



## **Enniskillen Royal Grammar School – CEIAG BULLETIN**

### **Week Beginning Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2024**

#### **Atlantic Technological University (ATU) Access Northern Ireland(NI) Course – Closing Date is today, 26<sup>th</sup> February**

This course is available to support students who may struggle to matriculate to ATU via the normal CAO process.

The Access NI course provides the following benefits:

- Gives direct entry to multiple undergraduate degree programmes available at ATU (list attached)
- Is aimed at students who are doing a mixture of A-levels and other awards such as BTEC's
- Is running FREE of charge - no cost to the student participant
- Is running ONLINE – 2 evenings per week
- Begins in early March
- Is a stand alone 30 credit qualification - a level 6 qualification which equates to a level 4 programme in NI.

Students interested in applying to participate in this programme can apply through the following link: <https://forms.office.com/e/xh7Ns0QSC3>

#### **SRUC Online Open Events**

For potential students who would like to find out more about the courses on offer at SRUC Barony Campus. It is the perfect way to ask more questions and interact with lecturers, understand the course modules, and find excitement within potential choices.

**ONLINE OPEN EVENTS  
BARONY CAMPUS** 

Join us for our Open Events in  
February 2024

**Rural Business Management Online Open Event**  
26 February, 4pm till 5pm

**Forestry & Arboriculture Online Open Event**  
26 February, 5.30pm till 6.30pm

Register your place now  
[www.sruc.ac.uk/opendays](http://www.sruc.ac.uk/opendays)

#### **Translink Apprenticeship Opportunities 2024**

Applications now live.

Opportunities available in.

- Bus & Rail engineering
- Infrastructure and Projects

Please find applicant guides attached.

For further information and to apply please visit [www.translink.co.uk/apprenticeships](http://www.translink.co.uk/apprenticeships)

**Vacancy close date:** 12 noon, Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> February 2024

### **MEGA Degree Apprenticeship Programmes with Ulster University**

Mega now offers two degree apprenticeship programmes in partnership with Ulster University. These programmes, one in Mechanical Engineering and the other in Finance and Accounting, are currently open for applications until **March 31st**.

You can find more details about each programme by visiting the following links:

[MEGA Degree Apprenticeship | Manufacturing & Engineering | MEGA \(midulstermega.com\)](https://www.midulstermega.com)

[MEGA Degree Apprenticeship | Accounting & Finance | MEGA \(midulstermega.com\)](https://www.midulstermega.com)

### **PwC Virtual Insight Programme 2024**

This opportunity is for Year 13 students. The 3-day virtual programme takes place from **29 July - 31 July 2024 inclusive** and offers the opportunity to gain an insight into the work at PwC, the different lines of service, and how you can join them after finishing school/college. You will receive support on making applications and have the chance to engage with their people. Further information, including full eligibility criteria and application link can be found in the **job description [here](#)**.

### **FREE 6-Month Medical or 4-month Dental Virtual Work Experience Programme**

Designed to give students a first-hand glimpse into the medical and dental fields.

Understanding the significance of work experience in shaping career aspirations, this initiative can be truly beneficial for you if you are considering applying to either medicine or dentistry at university.

With only a limited time remaining before the next rotation begins on March 4th, you can find out more here:

<https://medicmentor.org/university-hospitals-birmingham-trust-virtual-work-experience/>

### **Liverpool John Moores University - Northern Ireland Applicant Events | Belfast | Saturday 2 March 2024**

- Morning event: 9:30am – 12:30pm
- Afternoon event: 2:00pm – 5:00pm

To find out more and book a place: applicants visit [www.ljmu.ac.uk/applicant](http://www.ljmu.ac.uk/applicant).

### **Virtual UCAT Conference on Sunday 3rd March, 11am - 2pm**

Led by expert Chief Mentors who specialise in UCAT exam preparation. During the conference, they will equip you with everything you need to approach the exam with confidence. Sign up for the FREE UCAT conference on Sunday 3rd March here:

<https://airtable.com/appUzIPHCCss5TVr/shrFhrt8Q6y9uc4YV>

### **Sligo Engineering Fair 2024**

The Sligo Engineering Fair 2024 takes place at ATU on the Sligo Campus on **Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> of March from 12pm to 5pm**. The Engineering Fair will include a wide range of performances, interactive displays workshops and demonstrations for all the family to enjoy. Design, build and discover with lots of fun guaranteed for both children and adults. This year's Sligo Engineering Fair will all be live, in-person activities and is a FREE to all event. For more information, [please visit the Sligo Engineering Fair 2024 webpage](#)

### **Interested in Working in Journalism**

Explore the exciting opportunities in journalism with BBC News, Assistant Editor, **Josie Verghese**. Learn how curiosity drives media success and nurtures new talent to amplify diversity in broadcasting.

**Tuesday 5th March | 02:00pm - 02:45pm | KS4-5 / S4-6**

[Sign-up](#)

## A Career in Genetics

Dive into the mysteries of genetics with [Professor Laurence Hurst](#). Discover a career in science that decodes life's secrets!

**Wednesday 6th March | 11:15am - 12:00pm | KS4-5 / S4-6**

[Sign-up](#)

## ATU – Alternative Pathways

For students who are worried about points and how to get their dream profession - ATU have set up an [Alternative Pathways in ATU Sligo Webpage](#) to highlight some of the pathways available to students in ATU Sligo. On this page they have explained routes to careers in:

**Physiotherapy - Radiography - Occupational Therapy - Speech and Language Therapy - Dietetics - PE Teaching - Primary School Teaching - Psychology - Journalism - Various Teaching Careers**

## Sentinus Research Academy 2024 – Applications Open



The poster for Sentinus Research Academy 2024 features the Sentinus logo (a stylized 'S' made of three interlocking shapes) and the text 'Sentinus Science Technology Engineering Mathematics'. Below the logo, it reads 'Sentinus Research Academy 2024' and includes a QR code. The main text describes the academy as an opportunity for Years 13 & 14 students to experience real online research projects. A bulleted list highlights benefits such as contributing to live research projects, skill development, and enhanced UCAS applications. It also notes that applications are welcome from AS or A2 level students and provides a website link and address.

**Sentinus**  
Science Technology Engineering Mathematics

**Sentinus  
Research Academy  
2024**

The Sentinus Research Academy gives students in Years 13 & 14 the opportunity to experience real online research projects provided by local universities, companies and organisations.

- opportunity to contribute to live research projects;
- supports development of skills and subject knowledge;
- significantly enhances UCAS application and personal statement;
- helps develop communication skills and increased confidence;
- high quality experience of research in a wide range of subject areas.

Applications are welcome from all students studying appropriate subjects at AS or A2 level, or equivalent. Early application is advised as there are limited places in certain subjects.

For further information or to register for a place on the Academy please scan the QR code above or visit:

[www.sentinus.co.uk/programmes/sentinus-research-academy/](http://www.sentinus.co.uk/programmes/sentinus-research-academy/)

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