

A Newsletter for the L6-PHP Apprenticeship Programme in Yorkshire & Humber

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June	July	August	September
Identification/ Recruitment of Apprentices			SEPTEMBER
Fillio	ng and submission of UoS	application	79
	Processii	ng of applications	Start date
	Callin	g Off Contracts	
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Update on Y&H's Applications to UoS

Yorkshire and Humber region have currently submitted 12 applications to the University of Sunderland (UoS).

Five more applications are yet to be submitted to make up the expected cohort size of 17 apprentices.

UoS are yet to send out acceptance letters to the individual applicants.

As we wait for UoS' contracts and letters, employers are encouraged to complete the Unique Reference Number (URN) forms attached and send it over to <u>Simon Dennis</u> at Salisbury Procurement.

Our next employer engagement event will review and discuss how the recruitment of the first cohort has been. Individual employers

UoS' Mentoring Support & Tripartite Meetings

The University of Sunderland (UoS) discussed their plans to support mentors at the last employer engagement events.

UoS revealed they were currently developing a Continuous Professional Development (CPD) mentoring program scheduled to begin somewhere in October 2021. This will be a 3/4-month program that will run at different times within a year.

Interested applicants could either take an accredited (assessment based) or non-accredited (no assessment) route. The accredited route could be done as a level 6 or 7 program. Individuals who take the non-accredited route will receive a certificate of participation at the end of the program.

UoS added that this program will be at no cost to the employer

UoS briefly discussed the content of the generic program looking at topics such as; mentoring versus coaching, different types of mentoring and, navigating the different challenges with apprentices and many others.

Further details about the program to be published soon by the university. Details of an information event for interested employers will soon be made available.

UoS also discussed regular tripartite meetings with the employer and apprentices every 8-10 weeks to;

- 1. Ensure the apprentices are getting the support they need and are on track with the program.
- 2. Assess the impact of the apprenticeship on the individual apprentices and their organisations
- 3. Provide regular progress reports on the apprentice(s).

Email <u>Danielle Richardson</u> should you have any concerns or enquiries.

Latest News

UKPHR - Consultation on Route to Registration for PH Practitioner Apprentices

UKPHR is consulting on the process for accepting successful public health practitioner apprentices onto the Public Health Register.

Views on the proposals (see below) are sought by 10 September 2021 and should be sent to register@ukphr.org.

UKPHR website links:

- Consultation announcement
- Consultation document

Recruitment

Rotherham Council is currently recruiting two (2) public health practitioner apprentices.

Find the link to the adverts below;

Rotherham Council Job Advert

Upcoming Events

Exploring the Potential of L6-PHP Apprenticeships within Primary and Secondary Healthcare Settings

A free, online information event

Launch of Community Health & Wellbeing Worker apprenticeship standard

A free, online information event for employers.

Wednesday 15th September

Wednesday 1st September 2021 10.30am to 12.00noon

Click to join

1.30pm to 3.00pm

Click here to register

4th Employer Engagement Event

This event will review the recruitment and enrolment journey done so far.

Friday 1st October 2021 10.30am to 12.00noon

Click to join

Useful Links

UoS Application Form

L6 PHP Job Description example

PHP Apprenticeship Video

Implementation Guidance

Employing an apprentice

EOI for Staff

Apprenticeships funding rules for employers

Send any concerns/ queries to yhphworkforce@phe.gov. uk

> Y&H PHP Apprenticeship Website

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