

# South West & South Wales July 2020

Welcome to the CTP South West and South Wales Employment Bulletin, bringing you the latest jobs and business news from across the region, upcoming <a href="mailto:employer events">employer events</a> and a selection of live vacancies advertised on <a href="RightJob">RightJob</a>.

The CTP offers lots of additional resources to help you. The monthly <u>Focus e-newsletter</u> delivers job-finding, resettlement and training news to you via email; and our bespoke <u>Industry Sector Guides</u> are packed with the latest industry news. The <u>CTP website</u> is full of useful <u>Resettlement Guides</u>, tips, interactive tools, videos, webinars, advice and downloads. Our <u>Find a Job</u> page includes an impressive range of dedicated <u>employer microsites</u>, 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 <a href="Right]ob">Right]ob</a> and <a href="LinkedIn">LinkedIn</a> profiles and signup 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.

**Please Note:** We make every effort to ensure that resources and information are accurate and up to date. However, as information is subject to change you are advised to check material facts and dates. Any website links are used to provide further information and are not intended to signify that we endorse such websites and/or their content.



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

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#### Sherford Business Park gets the go-ahead



Bringing huge opportunities for business growth and employment to the region, a major new business park is to be developed – and it is already attracting interest. Outline planning consent has been granted for Sherford Business Park Plymouth, which will provide up to half a million sq. ft of flexible space for businesses to expand and thrive. Read more

#### Space race gathering pace



The search is on for a local supply chain to support the proposed space launch industry in Cornwall.

Earlier this week, Britain and the US signed a Technology Safeguards Agreement, which will make it easier to bring rocket hardware into the UK.

Following this, Spaceport Cornwall along with California-based Virgin Orbit, which wants to run its horizontal launch system out of Newquay, hosted an online supplier event, with information about the programme's goals and requirements. **Read more** 

#### **Airport faces job losses**



Up to 36 employees are facing redundancy at Cornwall Airport Newquay. The coronavirus pandemic has had a particularly strong impact on the airline industry, with planned activity at the airport for the rest of the year 80% lower than originally anticipated. **Read more** 

#### Covid Chaperone: the new job emerging from the lockdown



As the country emerges slowly from the coronavirus lockdown a new type of job has emerged – the 'Covid chaperone'.

Berry Recruitment says the number of clients looking for people to manage queues, gatherings and other assemblies has rocketed.

The work is somewhere between security and 'front of house' and those with the skills are needed in a variety of sectors. Read more

#### **Entrepreneurs to pitch for investment from Dorset Business Angels**



The 2<sup>nd</sup> Dorset Business Angels Virtual pitch on 6<sup>th</sup> July takes place on the heels of the successful inaugural virtual pitch event in April 2020 which attracted investor interest and immediate investment to businesses pitching. **Read more** 



#### Somerset business grows by more than 100 per cent during lockdown



One Somerset company is bucking the gloomy retail trend during the coronavirus lockdown after experiencing massive growth in the last three months.

Online homewares retailer Cox & Cox, based in Frome, has seen business explode since March. Read more

#### Timetable for new business park near M5 at Taunton set out by developer



Work on a major employment site on the edge of Taunton is still be expected to start next year despite the ongoing impact of the coronavirus. The Nexus 25 will be built on the eastern side of the M5, near the Taunton Gateway Park and Ride and the A358 leading to Ilminster. Somerset County Council is currently upgrading Junction 25, including the creation of a new access road to connect the site to the motorway. Read more

## Boost for Bruton businesses as revised plans for rural enterprise centre approved



Small businesses in Bruton will receive a big boost after the coronavirus pandemic after revised plans for a new rural enterprise centre were approved.

Somerset County Council intends to build the centre to provide more than 350 sq m of flexible office space for small and medium enterprises. **Read more** 



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#### Bridgend Paper Mills expansion will create over 70 new jobs



More than 70 new jobs will be created as part of the £100m expansion of Bridgend Paper Mills. The expansion of the mills, located in Llangynwyd, Bridgend, will create 74 permanent jobs plus an estimated 100 construction roles. **Read more** 

### Battery manufacturer Britishvolt reveals Wales is its preferred location for a massive factory



Plans for a giant factory and thousands of jobs for the Vale of Glamorgan have been revealed. Battery manufacturer Britishvolt announced on Friday that two sites are in the running for their factory, with Bro Tathan business park leading the way. Read more

#### Aston Martin Lagonda confirms plans to cut 500 jobs



Luxury car maker Aston Martin Lagonda has confirmed plans to cut 500 jobs as part of its plans to restore profitability against a backdrop of falling sales. The company, which employs 2,500 people, hasn't confirmed where the proposed job losses will fall and what impact it will have on its new car making factory at St Athan where it had said it hoped employment levels could reach around 750 when at full production. **Read more** 

#### Jobs boost for Ebbw Vale in £7m offices and workshops scheme



MORE than 100 jobs are set to be created in Ebbw Vale, through a £7 million office and workshops scheme. The scheme in Mill Lane - on the town's former steelworks site - comprises two projects a quarter of a mile apart. Read more

### Newport-based recruiter awarded principal contractors licence by Network Rail



Acorn's Rail division has become the first Welsh SME in 2020 to receive a Trackside Principal Contractors Licence from Network Rail. The licence provides assurance that Acorn Rail, as a Principal Contractor, has appropriate and robust HSQE management systems to effectively discharge its duties under official construction regulations and meet all additional requirements of Network Rail. Read more



#### Pembroke Dock Marine Partners Welcome £60m City Deal Approval



Last week's Swansea Bay City Deal announcement is welcomed by Pembroke Dock Marine's partners, the Port of Milford Haven, Marine Energy Wales, ORE Catapult, and Wave Hub Limited, and is also supported by Pembrokeshire County Council. <u>Read More</u>

#### Summer Start on Mid Wales' New £5m Luxury Holiday Park



Work on a multi-million-pound project to convert a nine-hole golf course and driving range into a luxury holiday park in Mid Wales is expected to start within the next eight weeks. Holiday home and lodge parks entrepreneur Trevor Bebb plans to complete the £5 million park, sited at the former Mid Wales Golf Centre near Caersws, in two phases, with the first phase scheduled to open in 2022. Read More

#### Swansea Firm to Build One of the City's Key Regeneration Projects



John Weaver Contractors has been appointed main contractor for the Hafod-Morfa Copperworks powerhouse and outbuildings redevelopment. The business was awarded the contract by Swansea Council after a rigorous Europe-wide competitive tender process.

Over the next few years the location will be transformed for future generations. The site will include the renovation of the historic Powerhouse building. Wales's Penderyn Distillery will expand there and fit it out as a new distillery and visitor centre. **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
Financial Aspects of Resettlement (FAR) Webinar	Online	2 <sup>nd</sup> July 1000 – 1330	Web: <a href="https://www.ctp.org.uk/events/date">https://www.ctp.org.uk/events/date</a> <a href="july+2020?page=2">-july+2020?page=2</a>
CTP Virtual Employment Event	Online	2 <sup>nd</sup> July 1100 - 1330	Web: <pre>https://www.ctp.org.uk/events/date -july+2020?page=2</pre>
CTP Getting Started in your Resettlement - Webinar	Online	6 <sup>th</sup> , 13 <sup>th</sup> , 20 <sup>th</sup> July 1400 – 1530	Web: <pre>https://www.ctp.org.uk/events/date -july+2020?page=2</pre>
A Morning with BT – Virtual Event	Online	7 <sup>th</sup> July 0930 - 1230	Web: https://www.ctp.org.uk/events/date -july+2020?page=2
CTP Enhancement Webinar - Interview Success	Online	8 <sup>th</sup> July 1200 - 1330	Web: https://www.ctp.org.uk/events/date -july+2020?page=2
FDM Ex-Forces Virtual Insight Day	Online	21 <sup>st</sup> July 1230 - 1330	<pre>Web: https://www.ctp.org.uk/events/date -july+2020?page=2</pre>
Babcock International Live Chat for Project Hannibal	Online	23 <sup>rd</sup> July 1130 - 1230	Web: https://www.ctp.org.uk/events/date -july+2020?page=3
CTP Financial Services Industries Online Chat	Online	30 <sup>th</sup> July 1200 - 1400	Web: https://www.ctp.org.uk/events/date -july+2020?page=3





<u>CTP RightJob</u> 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
Experienced Firearms Instructors	National Campaign	£Not Advised	04/07/2020	327272
SDA - Head Information, Security and Resilience	Bristol	£77-91k	05/07/2020	329739
Mobile Device Examiner	Wiltshire	£Competitive	08/07/2020	329950
Lead Cyber Incident Response Analyst	Bristol	£Competitive	08/07/2020	329431
Night and Evening Support Worker	Penzance	£9.30 - £10.30 per hour	13/07/2020	329557
Associate L&D Consultant - DSAT	Bristol	Negotiable	17/07/2020	328018
Director Engineering and Safety	Bristol	£92-130k	26/07/2020	328502

#### **South Wales Vacancies:**

Job Title	Location	Salary	Closing Date	RightJob ID
Support Worker (Dads)	Blaenau Gwent	£25-29k	02/07/2020	330008
Logistics Manager	Cardiff	£40-45k	10/07/2020	<u>329600</u>



Funeral Services Assistant	Caerphilly	£9.20-10 per hour	10/07/2020	<u>327575</u>
HGV Mobile Maintenance Technician	Cardiff	£325k	11/07/2020	329259
Traffic Management Operative	Swansea	£20.5k	14/07/2020	<u>329876</u>
Mechanical manufacturing engineer	Cardiff	£30-35k	15/07/2020	327916
<b>Transport Clerk</b>	Cardiff	£8.72 per hour	15/07/2020	326092
Vehicle Technician	South Wales	£19-24k	23/07/2020	<u>254995</u>
Close Protection and Event Security	South Wales	£10-20 per hour	30/10/2020	307940
On Track Machine Operator Fitter/Driver	South Wales	£33-47k	30/10/2020	<u>296179</u>
Property Consultant	South Wales	£30-80k	31/10/2020	328392

#### **Have You Recently Found Work?**

Congratulations! Please let us know by contacting <a href="mailto:ifoundajob@ctp.org.uk">ifoundajob@ctp.org.uk</a>



#### **Useful Websites**

**Civilian Job Fair Sites** 

https://www.thejobfairs.co.uk//

https://www.ukcareersfair.com/

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/jobs-fair-

13072200317

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

**Public Sector vacancies** 

**UK Jobs Guide** 

National job search website

**Graduate Jobs and Work Placements** 

**Gumtree** 

National job search website

Obe2Find

National job search website

**Total Jobs** 

National job search website

Skillnet

Apprenticeships and Training website

Reed

Ex-military Internships

Jobisjob

Job Search website with CV upload facility

**CV-Library** 

Job search website with jobs emailed

**National Careers Service** 

Career and job finding advice and guidance

CITB

Construction Industry Training Board

**Civvystreet** 

The Engineer - Engineering Jobs

**SERCO** 

Fish4Jobs

https://www.findapprenticeship.service.

gov.uk/apprenticeshipsearch

http://careermap.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.jobsqopublic.com

www.ukjobsguide.co.uk

www.prospects.ac.uk

www.gumtree.com/jobs/

www.one2find.co.uk/jobsearchuk/

www.totaljobs.com

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

https://www.reedglobal.com/en GB/w

eb/reedgb/jobs/work-for-reed/ex-

military

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

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

https://nationalcareersservice.direct.go

v.uk/advice/Pages/default.aspx

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

www.civvystreet.org

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

https://www.serco.com/careers

www.fish4.co.uk



**Adventure Work** www.adventurework.co.uk/

**Maritime Journal** http://www.maritimejournal.com

Information on the Gas and Oil Industry news,

jobs and projects

**All Police Jobs** http://www.allpolicejobs.co.uk All police opportunities and civil roles

http://www.caterer.com

Hospitality roles Security, Management, Catering

http://www.newsnow.co.uk Newsnow Site that offers industry security roles

**Civil Service Jobs** https://www.civilservicejobs.service.go

v.uk/csr/index.cgi

Experteer.co.uk https://www.experteer.co.uk/

The career service for executives

**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

www.rfea.org.uk **RFEA - The Forces Employment Charity** 

Lifelong job-finding support for veterans

The Officers' Association www.officersassociation.org.uk

Lifelong job-finding support for officers

Highground http://highground-uk.org/ Introduction and taster course for the land-based

employment sector

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**MOD Welfare Support in Transition** http://www.army.mod.uk/welfare-

support/23590.aspx

The Prince's Trust – helping young people into https://www.princes-trust.org.uk/

employment and training

http://www.army.mod.uk/welfare-**Transition Planning & Personal Development** 

for Service Leavers 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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