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## Apprenticeship Newsletter

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**BAME Awarding Gap**

It is official - our Apprenticeship OfSTED report is published and our sector leading apprenticeships have rated good across all areas and have been praised for helping to meet regional skills needs through an ambitious curriculum.

I want to shout a massive thanks to all of you and your employers who have helped to demonstrate your impact during a four-day inspection, which included deep dives to explore the quality of education, leadership, your behaviours and attitudes and personal development. I would like to highlight the judgement that Apprentices gain the knowledge and skills to enjoy successful careers - that's you!

Regards, Sam Moorwood,  
Head of Work Based Learning and Apprenticeship  
Safeguarding Officer

[Find out more](#) about how the Student Union is working to understand and counter the difference in degree outcomes for Black Asian and Minority Ethnic Groups. The University has a legal obligation to intervene and try to reduce any difference in degree outcomes between different ethnic groups.

[OfSTED press release here.](#)

## News and Updates



The Awardstake place on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2022 at the Mercure Sheffield St Paul's Hotel & Spa.

[More information](#)

Speak to your Work Based Learning Coach about our support offer for you and your employer

Apprentices can be nominated for several awards including: 'Higher or Degree Apprentice of the Year' and 'Rising Star', which seeks to recognise apprentices that have made impressive progress in their career to date and have potential to go even further. Other categories include:

- **Mentor of the Year** – This category is for an individual who has helped and inspired apprentices in the first steps in their careers. Mentors can be the line manager or someone within the organisation that has contributed to the individual's development.
- **Diversity & Inclusion Award** – Open to employers who embrace equality and diversity in their Apprenticeship programme.
- **SME Employer of the Year** – Open to a business with (1-249) employees offering apprenticeships.
- **Large Employer of the Year** – Open to a business with (250+) employees offering apprenticeships.

**The deadline for nominations is the 28<sup>th</sup> April 2022.**

## Learning and Development

## Active Bystander Training

We want to promote an inclusive campus community. That's why all our students are expected to take online training about dealing with harassment.

The Active Bystander course will teach you:

- how to recognise harassment and hate incidents,
- appropriate strategies for intervening, and
- how you can make a positive impact on your University community from the start.

### Start the course

The course you need to complete is called Active Bystander. It is part of the Tackling Harassment programme on an e-learning website called Epigeum.

To access the course, you need to:

- register with Epigeum using your Hallam email address,
- enter the token c8277f40,
- follow the instructions on your account activation email.

If you can't find your activation email, check your spam or junk mail folder.



Use [this site](#) to explore and book sessions, opportunities and 1-1 appointments to build and develop your critical; skills for academic and apprenticeship success.

## People

### Apprentices

It has been an exciting few months of Spring, bringing on board hundreds of new Apprentices and in March we welcomes new starters onto the Diagnostic Radiography Apprenticeship. There are currently more joining our brand new sector leading offer of Therapeutic Radiographer. Welcome all!

### Staff

Welcome ot new Work Based Learning Coaches Patricia (Health sector) and Tracey (Academic Professional). And... the New Deputy Head of Work Based Learning Jo Settle, who will be offering her reflections on her first few weeks in the near future.

## Apprenticeship Community

# COMMUNITY

## Join our Apprenticeship Community Network

Do you want to be part of a growing community sharing a common goal of enriching students journeys? We are looking for students involvement in the following areas:

### Apprenticeship Network

Working with our Student Union we are looking for students who are passionate about improving their society, the University, or the Students' Union itself. The Students' Union can empower you to do that. We are keen to grow a community network of apprentice's who can help us shape and enrich apprentices experiences and involvement whilst studying.

### Get involved with the Newsletter

Do you have a passion for marketing, design, communication or just wish to be involved? If so, we are also looking for apprentices to help shape our engagement and communication via our monthly apprenticeship newsletters.

### Course Representation

Did you know that you can represent your peers through your Course and/or departmental representation process. Contact your Course Leader for more details.

To register your interest for any of those please email your  
Apprenticeship Safeguarding Officer: [s.moorwood@shu.ac.uk](mailto:s.moorwood@shu.ac.uk)



Don't miss out on what's on offer via our Student Union from What's On, Student Opportunities and Student Advice Centre there is a wealth of information to enrich your apprenticeship journey. To find out more click this link: [Student Union](#)

**Apprenticeship Newsletter Feedback**

Help us improve the way we engage with you. We would welcome your feedback on our apprenticeship monthly newsletters. Please take 5-10 minutes to complete the feedback form. Please click on the link below:

[FEEDBACK LINK](#)

Thank you!

Sally Everitt, WBL Coach and Newsletter Co-Editor

# Apprenticeship Impact and Information Resource



[AIIR](#) is a set of web resources developed to work alongside your apprenticeship programme, it includes: [Onboarding](#) [Succeeding in your off-the-job training](#) [Well-being and support](#) [Equality, diversity and inclusion](#) [British values and Prevent](#) [Careers information, advice and guidance](#)

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