Employment Bulletin

North West and North Wales August 2017

On behalf of the Career Transition Partnership (CTP), welcome to the North West and North Wales 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 a large geographical area including, Greater Manchester, Merseyside, Cumbria, Lancashire, Cheshire, North Wales and Isle of Man.

It boasts Manchester, one of the best cities in Europe to locate a business; Liverpool, one of Europe's fastest-growing economies and European Capital of Culture 2008; Cheshire, home to AstraZeneca's largest global R&D centre; Lancashire, a world leader in advanced manufacturing and engineering; and Cumbria, at the international cutting-edge of nuclear technology. Almost 50% of the entire output from North Wales is generated in Flintshire and Wrexham. Flintshire and Wrexham derive more of their economic output from production activities than any other location in the whole of the UK. The economies of the remainder of North Wales are smaller in output but each area has a number of important businesses. This includes ICT companies in Denbighshire; creative and healthcare businesses in Gwynedd; and marine engineering and food in Anglesey. Conwy is the area of the economy most reliant on the visitor economy but with a number of companies representing different sectors.

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

Hopes of £20m boost as Lake District is named World Heritage Site

The Lake District National Park has been officially named as a World Heritage site - bringing hopes of a £20m boost to Cumbria's economy. UNESCO listed the site on its World Heritage Status List at the 41st session of the World Heritage Committee.

The Lake District joins just over 1,000 World Heritage Sites worldwide including some of the most iconic locations on the planet such as the Taj Mahal, Great Barrier Reef and Grand Canyon.

Economic experts believe change in status could be worth another £20m in benefits. Read more

Eight-figure funding deal for housebuilder

A Flintshire-based housebuilder is aiming to increase its presence across the North West and boost its turnover to more than £100m in the next three to five years with the support of an eight-figure funding package from Lloyds Bank. Read more

AVDanzer expands its offering in Greater Manchester

Manchester-based AVDanzer has expanded its site in Denton to accommodate its rapidly growing site accommodation fleet and servicing facilities. Celebrating 30 years trading this year, AVDanzer has leased a further 7,500sq ft of land at Windmill Lane, to provide extra storage, preparation and maintenance areas for its anti-vandal units. The units are hired and sold to some of the UK’s leading construction firms and provide state of the art welfare facilities, storage and office space. Read more

Pioneering Cheshire Company taps into £5m investment

A pioneering oil and gas specialist in Cheshire has signed an investment agreement worth £5m with corporate venture capital groups BP Ventures, Schlumberger Ventures and GE Ventures to commercialise its technological innovations. Under the terms of the investment into BiSN, the company will work with BP Ventures to develop a commercial portfolio of technology to be applied across BP's conventional, unconventional and deep-water portfolio. BiSN provides metal-to-metal downhole sealing services to the oil and gas industry. Read more
Recruitment drive for £12.5m care facility

A £12.5m care facility is set to open in Lytham St Annes, near Blackpool soon. North West-based New Care is now under way with a large-scale recruitment programme for the 76-bed state-of-the-art home, The Hamptons Care Centre. The company is actively looking to employ approximately 100 members of staff to with a wide range of positions available.

On the medical side, New Care requires nurses, senior carers and care assistants. The company also needs receptionists, administrators, maintenance, chefs, kitchen porters, laundry assistants and housekeepers on the hospitality and catering side. With a hair salon and nail bar located within the new home, the team will also require hairstylists and beauty therapists. Read more

New Business Park to bring 300 jobs to town

Plans have been unveiled which will bring food retailers M&S and Aldi and more than 300 jobs to the South Cumbria town of Ulverston. It is part of a new business and retail development adjacent to the Blue Light Hub at the Beehive in the town.

The scheme will see Lake District Farmers move its meat processing hub to the Beehive from its current base in Tebay, and Ulverston-based engineering consultancy FETL Ltd (Furness Engineering and Technology Ltd) remaining in Ulverston to move into a new purpose-built headquarters. Read more

Agreement to unlock £35m project and create 760 jobs

Oldham Council and developer Langtree are ready to bring forward the £35m Hollinwood Junction project that will see 760 new jobs created and the removal of a large redundant gas holder that has blighted the area for many years. The masterplan for the regeneration of the 30-acre derelict site will incorporate retail, leisure, employment and housing uses.

Construction expenditure alone is estimated to be £30m, with 100 direct jobs during construction and a further 20 in the local supply chain. Up to 760 gross operational jobs – including those generated through local expenditure – are forecast to be created. Read more
Manchester Loans Company to create 29 new jobs following £100m funding

Evolution Money has revealed it is planning to embark on a major expansion drive at its Manchester base with a recruitment drive for new roles right across its business. The firm, which is part of the Darwin Group, will create 29 new roles from director level right the way through to entry level and management roles in business development, compliance and quality, customer services and finance at its Portland Street office. Read more

North Wales-based Insurance Company to Create 20 New Jobs for the Region

An award-winning family run business with offices in Flintshire and a workforce exceeding 130 professionals has created multiple new jobs in North Wales. The company have partnered with Bodelwyddan based JVP Group, who assist the business with comprehensive online recruitment advertising and time saving support services, to help attract enthusiastic people seeking an exciting career opportunity. The company currently welcomes applications for their Sales Executive roles within the busy motor insurance sales team at their offices in Connah’s Quay. Read more

Local Job Finding Events

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<td>Merseyside Employment Initiative</td>
<td>Liverpool</td>
<td>11th September, 10:00 - 17:00</td>
<td>To register for this event, email: <a href="mailto:156RLC-RHQ-ROSO@mod.uk">156RLC-RHQ-ROSO@mod.uk</a></td>
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<td>Lifeworks Course</td>
<td>Manchester</td>
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<td>Amey Live Online Chat</td>
<td>Online</td>
<td>12th September, 12:00 – 14:00</td>
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<td>Officers’ Association: Working in Oil and Gas Industry Webinar - An Insider's View</td>
<td>Online</td>
<td>12th September, 18:30 – 19:30</td>
<td>To register for this webinar, click here and fill out the online form.</td>
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### CTP Construction Industries Online Live Chat
- **Location**: Online
- **Date**: 26th September 12:00 – 14:00
- **Details**: No pre-booking is required for this event; on the day simply go to the [Career Transition Partnership Employer Focus Page](#) and click on the Live Chat button in the top right-hand corner.

### HM Prison Service Online Live Chat
- **Location**: Online
- **Date**: 28th September 12:00 – 14:00
- **Details**: No pre-booking is required for this event; on the day simply go to the [HM Prison Service Page](#) and click on the Live Chat button in the top right-hand corner.

### The Jobs Fair
- **Location**: Manchester
- **Date**: 20th October 10:00 – 14:00
- **Details**: More information available at: [www.thejobfairs.co.uk/event-details.php?id=627](#)

### The Jobs Fair
- **Location**: Liverpool
- **Date**: 27th October 10:00 – 14:00
- **Details**: More information available at: [www.thejobfairs.co.uk/event-details.php?id=787](#)

### Cruise Job Fair
- **Location**: Liverpool
- **Date**: 3rd November 11:00 – 16:00
- **Details**: To register please go to: [www.cruisejobfair.com/liverpool/](#)

### Lifeworks Course
- **Location**: Liverpool
- **Date**: 13th – 17th November
- **Details**: To book call on 0800 3196844 or email lifeworks@rbli.co.uk and their team will take it from there. You can also find more information about LifeWorks, LifeWorks Families and our courses by visiting our website [www.wearelifeworks.org.uk](#).

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**CTP RightJob** 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](mailto:RightJobSupport@ctp.org.uk) | 0121 236 0058

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Have You Recently Found Work?

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

Useful Websites

- National Apprenticeship Service
  Research apprenticeships & current vacancies

- Career Map
  Search for apprenticeship vacancies
  [http://careermap.co.uk/job-search/](http://careermap.co.uk/job-search/)

- Job Reactor
  National job search website
  [http://jobreactor.co.uk/](http://jobreactor.co.uk/)

- Universal Job Match
  National job search website
  [https://www.gov.uk/jobsearch](https://www.gov.uk/jobsearch)

- NHS Careers
  Explore NHS careers and current vacancies
  [https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/](https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/)
Jobtome
National job search website
http://uk.jobtome.com/

Department for Education – Get Into Teaching
https://getintoteaching.education.gov.uk

JobsGoPublic
Public Sector vacancies
www.jobsgopublic.com

UK Jobs Guide
National job search website
www.ukjobsguide.co.uk

Prospects
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/

My North West Jobs
Job search website
http://www.mynorthwestjobs.co.uk/

Veteran’s Breakfast Clubs
Networking with local veterans
http://veteransbreakfastclubs.co.uk/

Northern Apprenticeships
Apprenticeships and Training website
www.northernapprenticeships.co.uk

Careers and Enterprise Support for Young People via College
https://www.careersandenterprise.co.uk/what-we-do

Go Construct
Construction placements and site visits
https://sms.goconstruct.org/

Job Manji
National job search website
http://www.jobmanji.co.uk

Get In Go Far
Government apprenticeship website
https://www.getingofar.gov.uk/

Skill Force
Service Leavers opportunities in Schools
http://www.skillforce.org/

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

Further Information
www.ctp.org.uk/events

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Upcoming CTP 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

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