

The Careers Service Alumni Information

The Sheffield College Careers Service is a double award winning team of experienced and qualified advisers. Our service offers impartial support and guidance to our students across all levels and campuses. Our aim is to deliver a high quality service and achieve the 8 Gatsby Benchmarks.

As part of this, we also offer extended support to our alumni. We love to hear from previous students and have opportunities for alumni to get support from the college as well as engage with current students on study programmes.

As an alumni of the Sheffield College you can access:



One-to-One Support

Whatever stage you are at in your careers journey, we can offer one-to-one guidance to plan your career and make your next steps. Our professional and impartial advisers are qualified to level 6 and 7 and can support you through email, video or telephone guidance to help you with your careers related queries.

Did you know that our service is completely **impartial**? This means that we can engage students in conversations about *all* of their options and tailor the support to suit them.

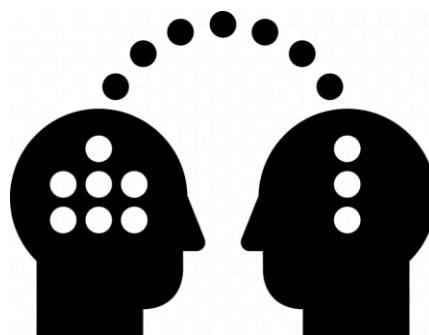
Going Digital

Our service also supports our students from the comfort of their own homes! As long as your college email remains active, you will be able to access our suite of virtual resources, labour market information and video tools in order to help yourself go further in your own time.

We need YOU to share your story!

We love to hear from our alumni and what you get up to! We believe that everyone can benefit from you sharing your story, especially our current students.

You could volunteer to share your story, become a case study, mentor new students or even become a key part of our open days and events! There are lots of ways to get involved and all of them flexible around you. We want to showcase our wonderful alumni and show our current students just exactly what could be in store for them after college.



The Future First platform is a free, online portal where alumni of the Sheffield College can get updates about what's going on in the college and find out ways to get involved. By signing up with Future First you will:

- Receive a termly newsletter full of opportunities as well as updates about the college
- Build on your CV by engaging with current students and make a difference
- Have access to our team of careers advisers and their free, impartial support
- Be welcomed back to the college as a celebrated alumni during our key events

You can sign up by following this link and the instructions there:

<https://networks.futurefirst.org.uk/register/sheffield> It only takes a few minutes to sign up and could make a world of difference.



Careers Events

Every year we host fairs and activities to start conversations with students about careers as part of our ongoing programme. In partnership with training providers, internal college provision, higher education institutes, and other external providers, we run exciting events to showcase the range of opportunities available and prepare them for the demands of the world of work. We would love to host alumni too!

Employer Engagement

The Sheffield College is proud to host a wide range of employer academies. These are based with faculties across our curriculum, offering students the chance to work alongside local employers in a blended delivery method. Students at the college also work towards work placement hours and aim to leave us with experience of employers and the workplace. If you are in a position to support this, why not speak to our Work Related Activity team? To do so email industryplacements@sheffcol.ac.uk