



Employment Bulletin

Northern Ireland June 2016

On behalf of the Career Transition Partnership (CTP), welcome to the Regional Employment Bulletin, which will provide you with the latest jobs and business news from across the region and highlights a selection of the latest regional vacancies on our job site, [RightJob](#).

In addition to this bulletin, there are plenty of other resources available to assist you in your job search: the monthly [Focus e-newsletter](#) provides job-finding, resettlement and training news via email, our bespoke [Industry Sector Guides](#) are regularly updated with the latest industry news, and the [CTP website](#) is full of useful tips, advice and dedicated [employer microsites](#), where you will find information from a range of companies with ongoing opportunities for ex-military personnel.

Regional Overview

This region covers six counties with cities such as Belfast, Londonderry, Enniskillen and Armagh. It is emerging as one of the fastest growing regions of the United Kingdom offering small to medium-sized enterprises excellent opportunities for growth and prosperity, which in turn creates various employment opportunities.

Northern Ireland has its own set of employment factors and unique employment legislation – this is different to the remainder of the UK.

It is important that you sign up with local job search websites to get as much relevant up to date information as possible to help you in your search for employment.

Each of these areas has its own varying set of employment factors which you need to take into account when job searching. Therefore, it is beneficial for you to keep up-to-date with local business news and sign up with local job search websites to get relevant, up-to-date information to aid you in your search for employment.

Regional Job Market News

Expansions | New businesses | Market growth | Upcoming opportunities | Closures | Risks

The bakery chain Greggs has opened its first store in Belfast City Centre



The Royal Avenue outlet has also created 15 jobs for the area.

The company recently opened a store on the Boucher Road in the city, but Saturday's opening marks their first foray into the centre of the city. [Read more](#)

Final week for hundreds of workers at Gallaher's



The first effects of the closure of the business have been felt as the introduction of the EU Tobacco Products Directive came into effect across the UK on Friday.

The announcement came in October 2014, with Japanese firm JTI, which bought Gallaher's in 2007, planning to move its plant to Eastern Europe.

It is expected the factory will close its operations by early next year. [Read more](#)

Deloitte to boost Belfast employment by 300 jobs



Deloitte has announced plans to create a further 300 jobs in Northern Ireland over the next four years.

The private services company said it aims to employ 1,000 people in Belfast by 2020 – which is "significantly ahead of previous recruitment targets".

[Read more](#)

Aer Lingus to cut 69 Belfast jobs



Aer Lingus have confirmed that 69 jobs will go as they restructure their Belfast operation from Dublin from October onwards.

The reshuffle will not affect any flight routes from Belfast City Airport.

The jobs being cut in Belfast will include 24 pilots, 38 cabin staff and seven maintenance staff. All those affected by the development will be offered roles in Dublin, according to the company.

It's believed that around 17 staff, all cabin crew, will stay based in Belfast [Read more](#)

£100m housing development proposed for Derry



One of the largest private residential investments in the North West has been submitted for planning approval. The £100m investment by South Bank Square proposes a 800-home neighborhood development at Ballyoan adjacent to Crescent Link and Clooney Road.

The proposed residential scheme will create employment for approximately 90 full-time construction jobs each year, for the next 10 years, and the developer is calling on city planners to make a swift decision. [Read more](#)

80 new Derry jobs at insurers AXA



Insurance firm AXA are to expand their presence in Londonderry, by creating 80 new jobs at their call centre. AXA currently employs over two hundred people at their Springtown Business Park site and the new positions will provide services to customers throughout the island of Ireland.

The posts, based in customer service, claims and sales, will offer a competitive salary, as well as full training and flexible shift patterns. [Read more](#)

Seagate to cut 70 Derry jobs



The US tech giant Seagate is set to cut 70 jobs in Londonderry.

The company said in a statement that they would be cutting the jobs at their Springtown facility on the edge of Derry city.

The redundancies will be a mixture of both voluntary and compulsory, with the 70 jobs coming out of their 1,400-strong workforce. [Read more](#)

NI retail warehouse vacancies 'highest in UK'



Northern Ireland's retail warehouse vacancy rate is the highest in the UK, according to new research.

The findings were made by Trevor Wood Associates, with an 11.9% vacancy rate recorded at the end of 2015.

The rate was up from the first half of 2015, when it sat at 9.7%, but that figure had been falling steadily from 2012's rate of 12.7%.

The research claims that the reason behind the increase in vacant warehouses was the closure of three B&Q stores in Londonderry, Ballymena and Belfast. [Read more](#)

Local Job Finding Events/Job Vacancies

Job Fairs | Open Days | Transition Fairs | Exhibitions | CTP Events | External Events

| Event | Location | Date & Time | Booking Information |
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| How the Careers Service can help you - DEL | Online | Ongoing | Tel: 0300 200 7820 Web: www.jobcentreonline.com |
| Employment Support Workshop (4-6 years' service) | RRC Aldergrove | 21 st June 2016 | Email: rrcaldergrove@ctp.org.uk Tel: 0203 162 4410 Web: ctp.org.uk |
| Enterprise Allowance Scheme – Start your own business | Jobs & Benefits offices across NI | Ongoing | Web: www.jobcentreonline.com |
| Career Transition Workshop | RRC Aldergrove | 13 th -15 th July 2016 | Email: rrcaldergrove@ctp.org.uk Tel: 0203 162 4410 Web: ctp.org.uk |
| Job opportunities with the Education Authority | Online | Ongoing | Web: www.jobcentreonline.com |
| Job opportunities with NHS Northern Ireland | Online | Ongoing | Web: www.hscrecruit.com |
| Finance Brief | RRC Aldergrove | 28 th June at 9am | Email: rrcaldergrove@ctp.org.uk Tel: 0203 162 4410 Web: ctp.org.uk |
| Wilsons Auctions Company Presentation | Aldergrove Station Cinema | 24 th June at 10.30am | To confirm your place please call: 020 3162 4410 or visit www.ctp.org.uk/events |



[CTP RightJob](http://www.ctp.org.uk) is our online job finding service, with thousands of vacancies for Service leavers. Here is a snapshot of the latest local job opportunities – login via MyPlan and apply today.

Questions about RightJob? Contact us: RightJobSupport@ctp.org.uk | 0121 236 0058

| Job Title | Location | Salary | Closing Date | RightJob ID |
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| Overhead Crane Maintenance Engineer | Belfast | £25,000 to £30,000 per annum | 12/06/16 | N106036 |
| Retail Catering Manager | Northern Ireland | £23,000 to £25,000 per annum | 14/06/16 | N110014 |
| Windfarm Control Room | Northern Ireland | £25,000 to £40,000 per annum | 15/06/16 | N107609 |
| Operations Assistant | Belfast | £8.50 per hour | 17/06/16 | N111280 |
| Medical Officer -Army RPP Medical Screening | Belfast | Not disclosed | 18/06/16 | N106716 |
| Marketing Executive | Mallusk | Competitive | 20/06/16 | N111147 |
| Customer Service Adviser | Belfast | £15,330 per annum | 27/06/16 | N107982 |
| BT Service Engineer | Northern Ireland | £11.15 to £14.03 per hour | 30/06/16 | N82469 |
| RAF Reserves | Northern Ireland | Various | 30/06/16 | N66855 |
| Field Sales Advisor | Hollywood | £14,000 - £16,500 per annum plus benefits | 01/07/16 | N68017 |
| HGV Technician | Belfast | £25,000 - £28,000 per annum | 15/07/16 | N109851 |
| Retail Security Officer | Belfast | £7.20 per hour | 15/07/16 | N109953 |
| Lifeguard Operations Assistant Causeway Coast | Ballymoney | £8.54 to £10.36 per hour | 01/09/16 | N58290 |
| Engineer Surveyor | Northern Ireland | £33,000 per annum | 29/12/16 | N101444 |

Have You Recently Found Work?

Congratulations! Please let us know by contacting ifoundajob@ctp.org.uk

Useful Websites

Jobs Barometer

Measures & reports weekly job market fluctuation

<http://alertresearch.com/the-jobs-barometer>

NI Jobfinder

<http://www.nijobfinder.co.uk/>

NI Jobs

<http://www.nijobs.com/>

Recruit NI

<http://www.recruitni.com/>

National Apprenticeship Service

Research apprenticeships & current vacancies

<http://www.apprenticeships.gov.uk/>

Career Map

Search for apprenticeship vacancies

<http://careemap.co.uk/job-search/>

Job Reactor

National job search website

<http://jobreactor.co.uk/>

Universal Job Match

National job search website

<https://www.gov.uk/jobsearch>

Jobtome

National job search website

<http://uk.jobtome.com/>

JobsGoPublic

Public Sector vacancies

www.jobsgopublic.com

UK Jobs Guide

National job search website

www.ukjobsguide.co.uk

Graduate Jobs and Work Placements

www.prospects.ac.uk

Gumtree

National job search website

www.gumtree.com/jobs/

One2Find

National job search website

www.one2find.co.uk/jobsearchuk/

Total Jobs

National job search website

www.totaljobs.com

Skillnet

Apprenticeships and Training website

<http://www.skillnet.org.uk/>

The Prince's Trust

Helping young people into employment and training

<https://www.princes-trust.org.uk/>

It is beneficial to set up '**job alerts**' on websites from which you would like to receive notifications of new vacancies.

Further Information

Upcoming CTP Events

www.ctp.org.uk/events

CTP RightJob

www.ctp.org.uk/job-finding

RFEA – The Forces Employment Charity
Lifelong job-finding support for veterans

www.rfea.org.uk

The Officers' Association
Lifelong job-finding support for officers

www.officersassociation.org.uk
<http://www.army.mod.uk/welfare-support/23590.aspx>

MOD Welfare Support in Transition

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