

# EHU Careers Spring 2022 Booklet

Upcoming events, jobs, career advice and more!

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## What We Do

Based in Catalyst, the Careers team are here to help you find and achieve your success! We are ready with career information and opportunities to make you stand out from the crowd.

1-to-1 informal appointments to talk about anything careers related. Such as talking about career options, finding part-time or graduate work, volunteering opportunities, application and interview advice and much more.

The team runs workshops and events throughout the year. Such as CV workshops, Careers Fairs, employer presentations and more.

Send us your CV or application and we can check it over for you. Giving you constructive feedback on how you can improve it and tailor it to a specific opportunity.

Recognition through awards. Students can receive recognition for their self-development and boost their CV through Careers-led initiatives, such as Extra Edge and the annual Careers Awards.

ALL THIS AND MORE AT... [EHU.AC.UK/CAREERS](http://EHU.AC.UK/CAREERS)

## Upcoming Events

Careers bring you heaps of events throughout the year to help you explore career options, get behind the scenes tips and develop your skills.

To book into any of these events and find out more, visit [ehu.ac.uk/careersevents](http://ehu.ac.uk/careersevents)

[Volunteering Roadshow Wednesday 9th February, 11:00](#)

[RE:ACTION Sign-up Deadline Thursday 10th February, 15:00](#)

[Job Applications: Getting the Pitch Right! Thursday 10th February, 12:30](#)

[Careers Planning for Graduates Monday 14th February, 13:00](#)

[Networking 101 Wednesday 16th February, 15:30](#)

[National Careers Week Monday 7th March](#)

[Postgraduate Information Session Tuesday 15th March, 10:00](#)

This is not everything we have on offer and is subject to change. To view the full updated list of events, including some repeat sessions and newly added ones, please visit [ehu.ac.uk/careersevents](http://ehu.ac.uk/careersevents).

## Career Corner

### ***YOUR ONE-STOP-SHOP FOR CAREERS QUESTIONS***

Careers Corner has joined Catalyst! If you have a careers question, big or small, feel free to drop by weekdays between 8 AM and 3 PM. A member of the team will be there to show you around our useful online resources, give advice, talk about opportunities or book a follow-up appointment with you for more in-depth support.

08:00 – 15:00 Weekdays

Careers Corner, Catalyst Ground Floor

## Volunteering Roadshow

The volunteer roadshow is your chance to meet with organisations offering volunteering in your local area. Volunteering is a great way to build experience, meet new people and give back to the community.

Organisations attending will all be offering opportunities within 25 miles of the university and the careers team will be there with more information about their roles and organisations.

11:00 – 14:00 Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> February, Hub

## Pwc Scavenger Hunt

Find PwC on campus today for your chance to win an electric car!

We're coming to your university through WebAR and the even better news is, there's a chance you could win some exciting tech bundles or our grand prize of a brand-new electric car! Through our Scavenger Hunt and our Virtual Park, we want to show you how we do business. With opportunities to join us as undergraduates or graduates, explore how we're at our best when we're helping organisations improve their impact on the environment, and on society, becoming more resilient, agile and sustainable.

The spring scavenger hunt is now on campus and will run from 24 January to 18 February 2022.

Visit us at [pwc.co.uk/play](https://pwc.co.uk/play)

## National Careers Week

National Careers Week is the annual celebration of all things careers! We are here all year, but this week in particular we are shouting about all the help and support we can offer you.

From Monday through to Friday, every day we will have inspirational employer talks, alumni success stories, skills workshops, advice sessions on postgraduate study and more! On Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> Match, join us in the Hub and Hale Hall between 10 AM and 2 PM for an in-person Recruitment Fair and meet some potential graduate employers discussing roles with their organisations.

Visit [ehu.ac.uk/NCW](https://ehu.ac.uk/NCW) to view the full and ever-expanding programme.

07-12 March 2022

## Extra Edge

### THE NEW EMPLOYABILITY AWARD

Want to get the Extra Edge?

This employability programme helps you stand out from the crowd and increases your chances of success! Extra Edge rewards you for the work you do for your current, or future, voluntary or part-time work. Choose from an additional range of activities that will help you gain and develop new skills. Every activity you complete and reflect on will earn you points towards your award.

Extra Edge is like your portable CV which will help you track the skills you are developing throughout your time at university and will help make the process of applying for opportunities in the future easier.

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO SIGN UP, VISIT [EHU.AC.UK/EXTRAEDGE](http://EHU.AC.UK/EXTRAEDGE)

## Life After Uni

Graduating Soon?

As an Edge Hill graduate, you can access support for up to three years after you leave us! If you are in your final year and you don't know what you want to do, there's no need to panic! You're not the first person in that position and you won't be the last. During our 'Career Planning for Graduates - What to do when you don't know what to do' session on Monday 14th February, we will consider what you need to think about when searching for career ideas and making career plans. We will look at resources, tools and information that you can use to help you to generate and research career ideas and options that might be suitable for you.

If you are thinking of joining us for postgraduate study, join one of our 'Postgraduate Study Information' sessions on Thursday 24th February or Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> March. We will be talking about the different types of courses available, why you could consider them, how much it costs, what financial help is available and how to apply.

VISIT [EHU.AC.UK/CAREERSEVENTS](https://ehu.ac.uk/careersevents) TO BOOK ONTO ANY OF OUR EVENTS.

VISIT [EHU.AC.UK/GRADUATES](https://ehu.ac.uk/graduates) TO ACCESS SUPPORT AND ADVICE FROM CAREERS TAILORED TO YOU.

## Career Readiness

### **WHAT'S YOUR CAREER READINESS?**

At enrolment/re-enrolment each year, the Careers team asks all students “what stage are you at in your career planning?”. Depending on your answer, you may be looking for different things from us. Generally, you’ll fall into one of our three Career Readiness stages: Discover, Develop or Compete. And it’s all fluid! You may move between the stages and no one is the right or wrong place to be at any time.

#### DISCOVER

Exploring career options

There is a whole world out there! This stage is about discovering careers, occupational roles, and different opportunities you are interested in.

#### DEVELOP

Enhancing skills and developing experience

Let’s build your confidence about your future. This stage is about developing your skills to help you stand out and increasing your knowledge on how to progress.

#### COMPETE

Getting ready to secure highly skilled employment or further study

It’s time to put yourself out there! This stage is about competing against other candidates to secure your graduate role or get into postgraduate study.

## Let’s Talk!

### ASK A QUESTION

[edgehill.ac.uk/careers/ask-a-question](https://edgehill.ac.uk/careers/ask-a-question)

### BOOK AN APPOINTMENT

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