



Regional Employment Bulletin

Scotland October 2016

On behalf of the Career Transition Partnership (CTP), welcome to the Scotland Employment Bulletin. It 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

Scotland covers a large and diverse geographical area with the majority of the population and the jobs being across the Central Belt which includes the major cities of Edinburgh and Glasgow. Other population hot spots include the cities of Dundee, Inverness and Aberdeen to mention but a few.

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

Penman Engineering



Around 140 jobs are under threat after armoured vehicle specialist Penman Engineering called in administrators.

[Read more](#)

Alexander Dennis



Bus builder Alexander Dennis is to create 100 new jobs after securing a £7.3 million research and development grant from Scottish Enterprise. The research and development grant is the largest ever awarded by Scotland's enterprise body. [Read more](#)

McQueens Dairies



Glasgow-based milk delivery firm McQueens Dairies plans to add more than 100 new jobs as part of a wider three-year expansion plan. The company, which says it currently employs 194 staff across six depots in Scotland and the North of England, plans to open two new depots and increase headcount to "more than 300" in the next three years. [Read more](#)

Ross-shire Engineering



Funding of up to £200m has helped create new jobs at a Highlands engineering company. Ross-shire Engineering has secured the potential investment across the next five years supplying equipment to Scottish Water. The firm in Muir of Ord has already created 100 new jobs to allow it to meet the needs of the utility company. [Read more](#)

Venture Trust



The Forces in Mind Trust (FiMT), established to help ex-Service men and women make a successful transition back to civilian life, has awarded a 3 year grant to Venture Trust to fund its Positive Futures project. [Read more](#)

Inward Investment



Inward Investment projects to Scotland dipped slightly in the 2015/16 year, even though more jobs were created or secured, new figures from the UK Department for International Trade show. [Read more](#)

Rothiemurchus Lodge

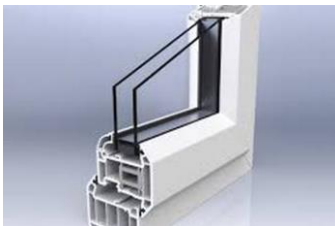


Rothiemurchus Lodge is a year-round, affordable, self-catering accommodation in the heart of the Cairngorm Mountains. It is for the exclusive use of regulars and ex-regulars of the Armed Forces in addition to Reserves, MoD Civilians and Cadet Forces. Families of the above are also welcome.

Contact George Gaff, the Manager on
manager@rothiemurchus.co.uk
www.rothiemurchus.co.uk/

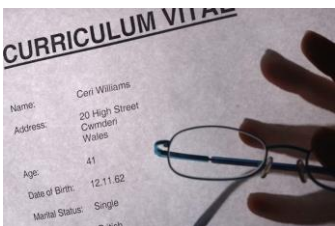
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TFD (Scotland)



East Kilbride window manufacturer TFD (Scotland) Ltd has gone into liquidation with the loss of 63 jobs. The company, which supplied double glazing windows to trade and the housebuilding sector, ceased trading on 24th August 2016. [Read more](#)

Pertemps (Scotland)



Recruitment firm Pertemps (Scotland) Ltd has reported an 87 per cent drop in annual profits for the 2015 year. The Edinburgh-based company notes in accounts, now filed with Companies House, that their turnover dipped nearly five per cent to £27.8 million (2014: £29.2 million). [Read more](#)

Land Energy Girvan



A producer of wood pellets for the renewable energy market is to invest £6.4m in expanding its site in South Ayrshire. The move by Land Energy Girvan Ltd includes increasing the capacity of its combined heat and power plant and upgrading its pellet line in Girvan. [Read more](#)

Ardnahoe Distillery



Hunter Laing & Co. has been given the green light from Argyll and Bute Council to build a new malt whisky distillery on Islay. The family-owned Glasgow whisky company led by Andrew and Scott Laing, along with their father, Stewart, expect to start work on Ardnahoe distillery in November, and the first drop to flow from their stills in early 2018. [Read more](#)

Permanent Job Placements



Latest Report on Jobs Survey found permanent placement rebounded from a seven-year low in July. Though growth in permanent and temporary vacancies was the weakest for seven and 15 months respectively. [Read more](#)

Flamingo Land



A site on the shores of Loch Lomond could be turned into a holiday resort by a theme park operator. Flamingo Land Ltd, which runs attractions in North Yorkshire, has been named as the preferred developer of a 20-hectare (49-acre) site at West Riverside in Balloch. They have drawn up proposals which include lodges, a boutique hotel, "glamping pods" and restaurants. [Read more](#)

Scotland's Unemployment Rate



The employment rate in Scotland rose to record levels in the period of May to July and unemployment fell below the UK average, new official figures show. The employment rate in Scotland rose by 51,000 in the three months to 2,631,000 and the unemployment rate dipped to 4.7 per cent, below the UK average of 4.9 per cent. [Read more](#)

Edinburgh Airport



As the busiest airport in Scotland, Edinburgh Airport provides a wide variety of jobs, from Waiting Staff, to Drivers, Production Operatives, Baggage Handlers and Security Staff. Recruitment for around 90% of airport jobs is handled by the Airport Recruitment Centre run by staff from Job Centre Plus in partnership. In addition, an Edinburgh Airport job website has been created. There are also plans for £11 million to be spent on a new air traffic tower which will result in a new retail section and another terminal. A new hotel is also planned, which will provide construction job opportunities.

Scottish Apprenticeship Shows



It's a unique opportunity for young people and the nation's top employers to come together, face to face, in a lively and friendly environment.

Scotland's key employment categories will be represented so whether it's information on a career in engineering and manufacturing or media and communications, there will be something for everyone. Young people can ask questions, get answers and make informed choices about their future.

The Scottish Apprenticeship Show will take place at the Royal Concert Hall in Glasgow on October 9-11, and Edinburgh's EICC on October 13-14. [Read more](#)

Apprenticeships in Scotland



Looking for an apprenticeship in Scotland? For all the latest information [Read more](#)

Glasgow Airport



Glasgow Airport has a wide variety of employment opportunities across a wide variety of sectors. Further information can be obtained from jcp.airportcv@dwp.gsi.gov.uk

Community Jobs Scotland



Through our Community Jobs Scotland programme, we are working with third sector employers across Scotland to create a range of jobs for individuals who have left the Armed Forces before completing six years' service, aged 16–29 who are currently unemployed and not involved in the Work programme, Community Work Placement or Work Choice. Opportunities are throughout Scotland and will be at 25 hours per week, pay at least the living wage, last between 6 and 12 months and gives access to approximately £200 for training.

If interested and for more information contact Bill Brown at bbrown@ctp.org.uk

Prince's Trust



This year we will support more than 59,000 young people turn their lives around. Why not take a few moments to read, share and celebrate with our real-life success stories? None of our work would be possible without our fantastic network of partners and supporters. [Read more](#)

FSR Solutions



FSR Solutions source employment opportunities for the Ex-Armed Forces community and their families. They have ongoing vacancies throughout the UK and are continually working with organisations, colleges and training providers to source suitable employment opportunities. [Read more](#)

Local Job Finding Events

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

Event	Location	Date & Time	Booking Information
Job Club	Skills Development Scotland, 381 Union Street, Aberdeen	Every Wednesday 13:00 – 15:00	Tel: 01224 285200.
Civilian Job Fairs	UK Wide		Web: www.thejobfairs.co.uk/job-fairs
Work Clubs to help people aged 16 – 65 with job searching, CVs etc.	North Scotland		Merkinch Work Club, 6 Grant Street. Monday, Wednesday and Thursday 09:30 – 16:00 Tel: 01463 718989 or 07872 014520
Veterans Breakfast Clubs	UK Wide	Various location	Web: www.veteransbreakfastclubs.co.uk
British Army Hives	UK Wide		Information centre for all members of the service community Web: www.army.mod.uk/welfare
MAEDT Job Club	Lasswade Library	Tuesdays 1400-1600	Web: www.maedt.org.uk
MAEDT Job Club	18 Croft Street, Dalkeith	Fridays 0930-1200	Web: www.maedt.org.uk
MAEDT Job Club	12 Bogwood Court, Mayfield, Dalkeith	Tuesdays 1030-1230 Thursdays 1000-1200	Web: www.maedt.org.uk
Scottish Apprenticeship Show	Royal Concert Hall, Glasgow	9-11 Oct 16	Web: www.scottishapprenticeshipshow.co.uk/
The Network Glasgow	Champagne Corner, beside the Champagne Bar, Grand Central Hotel	13 October 1830-2030	Email: Tom Denovan t.denovan@oascotland for more information and to book a place.
Travis Perkins Online Chat Event	Online	13 Oct 16 12:00 – 14:00	Web: www.ctp.org.uk/events/TravisPerkins

Scottish Apprenticeship Show	EICC Edinburgh	13-14 Oct 16	Web: www.scottishapprenticeshipshow.co.uk/
TfL Online Chat Event	Online	18 Oct 16 12:00 – 14:00	Web: www.ctp.org.uk/events/TfL
FDM Ex-Forces Insight Event	Glasgow	19 October 18:30 – 21:00	Email: exforces@fdmgroup.com
YPI Crew Live Chat	Online	12:00 – 14:00	Web: www.ctp.org.uk/events/YPICrew
Cyber Security Expo	Westminster London	27 October 10:00 - 16:00	Web: www.speeddata.co.uk
The Network Edinburgh	Royal Scots Club, Edinburgh	27 October 18:30 – 20:30	Web: www.oascotland.org.uk/
Men into Nursing Open Morning	Napier University, Sighthill Campus, Edinburgh	29 October 09:30 – 13:00	Web: www.napier.ac.uk/men-into-nursing
Jaguar Land Rover Online Chat Event	Online	10 November 12:00 – 14:00	Web: www.ctp.org.uk/events/JaguarLandRover
Scottish Gas Movement to Work	Glasgow	2 weeks work experience for 16-24 year olds	Register via email to movementtowork@britishgas.co.uk with Name, Email address, Post Code, Contact Number and Date of Birth. Put M+W Glasgow in the subject line.

Job Title	Location	Salary	Closing Date	RightJob ID
Motor Trade – Body Shop Vacancies	Glasgow	Competitive	1 Oct 16	112698
Accounts Assistant	Falkirk	Competitive	3 Oct 16	120660
HGV1 ADR	Scotland West	£10-13 per hour	3 Oct 16	120657
Traffic Clerk	Larbert	£8 per hour	7 Oct 16	120912
Dual Fuel Meter Installer (No experience)	Scotland wide	£21-26k	7 Oct 16	104219
Relief Security Officer	Scotland West	£7.44 per hour	11 Oct 16	121535
Networks Engineer	UK Wide	£45-55k	15 Oct 16	121929
FDM Project Manager	Scotland East	£35-55k	16 Oct 16	115631
Asbestos Removal Operatives	Bonnybridge	Competitive	18 Oct 16	122485
AA Recovery Technician	Aberdeen	£35-50k	20 Oct 16	118633
AA Recovery Technician	Inverness	£35-50k	20 Oct 16	118643
AA Recovery Technician	Stirling	£35-50k	20 Oct 16	118651
Delivery Drivers	UK Wide	£10.96 per hour	21 Oct 16	122557
Field Service Engineer	Dundee and Glasgow	£23-25k	21 Oct 16	122694
Additional Works Manager/Graduate	Scotland North	£20 – 30k	24 Oct 16	124781
Day Concierge	Scotland wide	£16.6k	25 Oct 16	126559
Firewall Installations Engineer-IT Networks	Nationwide	£100 – 150 per day	26 Oct 16	124848

Class1 LGV Driver	Inverness	£24k	31 Oct 16	120760
Class 1 LGV Driver	Bathgate	£24k	31 Oct 16	120758
Industrial Refrigeration Engineer	Scotland wide	Competitive	31 Oct 16	117096
Royal Mail – various roles	UK wide	Competitive	1 Nov 16	101452
Pest Control Technician	Inverness	£19 – 26k	15 Nov 16	125572
Copper Jointers	Scotland Wide	£25 – 35k	25 Nov 16	126763
Delivery Manager	Glasgow	£30k	26 Nov 16	126834
FDM Business Analyst (No experience necessary)	Scotland North	£25 – 27k	27 Nov 16	121241
Asbestos Surveyor	Scotland Wide	£18 – 26k	27 Nov 16	110065
LGV Shunter Driver	Scotland West		30 Nov 16	123237
LGV C and CE Drivers	Scotland Wide	£9 – 18 per hour	1 Dec 16	115505
Removals and Storage LGV Driver Class 2	Aberdeen	£20.5 – 25k	1 Dec 16	92823
SIA Door Supervisor	UK Wide	£8 – 10 per hour	1 Dec 16	112683
Careers in Logistics for Early Service Leavers	Scotland West	£17.5-32k	5 Dec 16	113625
Amazon Military Operations Leadership Pipeline	UK Wide	Competitive	31 Dec 16	95688
Roadside Technician (Patrol)	UK Wide	£36k	31 Dec 16	91356
Door Canvasser	Dundee	£14 – 34k	31 Dec 16	107377
Door Canvasser	Edinburgh	£14 – 34k	31 Dec 16	107287
Door Canvasser	Perth	£14 – 34k	31 Dec 16	107366
Door Canvasser	Boness	£14 – 34k	31 Dec 16	107375

Area Sales Surveyor	Scotland	£20 – 30k	31 Dec 16	101893
Account Manager	UK wide	£25k	31 Dec 16	99239
UK Military Hiring Pipeline 2016	UK wide	Competitive	31 Dec 16	95688
Police Scotland	Scotland wide	£24 – 37k	31 Dec 16	94290
CJS Programme	Scotland wide	Competitive	31 Mar 17	89573
Smart Meter Installer	Aberdeen	£27k	31 Jan 17	117986
Smart Meter Installer	Dundee	£27k	31 Jan 17	117991
Smart Meter Installer	Eurocentral East	£27k	31 Jan 17	118332
Smart Meter Installer	Eurocentral West	£27k	31 Jan 17	118336
Smart Meter Installer	Inverness	£27k	31 Jan 17	118003
Smart Meter Installer	Perth	£27k	31 Jan 17	117835

Have You Recently Found Work?

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

Useful Websites

Money Advice Scotland

<http://www.moneyadvicescotland.org.uk/content/financial-capability-e-learning-module>

Money Force

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

Civvy Street

<http://www.civvystreet.com/.org>

Job Search Tip - Make sure your security on #Facebook is set correctly. Don't give employers reason to give you the thumbs down!
Jobs Barometer - Measures & reports weekly job market fluctuation

<https://t.co/91oBrVPut1>

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

Scotland Job Search

www.myjobscotland.gov.uk

National Apprenticeship Service
Research apprenticeships & current vacancies

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

Career Map Search for apprenticeship vacancies	http://careermap.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
NHS Careers Explore NHS careers and current vacancies	www.jobs.scot.nhs.uk
Jobtome - National job search website	http://uk.jobtome.com
Department for Education – Get Into Teaching in Scotland	http://www.teachinscotland.org/
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/
Indeed – National Job Search database	http://www.indeed.co.uk/
Scotjobs – Scotland Job Search Database	http://www.scotjobsnet.co.uk
My World of Work	https://www.myworldofwork.co.uk/
CV Advice (The biggest mistakes made)	Read more
Utilities Vacancies	UK Wide Utilities Vacancies
Opportunities for Young People	https://gothinkbig.co.uk/opportunities
Civil Service Jobs	https://www.civilservicejobs.service.gov.uk/csr/index.cgi

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
MOD Welfare Support in Transition	http://www.army.mod.uk/welfare-support/23590.aspx
Officers’ Association Scotland	http://www.oascotland.org.uk
UK Job Fairs	http://www.thejobfairs.co.uk/
Armed Forces Covenant	www.armedforcescovenant.gov.uk
Veterans Welfare Service	https://www.gov.uk/government/groups/veterans-welfare-service

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