

CONSTRUCTION

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CAREER PATHS

- >> CONSERVATION SPECIALIST
- >> BUILDING DESIGNER
- >> PROJECT MANAGER
- >> ARCHITECT

I.T. & INTERNET

A PROFESSIONAL CAREER IN I.T. RANGES FROM THE HIGHLY TECHNICAL, SUCH AS SOFTWARE DEVELOPER, COMPUTER GAMES DESIGNER OR TECHNICAL SUPPORT; TO THOSE REQUIRING GOOD BUSINESS AWARENESS SUCH AS SYSTEMS ANALYST, DATABASE ADMINISTRATOR OR WEB AUTHOR.

CAREER PATHS

- >> GAMES DEVELOPER
- >> NETWORK MANAGER
- >> APP DESIGNER
- >> CYBER SECURITY SPECIALIST

ENGINEERING

ENGINEERING HAS AN IMAGE PROBLEM - YOUNG PEOPLE OFTEN MISTAKENLY SEE THEM AS 'DIRTY' PROFESSIONS. BUT INCREASING INVESTMENT AND DEVELOPMENT OF TECHNOLOGY MEANS YOU CAN OFTEN BE WORKING IN AN EXCITING, MODERN AND WELL-EQUIPPED ENVIRONMENT.

CAREER PATHS

- >> STRUCTURAL ENGINEER
- >> RESEARCH ENGINEER
- >> DESIGN ENGINEER
- >> AEROSPACE ENGINEER

WHERE CAN DESIGN TECH TAKE YOUR CAREER?

MANUFACTURING

3 MILLION PEOPLE ARE EMPLOYED IN MANUFACTURING. THAT IS 9% OF THE UK WORKFORCE. 124,000 SKILLED WORKERS WILL BE NEEDED TO KEEP UP WITH DEMAND IN THE SECTOR BETWEEN NOW AND 2024.

CAREER PATHS

- >> MANUFACTURING MANAGER
- >> QUALITY ASSURANCE MANAGER
- >> FURNITURE MAKER
- >> PRODUCT DESIGNER

HOSPITALITY & CATERING

IT MAY BE POPULAR FOR PART-TIME, CASUAL AND ENTRY-LEVEL WORK, BUT THERE ARE ALSO OPPORTUNITIES FOR GRADUATES TO MAKE THEIR MARK IN THE HOSPITALITY AND EVENTS SECTOR.

CAREER PATHS

- >> HEAD CHEF
- >> HOTEL MANAGER
- >> CONFERENCE AND EVENTS MANAGER
- >> CONFERENCE CENTRE MANAGER

RETAIL & FASHION

WITH ALMOST THREE MILLION WORKERS THE RETAIL INDUSTRY IS THE UK'S LARGEST PRIVATE SECTOR EMPLOYER. AMBITIOUS YOUNG PEOPLE CAN JOIN THE RANKS WORKING FOR A VARIETY OF HIGH-PROFILE COMPANIES IN A RANGE OF ROLES.

CAREER PATHS

- >> VISUAL MERCHANDISER
- >> FASHION DESIGNER
- >> FASHION JOURNALIST
- >> RETAIL MANAGER

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- >> BUILDER
- >> LANDSCAPE GARDENER
- >> CARPENTER
- >> PIPEFITTER

ART & DESIGN

OVER HALF A MILLION PEOPLE WORK AS ARTISTS, DESIGNERS, PERFORMERS, MUSICIANS AND CRAFTS PEOPLE.

CAREER PATHS

- >> SCULPTOR
- >> DRAUGHTSPERSON
- >> CAD TECHNICIAN
- >> INTERIOR DESIGNER

HEALTH & BEAUTY

IF YOU ARE CREATIVE AND ENJOY MEETING PEOPLE AND MAKING THEM FEEL BETTER THEN A JOB IN THE HEALTH AND BEAUTY INDUSTRY MAY BE FOR YOU.

CAREER PATHS

- >> MAKE UP ARTIST
- >> HAIRDRESSER
- >> NAIL TECHNICIAN
- >> COSMETIC CONSULTANT

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CAREER PATHS

- >> RESTAURANT MANAGER
- >> PUBLICAN
- >> WEDDING COORDINATOR
- >> CONFERENCE COORDINATOR

ADVERTISING & MARKETING

MOST PEOPLE WORKING IN THE FIELD STARTED AT THE BOTTOM RUNG OF THE LADDER, INTERNING FOR FREE, POSSIBLY EVEN MAKING MINIMUM WAGE JUST TO GET THEIR START IN THE INDUSTRY.

CAREER PATHS

- >> WEB CONTENT MANAGER
- >> SOCIAL MEDIA ASSISTANT
- >> MARKET RESEARCHER
- >> FASHION BLOGGER

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- >> BUYERS ASSISTANT
- >> RETAIL ASSISTANT
- >> PERSONAL SHOPPER
- >> MODEL