YOUR CAREER JOURNEY
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Summer 2020  click the blue links to find out more

POSTGRADUATE TAUGHT
Make the most of support and resources available to plan your next steps and make good quality applications

ACADEMIC AND PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

Explore academic and personal development opportunities through the Together York 2020 project

Try our new York Strengths Online, from 26 May, to explore your personal strengths and consider these in relation to your career plans and applications

Stay supported – Use the Big White Wall and University wellbeing resources

Apply for York Award Gold, a certificate of the University that recognises personal and professional development

Talk to your supervisor – consider if you have time to gain additional experience this summer

Book an online careers advice appointment to talk through your next steps
RESEARCH YOUR OPTIONS

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Research the impact of the current situation on the job market. Careers and Placements is updating their FAQs regularly

Global Careers – take a look at the international picture

Get a mentor from York Profiles & Mentors – maybe someone from the country or sector you want to work in?

Listen to our podcast, What Do You Actually Do?! , to find out what different careers are actually like

Attend the Graduate Options Live 2020 webinar on 2 June (Week 8) to understand your options post graduation

Complete the Next Steps Planner to assess where you might need careers support

Dip into virtual employer events

Book an online careers advice appointment to talk through your next steps

International students: Explore working in the UK and visa requirements
**MAKE STRONG APPLICATIONS AND PREPARE FOR RECRUITMENT PROCESSES**

**Market yourself!** Update your CV and LinkedIn profile and start **networking** online

**Explore** **enterprise** and portfolio ways of working

**Research** changes to online recruitment processes for Autumn 2020 opportunities and practise with our **resources**

**Continue to get support** from Careers and Placements after you’ve completed your programme

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**By the end of your Taught Masters programme you’ll**

- Have updated your CV and tailored it to your chosen work/study area.
  - **How to do it:** york.ac.uk/careers/applications

- Have used the careers website to understand your options.
  - **How to do it:** york.ac.uk/careers/ideas

- Have developed a better understanding of your strengths, skills and experience through York Strengths and York Award Gold.
  - **How to do it:** york.ac.uk/york-strengths and york.ac.uk/careers/yorkaward

- Be able to articulate what skills, experience and knowledge you have gained through postgraduate study.
  - **How to do it:** york.ac.uk/careers/postgraduate

- Have an understanding of recruitment processes and how to succeed in applications, interviews and assessment centres.
  - **How to do it:** york.ac.uk/graduate-jobs and www.york.ac.uk/students/work-volunteering-careers/look-for-work/international-work/

- Know where to find 1-1 support if you need help to develop or progress your career plans.
  - **How to do it:** york.ac.uk/careers/advice

- Get inspiration from other York graduates.
  - **How to do it:** york.ac.uk/careers/profiles