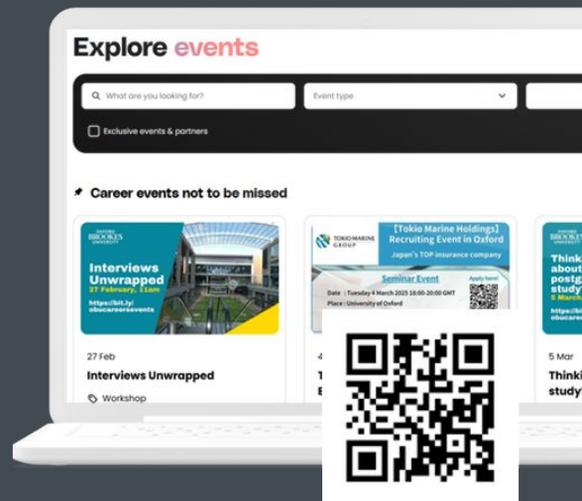
<https://volunteering.brookes.ac.uk>

Careers Portal

Register on our Careers Portal Jobteaser to search for graduate & part time jobs, internships and placements. Customise your feed and explore company profiles.

Register your place at our Careers Fairs, workshops and employer events as well as external recruitment events.

<https://brookes.jobteaser.com>

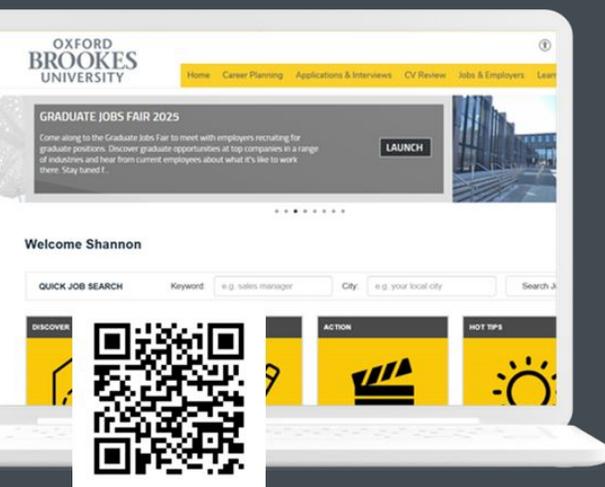


Careers Resources

Access expert resources to help you discover, plot and action your way to your chosen career. Tools include guides, videos, GoInGlobal, CV360, Interview360 & more!

Receive our Careers newsletter, read and download our Hot Tips series. Topics include International Students, AI & Digital Skills, Sustainability & Green Careers.

<https://brookes.careercentre.me/u/51syvlyq>



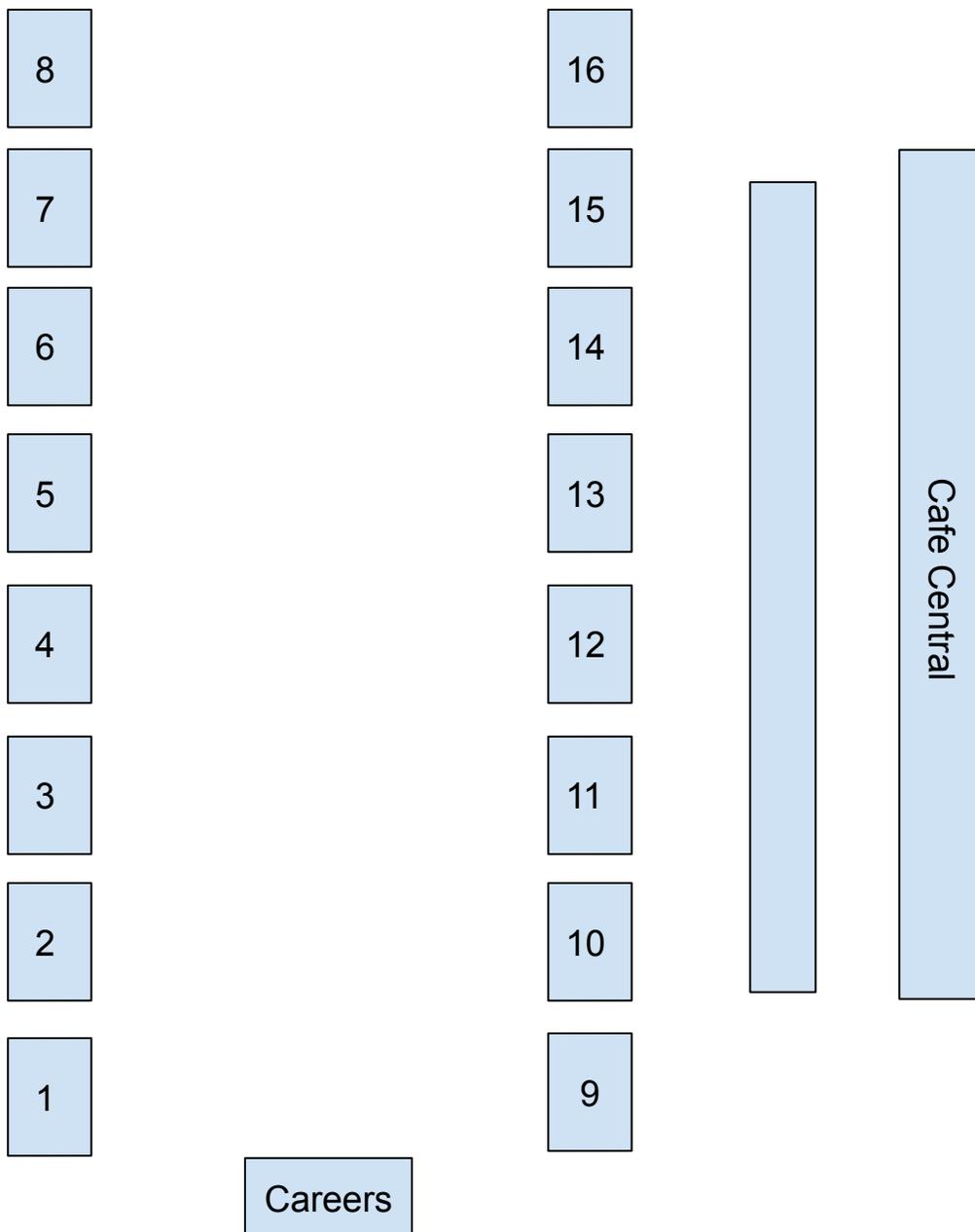
Please give us feedback on how you found the Fair

Your views are important to us
and help us improve the fairs
each year!

<https://forms.gle/jLm9JkGUcTJ5WuPA7>



Table Plan



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13. **OBU - CPD**
14. **White Horse Federation**
15. **Beau Bespoke Construction**
16. **GRAHAM**



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