# **Lancashire Forum – New Job Opportunity!**

Our team is expanding! Due to our recent success in leading Apprenticeship projects across Lancashire, we now need additional support to help achieve our growth over the coming year. This is a perfect opportunity for someone who is passionate about Apprenticeships and work -based learning and committed to promoting the benefits to learners, parents and carers, employers and stakeholders.

## **About Us**

The Lancashire Forum is a ‘not for profit’ organisation, whose members include Independent Training Providers, Colleges and Universities, all with a presence in Lancashire. We are committed to supporting our members to provide the highest quality of Work-Based learning opportunities to young people and adults within the workforce to the benefit of employers and the community.

We are a small team, with a big passion for helping Lancashire’s learners to achieve their potential!

## **About You**

You will be passionate about Apprenticeships, and ideally have had experience, either as an Apprentice or working with Apprentice learners.

You will have a good standard of education and an ability to present to small and large groups.

You will be able to travel to settings across Lancashire and be able to work flexibly sometimes covering careers and parent’s evenings.

Above all, you will share our values of proactively supporting opportunities for learners and engaging Lancashire’s businesses.

## **About the Job**

Your role as a project worker, would include our key areas of focus including supporting the Forum’s Apprenticeship Support and Knowledge (ASK) Programme, which is delivered in secondary schools, training providers and colleges across Lancashire and Cumbria. You will be asked to attend events, deliver presentations, and speak to student groups. Some sessions are held in the early evenings, or can also be early morning assemblies, so some flexibility is needed.

You will get involved in the wider activity of the Forum, working with local businesses and other key stakeholders to help signpost Apprenticeship opportunities. You will support initiatives such as the North West Apprenticeship Ambassador Network, the Lancashire Levy Transfer Network and the Lancashire Skills Pledge.

Our office location is in Accrington, with flexible/hybrid working. Normal office hours are 8am-4pm, 37.5 hours per week.

Initially this is a 12 month fixed term contract with the possibility of extension.

## **The Benefits**

* Hybrid / flexible working arrangements
* Salary of £21,000 - £23,000 dependent upon experience per annum (or pro rata if part time hours)
* 25 days holiday plus Bank Holidays
* Enjoy your birthday off
* Health Care Package
* Company Pension Scheme (5% Employer contribution)
* Travel Expenses
* All IT Equipment Supplied

And of course…working in a small, friendly, and supportive team.

## **Next Steps**

If you want to know a little more, please contact our Forum Manager, Nina Dixon to arrange an informal chat.

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Telephone: 07983 248 155

Or, If you are excited by the prospect of joining our team, please send a CV summarising your recent experience to Nina Dixon Forum Manager to the email address above.

**Closing date: Friday 11th August 5pm**

**Interview Dates: Tuesday 22nd and Wednesday 23rd August**

## **Please Like and Share…**

Not the job you are looking for? If you know someone who’d be great in this role, please help them (and us!) by sharing this opportunity.