

Degree Apprenticeships at Warwick

An Employer's Guide

Part 1: Overview

What is a Degree Apprenticeship?

A Degree Apprenticeship is a programme that combines work with study, developed by universities and employers. A Degree Apprentice will spend 80 per cent of their time learning on-the-job, and 20 per cent training off-the-job studying towards their degree. Programmes are delivered in either one-week blocks spaced throughout the year or as day release, one day a week. On successful completion, your apprentice will graduate with a full bachelor's or master's degree, giving you the opportunity to maximise the return on your levy investment.

Why Warwick?

The University of Warwick is a world-class university with a reputation for excellence in research and teaching and has strong links with business and industry (8th in the UK, The Guardian University Guide 2021 and 7th in the UK Research Excellence Framework). We are renowned for providing our graduates with the knowledge, skills, and potential to drive your business forward in the global marketplace (3rd most targeted by the UK's top 100 graduate employers, Graduate Market 2020 Highfliers Research Ltd and 62nd in the QS World University Rankings 2021). Our apprenticeship programmes have the same high academic standards as our traditional degrees, and apprentices will have full access to our state-of-the-art facilities and excellent student support services.

Each of our programmes is carefully mapped against the relevant apprenticeship standard. We deliver:

- ▶ engineering programmes (Manufacturing Engineer L6, Civil Engineer L6, Product Design and Development Engineer L6 and Post graduate Engineer L7)
- ▶ a range of programmes for the digital sector (Digital and Technology Solutions Professional L6 with pathways in Data Analytics, Software Engineer, Network Engineer, Business Analyst and Cyber Security Specialist)
- ▶ health and social care (Healthcare Science Practitioner L6, Advanced Clinical Practitioner L7 and Social Worker L6)
- ▶ and, for business, we offer the Senior Leader apprenticeship (Senior Leader L7 with pathway in Healthcare Operational Management)

If the apprenticeship you are interested in is not listed, please get in touch to find out about our latest developments.

Support

Our Degree Apprenticeships Team are here to support you at every stage of the apprenticeship, from helping with recruitment and selection, guiding you through the contracting process to ensure ESFA compliance, to providing dedicated on-programme support throughout the apprenticeship.

Partners

Our current partners include local, regional and national employers Warwick (Atkins, Mott MacDonald, Jacobs, Arcadis, Stantec, MLM Group, Arup, Keller, Laing O'Rourke, Aecom, Kier, J Murphy and Sons Ltd, WSP and Fusion).

We continue to work closely with our employer partners to build strong working relationships and achieve the best possible outcomes for their apprentices.

('I am really pleased with the delivery of the Apprenticeship', Laing O'Rourke Apprenticeship Programme Manager.

'Warwick University have been a brilliant training provider to work with', J Murphy and Sons Ltd Emerging Talent Development Partner.

'We've really loved working with Warwick... they have been great both in terms of the employer relationship... and their delivery to our apprentices', Arup Early Years Learning and Resourcing Consultant).

Conclusion

Get in touch with us now to start a conversation about working together to deliver Degree Apprenticeships that meet your needs.

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