

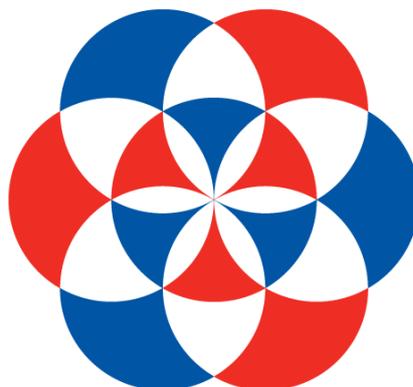


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CAREER GAZETTE



Careers that affect Change

As we look towards a more sustainable future, we need to analyze our impact and education in relation to some of the world's more complex global megatrends. According to Ernst and Young (2020 EY report) megatrends are large, transformative forces that define the future having a far reaching impact on business, economies, industries, societies and individuals. Examples of these are Climate change, Biodiversity Loss or Ecosystem decline; Food Security; Water Scarcity and Urbanization.

The question remains, what value do we put onto some of the most precious resources the environment has to offer us? As students there appears to be an overwhelming information overload to climate change, and "doing our part to save the world", however are we making an impact? When exploring career pathways there are a multitude of majors offered at Universities like Urban Planner, Environmental Geologist; Air Quality Engineer and Environmental Engineer to name a few that will focus on building ethically responsible processes and systems that will ensure that people and planet prosper and can continue to grow and develop sustainably.

Events

Open Day at University College Roosevelt, Netherlands

23rd October

Register here - <https://www.ucr.nl/opendays/>

Bachelor's Online Open Days - Leiden University

30th October

Register here -

<https://ticket.andgage.io/?>

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Young engineering software program

6th November (for ages 15-18)

Register here -

<https://investin.org/products/young-software-engineer-weekend>

Explore Economics with the University of Leicester

2nd November

Register here -

<https://www.unifrog.org/student/webinars/upcoming/310-explore-economics-with-the-university-of-leicester>

University Application Deadlines

Early Application deadlines - 1st to 15th November 2021

Regular Decision deadlines USA / Canada - 1st January 2022

Regular Decision deadlines UK - 26th January 2022

Student Deadlines

AS Students Personal Statement Deadline - 30th October 2021 (Send to Mrs. Saify)

Y13 Personal Statement Deadline - 30th October 2021 (Send to Mrs. Crouse)

CV/ resume deadline - 11th November 2021

Career spotlight

~ Business Management ~

What does a 'business person' do exactly?

You could define a businessperson as a jack-of-all-trades when it comes to making and spending money. You can find them in virtually every organization buying and selling goods, managing operations, supervising workers, balancing the books and overseeing finances.

EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS:

- a bachelors degree is needed in any thing similar to:
 - Economics
 - Business management/ administration
 - computer science etc...
- subjects in general:
 - Math (statistics)
 - Economic geography

Skills required

- Negotiation skills
- leadership skills
- Emotional intelligence
- Effective communication skills
- Data analysis skills
- Networking
- Decision making

Teacher spotlight



ANDY WALLIS

This is my 7th year of teaching and before I reached Doha in 2019. I studied Geography (BSc) at university after my GCSEs and A-Levels and then did a year of teacher training through a PGCE course at Edge Hill University, close to

home in Liverpool. I have been an examiner for AQA at GCSE, I have contributed to Cambridge IGCSE textbooks and courses, and I have been Head of Department in some of my schools. It is so nice to see “the lightbulb” in their heads switch on when they understand it, and it is this feeling that is the best about being a teacher. I am grateful for all the opportunities I have received through teaching however, there is nothing better than seeing the students in front of me succeed. All of this contributes to helping the students become more aware of the world around them in Geography and looking at issues we face today and in the future; it is fantastic to see them tackle and consider the problems themselves, and who knows where this could take them?

University of the month

The University of Manchester is a historic institution, known for its groundbreaking discoveries and high-quality research with a global impact. It is ranked to be top 30 in the world and top 10 in the UK. The university offers various courses in aerospace engineering, Adult nursing, accounting, Bsc management and more. Specifically looking into the BSc management course that they offer which is a 3 to 4-year long undergrad degree. Overall, BSc (Hons) Management is a broad-based course which allows you to study the full range of management subjects that the university of Manchester offers. However, you can also choose to specialize in accounting and finance, human resources, international business economics, marketing, etc throughout this course. In the real world, it helps with *Industrial / Professional Experience* which is ideal if you are interested in exploring the challenges of making or developing a new business through the analysis of real company cases. This consists of studying your course in years 1,2 and 4 but also working at a company like Boeing or Bloomberg in your 3rd year (this could be very beneficial for your job applications later on)

For more information, visit - <https://www.manchester.ac.uk/>

Alumni



Hi, I am Tharinee Pillai a student from the class of 2018. My time at DBS has been quite good and I could not have asked for a better learning experience than what I had at DBS. I

continuously felt encouraged

and challenged throughout my secondary/sixth form journey and my teachers genuinely cared about the growth and success of their students.

Being a student in the positive and multicultural community that is DBS has helped shape and support my transition into higher education. I am

now in my final undergraduate year at the University of Bristol. Although I'm still undecided

on the next chapter of my career, I enjoy studying

Pharmacology and would love to gain working experience within the biomedical industry to further my skills and knowledge of the field.

Student Spotlight

Hello! I am Divneet, studying in year eight. This is my fifth year at DBS, and I am fortunate to be surrounded by a diverse culture and approachable teachers who motivate me to give my best. I find all of our subjects fascinating for instance I love to challenge myself in maths and science, but I am especially fond of literature- poetry, descriptive writing, and reading. I believe this has greatly boosted my confidence in public speaking events at school, and this year I am excited to be a part of the MUN leadership team.

Outside of school, I enjoy playing badminton, dancing, and baking, for I truly adore the aroma of an oven-fresh treat! I'm not sure yet which career I will pursue in the future, but I look forward to what life has in store for me!



Student Corner

What is the difference between AS and A levels?

Both courses are UK subject-based qualifications and are taught in the same way. A-levels is a two year (year 12 and 13) and a more advanced course whilst AS is only one year and is equivalent to half an A-level course (only year 12). People usually pick 3 to 4 A-level/ AS subjects and you can even have a combination of both; for example, 3 A-levels and 1 AS.

Grades are awarded on scale from A* – E. Those who do not meet the minimum standard receive a U. Students need 40% to achieve an E, 50% for a D, 60% for a C and so on. It is important to keep in mind that if you do choose to pursue AS, you would normally be required to do a foundation year at university (not all universities offer foundation years) but if you're looking to make a more competitive application for university, A-levels would be more suitable for you.

Scholarship of the month

University of Toronto

The University of Toronto Offers over 4,400 Scholarships Each Year to Newly Admitted Future Students. The Scholarships Consist of University of Toronto Scholars Program, President's Scholars of Excellence Program, Lester B. Pearson International Scholarship - which is great to apply for as an international students who demonstrates exceptional academic achievement. No separate Application is required for most of the Scholarships. Also the benefits range from 7,500 CAD to 180,000 CAD (over four years). The last date to apply for the University of Toronto Scholarships in Canada 2021 For Undergraduate Programs is 15th January 2021.

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Did you know?

Iran has the highest female to male ratio in universities among all sovereign nations. More than 70% of students in engineering and pure sciences are women.

University Rankings Top 10 in the UK (2021)

- 1) Harvard University
- 2) INSEAD
- 3) London Business School
- 4) MIT
- 5) Stanford University
- 6) University of Pennsylvania
- 7) Bocconi University
- 8) University of Cambridge
- 9) HEC Paris School of Management
- 10) University of Oxford

For more information please visit:
<https://www.topuniversities.com/university-rankings/university-subject-rankings/2021/computer-science-information-systems>