



Employment Bulletin

South West & South Wales November 2019

Welcome to the CTP South West and South Wales Employment Bulletin, bringing you the latest jobs and business news from across the region, upcoming [employer events](#) and a selection of live vacancies advertised on [RightJob](#).

The CTP offers lots of additional resources to help you. The monthly [Focus e-newsletter](#) delivers job-finding, resettlement and training news to you via email; and our bespoke [Industry Sector Guides](#) are packed with the latest industry news. The [CTP website](#) is full of useful [Resettlement Guides](#), tips, interactive tools, videos, webinars, advice and downloads. Our [Find a Job](#) page includes an impressive range of dedicated [employer microsites](#), designed to attract service leavers/ex-military talent, that provide information including: open days and events, live-chats, work experience, apprenticeships and a variety of careers.

Regional Overview

The South West and South Wales is a large region comprising of both rural and densely populated areas spanning: Cornwall, Devon, Dorset, Somerset, Wiltshire, Gloucestershire and South Wales. Each area has differing geographical or industry factors that influence employment. List your location preferences, on your [RightJob](#) and [LinkedIn](#) profiles and sign-up to job-search websites indicating your preferred postcodes. This will ensure you are visible to recruiters and employers, and able to access as many opportunities as possible.

Regional Job Market News: South West and National (Followed by South Wales)

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RFEA set to help thousands of ex-Forces



From 1st October 2019 RFEA – The Forces Employment Charity became the lead partner for The Royal British Legion's employment support, which helps thousands of ex-Forces personnel and their families in civilian life. [Read more](#)

Join us for Employer Events and Live Chats.



The CTP Employer Relationship Managers across all regions organise Employment Fairs, Online Chat Events and Company Presentations across the UK and in Germany every year. They're a great opportunity for Service leavers to network with potential employers and to find out about different sectors. As well as checking out the opportunities available to you, you'll be able to find out what qualifications you need, identify any training needs and gain an insight into civilian employment. [Read more](#)

Construction Within the Water Industry with NMCN



nmcn provides 'Full Asset Lifecycle Thinking' across its projects, in both the clean and wastewater environments. They are working with us to find people with Mechanical, Electrical, Instrumentation Control and Automation (ICA), Technical Design, Project and Contract Management, Stores, Health Safety and Environment experience and are holding an insight day in December in Plymouth [Read more](#)

Work and Wellbeing Event – Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust – Treliske, Truro



Are you a Veteran, Service Leaver or Military Spouse looking to pursue a career with the NHS? If so, please join us for an information and guidance session on 25th November, where we will be able to offer advice and answer all of your questions!

- ☐ Working in the NHS
- ☐ Wellbeing Service Stands
- ☐ Effective Job Applications
- ☐ Shadowing Opportunities
- ☐ Q&A Session and more! [Read more](#)

Leonardo Helicopters reveals plans for five acre Logistics Centre in Yeovil



Leonardo is planning to build a brand new logistics centre next to its existing base in the centre of the town. [Read more](#)

Willmott Dixon Construction Limited offering Work Placements in South West and West UK



Placements offered for clients seeking experience as a Building Managers or Health & Safety Managers. [Read more](#)

Women Into Construction – Training Course at Sherford



City College, in conjunction with Sherford Construction, will be running a "Women Into Construction" basic construction training course at the end of November – 2 sessions a week over 2 weeks totalling 4 days. Childcare support can be arranged if required. For more information or to register your interest, please contact ERM South West jlucas@ctp.org.uk

It's game on for Falmouth studio



Cornwall's largest game development studio has revealed ambitious growth plans. Since it was founded in 2013, AMG has grown to a 21-strong team and will be looking to more the double this head count over the next 15 months. [Read more](#)

New £7m Institute of Technology to be built in Truro



The new building which will train Cornwall's future engineers. [Read more](#)

Cornwall is on the edge of a 'second golden era'



Cornwall has been at the forefront of renewable energy generation for years and it is hoping to take full advantage of its capacity to produce solar, wind and wave power along with geothermal and minerals. [Read more](#)

Hopes raised Appledore Shipyard could reopen by Christmas



Appledore Shipyard could be back in business and reopened by Christmas. [Read more](#)

All the hotels planned to be built across Devon



At least 2,264 bed spaces are set to be created by the new hotels, creating hundreds of new jobs. [Read more](#)

The Eden Project has got the full £16.8million it needs to fund its geothermal energy 'revolution'.



Eden Project will drill almost three MILES into the Earth's crust to generate geothermal power in £17million 'energy revolution'. [Read more](#)

Singapore investment group reveal project to transform The Min in Bath into luxury hotel and spa



The project will bring new jobs for the people of Bath and increased revenue for the city as a whole. [Read more](#)

Investment puts Bath digital map pioneer on road to success



Bath-based digital map and data platform firm Living Map is en route for strong growth after receiving investment of £2.6m to enable it to launch a new software package. [Read more](#)

Hobbycraft want to open Exeter store



Arts and crafts superstore chain Hobbycraft are set to open a store in Exeter – which would see Carpetright close. [Read more](#)

flybe. to rebrand as Virgin Connect in 2020



flybe. (BE, Exeter) will rebrand as Virgin Connect following the acquisition of the regional carrier by Connect Airways, a consortium including Virgin Atlantic (VS, London Heathrow), Stobart Group, and Cyrus Capital. [Read more](#)

Viridor staff 'at risk of redundancy' at Martock branch



Staff at waste management company Viridor are now "at risk of redundancy" after a recent review of services at one of its Somerset sites. The Martock facility of the recycling and resource management firm currently employs 26 members of staff. [Read more](#)

South West generates enough renewable energy to power 17,000 homes for a year



The South West is the prime location for renewable energy thanks to the region experiencing some of the highest temperatures in the UK, even in winter; this combined with its vast natural resources and landscape, means it's the ideal location to reap the benefits of renewable sources [Read more](#)

Next phase of consultation launched for part of Gardiner Haskins' historic soapworks factory



The developer behind plans to transform part of the Gardiner Haskins' historic soapworks factory site has launched the next phase of its consultation. It was announced in June that historic Bristol retailer Gardiner Haskins had sold off the old soapworks factory which it occupied for 60 years. [Read more](#)

Poundland, Primark and TKMaxx hiring at massive jobs fair in Bristol



Thousands of jobs will be available at a huge careers fair taking place in Bristol today. A total of 60 companies are looking to hire staff, including TKMaxx, Primark, Tesco, Poundland, Bristol City Council, First Bus, Marriott Hotels, Mama Bears, Bristol Waste and HMRC. [Read more](#)

PROPOSALS FOR NEW £13.5M ATTRACTION, OFFERING A UNIQUE BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF BRISTOL



Plans to install a rotating glass passenger cabin 69 metres above Bristol's harbourside have been unveiled. [Read more](#)

Regional Job Market News – South Wales

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Opportunities for Local Businesses to Build South Wales Metro



Transport for Wales are offering opportunities for local businesses to work in partnership with Alun Griffiths Ltd to deliver the South Wales Metro. [Read more](#)

Flagship business event 'MeetGB' to be held at ICC Wales in 2020



VisitBritain is bringing its flagship annual MeetGB event to the recently opened International Convention Centre Wales in Newport next year. The 'Meetings, Incentives, Conferences and Exhibitions' event will be held at the centre, which is at the Celtic Manor Resort, in April 2020.

[Read more](#)

110 New Jobs in West Wales Resort to Support £15m Investment



Luxury Lodges has announced it is creating up to 110 new jobs to support the £15million investment in its Laugharne Resort & Milkwood Spa in Carmarthenshire. [Read more](#)

Wales Shows Strength of Aviation Maintenance Sector at MRO Europe



Wales will show the strength of its maintenance, repair and overhaul industry at this year's Aviation Week MRO Europe at ExCel, London October 15-17. [Read more](#)

Train manufacturer with factory in Newport wins contract for 21 trams



A TRAIN manufacturer with a factory in Newport has been selected to supply 21 new trams - with an option for a further 29 - for Birmingham. The decision was made by West Midlands Combined Authority, the organisation that manages transport and economic development in the region. [Read more](#)

Success story hits the target with 40 years in business



The company works with financial services brands and public sector organisations from around the world and marked its rise from early beginnings in a small office in Cathedral Road, Cardiff to an employer of more than 1,000 people in state-of-the-art facilities in Imperial Way, Newport, and Cowbridge Road East, Cardiff. [Read More](#)

125 jobs axed with closure of HI-LEX Cable System in Port Talbot



A car parts plant in Baglan, Port Talbot, which supplies Ford and Honda has announced it is closing in 2021, following an expected drop in sales. HI-LEX Cable System Company makes cables, window and door parts for cars, but has said it will have to close its factory in Port Talbot when the Honda plant in Swindon closes in two years.

[Read More](#)

New gas-fired power station to be built in Swansea



Plans to build a new £90 million gas-fired power station in Swansea have been given the go-ahead. The application for Abergelli Power Station, submitted by Drax Group Plc, was referred to the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy for the final decision. [Read More](#)

Ineos will build its new factory in Bridgend right next to Ford's engine plant which is about to close



Ineos Automotive will build its new factory next door to the Ford plant in South Wales which closes next year. Ineos will build a new 4x4 model in Bridgend on land next to the huge Ford engine plant which will see the loss of 1,700 jobs when it closes in September 2020.

[Read More](#)

£2.6 Million EU Investment to Attract Businesses to the Rhondda Valleys



The Coed Ely business development will sit at the gateway to the Rhondda Valleys, serving the regional economy by providing modern industrial units for new and existing businesses, while stimulating growth in the priority Rhondda Cynon Taf area. [Read More](#)

Local Job Finding Events

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

www.ctp.org.uk/events The easy way for employers and employees to meet

Event	Location	Date & Time	Booking Information
The Forces Employment Charity (RFEA) Veterans & Families Employment Support– Drop in session	Plymouth Job Centre Plus Exeter Street	6 th November 10:00 -12:30	Just drop-in on the day Web: https://www.rfea.org.uk/
Bristol Job Fair	Bristol Colston Hall BS1 5AR	8 th November 10:00 – 13:00	Web: www.thejobfairs.co.uk/job-fairs
Somerset Careers Fair 2019 - Aimed at young people but open for all	Yeovilton The Fleet Air Arm Museum	12 th November 16:00 – 19:00	Web: www.somersetcareersfair.co.uk/
Travis Perkins Online Chat Event	Online	13 th November	Web: www.ctp.org.uk/events
RFEA Veterans & Families Employment Support– Drop in session	Plymouth Job Centre Plus Devonport	14 th November 10:00 -12:30	Just drop-in on the day Web: https://www.rfea.org.uk/
CTP Construction Industries Online Live Chat	Online	20 November 12:00 - 14:00	No booking required, just join on the day Web: https://www.ctp.org.uk/events
HM Prison and Probation Service Online Live Chat	Online	21 November 12:00 - 14:00	No booking required, just join on the day Web: https://www.ctp.org.uk/events
Going Forward into Employment Veterans and Spouses Programme Insight Session	RRC Tidworth	25 November 14:00 - 15:30	Booking Required: CTPEventBookings@ctp.org.uk Web: More information Tel: 0203 162 4410

Work and Wellbeing Event – Royal Cornwall NHS Trust	Truro The Knowledge Spa Treliske Hospital Room G09 Treliske TR1 3HD	25 November 15:00 – 17:00	Booking Required: Web: https://www.ctp.org.uk/events
The Warrior Programme	Wiltshire	26 th – 28 th November	Booking Required Web: https://warriorprogramme.org.uk/
Going Forward into Employment Veterans and Spouses Programme Insight Session	Plymouth RBL Pop In Centre	27 th November 14:00 – 15:30	Booking Required: CTPEventBookings@ctp.org.uk Web: More information Tel: 0203 162 4410
RFEA Veterans & Families Employment Support– Drop in session	Truro Job Centre Plus Lemon Quay House, TR1 2PU	27 th November 10:00 -13:00	Just drop-in on the day Web: https://www.rfea.org.uk/
Swindon Job Fair	Swindon The County Ground SN1 2ED	29 th November 10:00 – 13:00	Web: www.thejobfairs.co.uk/job-fairs
Amazon Live Chat	Online	2 nd December	Web: https://www.ctp.org.uk/events
Jaguar Land Rover Retail Careers - Live Online Chat	Online	3 rd December	Web: https://www.ctp.org.uk/events
Construction Within the Water Industry with NMCN (only 20 places)	Plymouth	12 th December	Booking Required: Email: greg.morgan@nmcn.com
Drop-in support session Combat Stress and Royal British Legion	Penzance Job Centre Branwell House Clarence Street TR18 2NP	17 th December RBL 12:00 – 15:00 Combat Stress 13:00 – 13:30	Web: www.britishlegion.org.uk/ Web: www.combatstress.org.uk/
Bristol Job Fair	Bristol Colston Hall BS1 5AR	8 th January 10:00 – 14:00	Web: www.thejobfairs.co.uk/job-fairs

Lifeworks course – help to find employment	Cardiff	27 th January – 31 st January	Web: www.wearelifeworks.org.uk/ex-forces/page/find-a-course
Armed Forces Breakfast Club	Various National Locations	Please check website for individual dates and venues	Booking may be required Plymouth Facebook Group Web: https://www.facebook.com/groups/1404529539876000/ Web: www.afvbc.net/



[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 | 0121 236 0058

South West, West of England and National Vacancies:
followed by South Wales

Job Title	Location	Salary	Closing Date	RightJob ID
Maintenance Engineer	Plymouth	£21k - £24k	08/11/2019	292970
DGSA Safety Adviser	Barnwood	£45k - £71k	10/11/2019	298321
Independent Site Inspector	Bridgwater	£Competitive	10/11/2019	298438
Business Operations Officer	Yeovil	Competitive	11/11/2019	298591
Support Worker	St Austell	£9 per hour	11/11/2019	298581
Senior Project Manager MEH	Bristol	£50k - £60k	15/11/2019	299263
Service Department Administrator	Torquay	Competitive	22/11/2019	287314
Thermal Insulation	Plymouth	£1300 - £2240 Per Month	22/11/2019	297236

Engineer Trainee				
Telecoms Project Manager	Exeter	£30k - £35k	28/11/2019	295351
Bus Driver / Trainee	Exeter	Competitive	29/11/2019	295546
Trainee Bus/Coach Driver	Bridgwater	£10 - £11 per hour	29/11/2019	274628
Shift Fitter/ Mechanic	Barnstaple	Competitive	29/11/2019	296397
Supervisor/ Mechanic	Winkley	£25k - £20k	30/11/2019	296499
Senior Service Engineer UK Resident	Newton Abbott	£Competitive	30/11/2019	294334
Trainee HGV Driver	Bristol	£19,500	07/12/2019	297590
LGV Class 1 CE Reload Drivers	Cullompton	£26k - £30k	08/12/2019	297916
Care Assistant	Dorchester	£8.50 Per Hour	09/12/2019	163574
Automotive Technician - Paid Training Programme	Warminster, Wiltshire	£20k - £35k	31/12/2019	291353

South Wales Vacancies:

Job Title	Location	Salary	Closing Date	RightJob ID
Telecoms Field Engineer	Cardiff	Negotiable	08/11/2019	299379
HR & Payroll Analyst	Newport	£33.2k	09/11/2019	297957
Military Training Support Role Player	Brecon	Negotiable	10/11/2019	295536
Mobile Vehicle	Swansea	£21k	19/11/2019	295041

Inspector				
Data Centre Technician - No Experience	South Wales	Negotiable	22/11/2019	295300
First Aider/Administrative Support Officer	Cardiff	£19-21k	23/11/2019	295442
Level 3 Engineering Apprenticeship	National	£14.25k	29/11/2019	296326
Citrix Solutions Architect	South Wales	£55-65k	30/11/2019	298241
Mobile Parking Patrol Officer	Cardiff	£8.71 per hour	06/12/2019	297344
Pest Control Technician	Nationwide	£17k - £22	06/12/2019	133723
Warehouse / Delivery Driver	Cardiff	£16.5k	10/12/2019	298292
7.5T Driver / Labourer	Swansea	Negotiable	14/12/2019	298943
Auto Maint Engineer	Welshpool	£25-30k	16/12/2019	299408

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

Job Reactor

National job search website

Find a job

National job search website

NHS Careers

Explore NHS careers and current vacancies

Jobtome

Department for Education –

Get Into Teaching

JobsGoPublic

<https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/apprenticeshipsearch>

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

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

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

<https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/>

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

<https://getintoteaching.education.gov.uk/teaching-events/listing?return=true>

www.jobsgopublic.com

Public Sector vacancies

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/

Obe2Find

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/>

Reed

Ex-military Internships

https://www.reedglobal.com/en_GB/web/reedgb/jobs/work-for-reed/ex-military

Jobisjob

Job Search website with CV upload facility

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

CV-Library

Job search website with jobs emailed

<http://www.cv-library.co.uk/>

National Careers Service

Career and job finding advice and guidance

<https://nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk/advice/Pages/default.aspx>

CITB

Construction Industry Training Board

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

Civvystreet

www.civvystreet.org

The Engineer – Engineering Jobs

<http://jobs.theengineer.co.uk/>

SERCO

<https://www.serco.com/careers>

Fish4Jobs

www.fish4.co.uk

Adventure Work

www.adventurework.co.uk/

Maritime Journal

Information on the Gas and Oil Industry news, jobs and projects

<http://www.maritimejournal.com>

All Police Jobs

All police opportunities and civil roles

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

Caterer

Hospitality roles Security, Management, Catering

<http://www.caterer.com>

Newsnow

Site that offers industry security roles

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

Civil Service Jobs

<https://www.civilservicejobs.service.gov.uk/csr/index.cgi>

Experteer.co.uk

The career service for executives

<https://www.experteer.co.uk/>

Boxed Jobs

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

NB: 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

Highground

Introduction and taster course for the land-based employment sector

<http://highground-uk.org/>

MOD Welfare Support in Transition

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

The Prince's Trust – helping young people into employment and training

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

South West Business News

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

Transition Planning & Personal Development for Service Leavers

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

The Royal British Legion

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

Veterans Aid

<https://www.veterans-aid.net/>

Veterans UK

www.veterans-uk.info

Combat Stress

www.combatstress.org.uk

Veterans Breakfast Clubs

<http://veteransbreakfastclubs.co.uk>

Money Force

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

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