Week 10: Monday 9 - Friday 13 March 2020

We would like to bring your attention to the upcoming Start-up and SME Insight Evening on Thursday 12 March. Come and meet entrepreneurs at the cutting edge of innovation. Whether you are interested in starting your own company, or working for a start-up, you can find out more about the range of options and hear from six different organisations breaking new ground in their sectors.

Book a place on JobsLive now!
Come and hear from Stuart Wheaton - Chief Technical Officer for Premier Oil as he discusses his career, after graduating with a Masters degree in Chemical Engineering from Imperial College, London.

In a prior role he was the UK Director based in Aberdeen, UK of Premier’s expanding business delivering three new oilfield projects including the Catcher Field, and the integration of a large acquisition into the existing portfolio. Previously, he has occupied senior field development and engineering-operational roles with Tullow Oil, Cairn Energy, LASMO and Exxon. His primary interests are in petroleum engineering, development planning, projects and production operations. He has worked world-wide in the upstream industry covering both onshore and offshore locations. At Cairn Energy he led the appraisal and field development planning teams for the Rajasthan discoveries in India. At Tullow Oil he was responsible for the delivery of the deepwater Jubilee FPSO project, in Ghana.

Book a place for 13:00 Wednesday 11 March on JobsLive!

The Professional Project Fund is a Careers Service initiative for continuing Imperial undergraduate and PhD students. It offers you the opportunity to develop your own professional project that is tailored to your interests and skills and will provide a steppingstone in your career planning. Once agreed with the organisation, you can then apply to Imperial College Careers Service for a £1200 bursary to support you undertaking your project.

The scheme is currently open for applications until 23:59 on Wednesday 6 May 2020.

Our programme of consultations also continues this week. Book from 07:00 on the day that you want to see someone. Log into JobsLive and book your Careers Consultation (CV check + more) | Careers Consultation (by referral) | Internship Consultation (CC check + more).

Please remember that each appointment type is limited to a maximum of three per term.
If you would like a CV health check and feedback, check out My CVs on JobsLive! To access, log in to JobsLive -> My profile -> My CVs

This enables all Imperial students and recent graduates to receive a quick review of their CVs from a member of our team. You may request a review for up to 3 CVs per term. Please note that My CVs is not available to Business School students.

**Careers events at Imperial this week**

**Monday 9 March 2020**

**Work During Studies** 13:00 - 13:50

This session is delivered by the International Student Support Team.

Are you studying on a Tier 4 at Imperial? Would you like to know more about the rules on working during your course? This session will look at the Tier 4 working restriction: what does it allow and what can you not do on your visa. We will cover internships, work placements, vacations and working at the end of your course.

**Career Essentials - Assessment Centres** 16:00 - 16:50

Assessment centres often form the final stage of a recruitment process and contain a range of activities which could include group exercises, presentations and written tests. They differ a lot depending on the employer so how can you best prepare? This seminar will help you build a strategy to prepare for all the elements of an assessment centre to help minimise your nerves and maximise your performance on the day.

**Tuesday 10 March 2020**

**Career Essentials - CVs & Cover Letters** 12:00 - 12:50

CVs and cover letters are often the first stage of applying for many experiences you will want to have during and after University, whether that is an internship, getting a scholarship or applying for a job. But how do you make sure the impression you give on paper fully fits what the reader needs to see? Come to this seminar to learn how to structure and tailor your CV and cover letter the right way to give you the best chance of success.
Wednesday 11 March 2020

Imperial Engineering Graduate and his 30 years in the "dirty" Oil and Gas Industry 13:00 - 13:50

Join Stuart Wheaton - Chief Technical Officer for Premier Oil as he discusses his career:

- Why did he pursue this route?
- What did he do and what did he learn?
- And why would you do it now when we all know the energy transition is happening?

Webinar - Employer Presentation by Midea Group 13:00 - 14:00

Midea Group will deliver a recruitment presentation from their offices in China via the Zoom video connection platform. Students from Imperial College London can access this event via computer, tablet or mobile phone to find out more about the internship and graduate opportunities available at Midea. The session is open to all students, but the presentation will focus on employment opportunities with Midea within China.

KPMG - Making Sound Decisions 14:30 - 16:30

This interactive session will give you an opportunity to understand and practice how to exercise professional judgement to make decisions in business. We will aim to increase your ability to gather appropriate data, facts and evidence so that you are better equipped to make decisions effectively.

This session will help you assess risks and maintain the confidence to stand by your decisions. It will enable you to consider information received with professional scepticism and encourage you to act with integrity and demonstrate ethical behaviour.

Life Sciences Careers Speed Networking Event 17:15 - 20:00

This informal event gives you the opportunity to talk to and hear from Life Science graduates, now in a range of different careers, through speed networking in small groups with other students.

Attending this event will enable you to:

- Gain a unique insight into what it’s really like to work in a range of roles within companies and organisations of different sizes and types, where there are opportunities for Life Scientists like you
- Help you to make decisions about your career, by focusing on or ruling out certain career options.
- Find out about any work opportunities – current and upcoming – in the organisations present
- Receive insights into how best to increase your chances of being considered for these or similar types of roles and what the employer usually looks for.

Thursday 12 March 2020

Career Essentials - Interviews 15:00 - 15:50

Interviews are an essential stage in the recruitment process, often the final hurdle and can be a daunting prospect. So how can you best prepare for and perform effectively at interview? Come to this seminar to find out what the interviewer is looking for in candidates, the range of different formats that interviews take, types of questions and activities you might encounter and how to prepare effectively and improve
your interview skills further. The session is applicable to all types of interview, whether via telephone, skype, pre-recorded video or in person, and whether for jobs or further study / research.

**Start-up and SME Insight Evening 18:00 - 20:00**

Come and meet some entrepreneurs at the cutting edge of innovation at our Start-up and SME Insight Evening. You will get the chance to ask questions and network with six different organisations, to find out more about the opportunities within these areas.

**Friday 13 March 2020**

**Hire & Scale – consultants to start-ups 10:00 - 15:50**

Interested in working for a start-up? Or have an idea you’d like to develop? Carl & Braham from Hire & Scale are consultants to start-up, early stage and venture capitalist funded high growth companies. They are enabling companies everywhere to hire and scale more effectively and have considerable experience working with start-ups.

These 20 minute 1:1 sessions will provide you with an opportunity to find out how to make successful applications to start-ups and small companies, CV guidance and advice around starting your own business.

**Career Essentials - LinkedIn 12:00 - 13:00**

LinkedIn is one of the most powerful online networking tools in the world and most industries are using it in some form. So how can you make sure you are maximising your online profile to advance your career? This seminar will help you to understand the full power of LinkedIn and develop your use of this website in a professional and useful way.

**Career Essentials - Psychometric Tests 13:00 - 13:50**

Psychometric or aptitude tests are a common way for employers to screen a large number of applicants quickly and fairly. Test often take place quite early in the application process and each employer has a different approach to using them so how can you best prepare yourself for the unknown? Come to this seminar to find out about the different types of tests and how to prepare for them to help you advance to the next stages of recruitment.

**External Employer events this week**

**Monday 9 March 2020**

**Online Career Fair for Chinese International Students**

Registration & Submitting the resume: 10th February - 10th March (UTC+8)

Online Q&A Session: 9th March (0:00) - 10th March (23:59) (UTC+8)

Online Interview: 9th March (0:00) - 10th March (23:59) (UTC+8)
What can you gain?

- Two-way communication, students can communicate with the employers directly on this platform
- All consultant services are free
- The Safe & Healthy way for overseas students to find jobs in the period of coronavirus outbreak.

**Wednesday 11 March 2020**

[Energy Futures Lab Careers Fair](#) 16:30 - 18:30

Interested in a career in the sustainable energy sector?

Energy Futures Lab, one of Imperial’s six global institutes, is running a Careers Fair on Wednesday 11 March, 16.30-18.30 in the Queen’s Tower Rooms. Learn more about careers in the energy sector from leading companies including ABB, Bloomberg NEF, Jacobs and Poyry. All students welcome. Hope to see you there!

**Thursday 12 March 2020**

[Casimir Research School - Open Days](#) 9:00 - 17:00

Apply now for the Delft/Leiden Casimir Research School Open Days, a two-day program on 12 and 13 March 2020 for talented MSc students who are looking for a PhD position in Physics or Biophysics.

During the Open Days you will:

- Meet our internationally renowned professors and learn about their latest discoveries,
- Have the opportunity to visit our state-of-the-art laboratories, and of course you will
- Get to know our PhD students to hear what it is like to work as a junior researcher in Leiden or Delft.

**More News & Events**

**Essential publications - free to take away!**

We have a wide range of publications to help you with every stage of your career planning, cv & application preparation, and job hunting. You can either pop in to the Career Service (level 5 Sherfield Building), or download a copy from our website – titles include Your Guide to Career Planning 2019-20, The Events Guide, The Imperial Guide to CVs.

See our [website](#) for details of more publications.
GoinGlobal

Interested in working abroad? Check out GoinGlobal’s comprehensive career and employment resources toolkit filled with everything you need to find jobs and internships in various countries around the world!

Please note that if you are a graduate, you will need to register on our website before you can access GoinGlobal.

Career Service support and information for disabled students and graduates

For more information on the Careers Service’s support for students with disabilities, including finding inclusive employers, disclosing a disability and reasonable adjustments, please go to our dedicated page on the website: Support for students with disabilities.

Study in the US - with Fulbright!

Fulbright offers a variety of awards allowing Imperial students to study in the U.S. The Elsevier Scholarship, Lloyds Scholarship, and All Disciplines Award might be of particular interest to Imperial students, but please refer to the website for a complete list of opportunities.

Click here to find out more about Fulbright Opportunities

Get in touch!

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