Welcome & Introductions...

- Jack Chamberlain
  - Student Recruitment Co-ordinator

- Jack O'Toole & Catherine Moat
  - Student Recruitment Managers

- Marc Lintern
  - Director of Student Experience

- Antonio Milian & Anja Atkinson
  - Financial Support Officers

- Student Recruitment Staff

- Graduate Ambassadors

- Student Ambassadors

- Suzi Newton
  - Performance Sports Officer
Aims of Today

• Help you provide support to your child when making decisions about higher education

• Explain and provide further information on higher education and related processes

• Introduce you to Newcastle University

• Opportunity for you to ask questions
Things to note...

Fire alarms

Toilets

Mobile phones
Things to note...

- Session locations on programme
- Light Lunch – foyer from 11.45am
- Resources and literature
- Presentations – available online from Wednesday 9 October
- Evaluation Forms
Today’s Programme

• **10:00** – Welcome & Graduate Employability
• **11:05** – Breakout Session 1
• **11:45** – Info fair & refreshments
• **12:15** – Breakout Session 2
• **13:00** – Optional Campus Tour
Session 1 – 11:05

• **Applying to Higher Education**
  • Charlie Cockburn (Graduate Ambassador – Maths)

• **Financial Support for Students**
  • Antonio Milian & Anya Atkinson (Newcastle University Student Finance)

• **How to Get the Most Out of University**
  • Gursharan Gill (Graduate Ambassador – Psychology)

• **Our PARTNERS Programme**
  • Amy Towler (Graduate Ambassador – Pharmacology)
Session 2 – 12:15

- **Applying to Higher Education**
  - Charlie Cockburn (Graduate Ambassador – Maths)

- **Applying to Humanities and Social Sciences**
  - Frances Devine (Graduate Ambassador – Ancient History & Archaeology)

- **Careers in Medical Sciences**
  - Amy Towler (Graduate Ambassador – Pharmacology)

- **Financial Support for Students**
  - Antonio Milian & Anya Atkinson (Newcastle University Student Finance)

- **STEM Careers**
  - Clare Fearon (SAgE Outreach Officer)
Information Fair

• PARTNERS Programme
• University Life
• Newcastle University Student Finance
• Performance Sport
• Three University Faculties
  • Science, Agriculture and Engineering
  • Faculty of Medical Sciences
  • Humanities and Social Sciences
Campus Tour

• Will start around 1pm – will last approximately 60 minutes

• Head to the mirror when your second session finishes

• ‘Tour Guide’ – Student Ambassador

• Don’t worry if you booked but can no longer attend a Campus Tour!
Welcome to Newcastle University
Jack O’Toole
Student Recruitment Manager
Our Vision

We are a world-leading university, advancing knowledge, providing creative solutions and solving global problems.

Our teaching, in-degree experiences, and award winning careers service promise to inspire students to be confident, creative, innovative, and entrepreneurial.
Our Recognition

• **21st**
  in the Times/Sunday Times Good University Guide 2019

• **Top 10**
  student city – QS 2018

• **22nd**
  in the Complete University Guide 2020

• **Top 10**
  for student experience for four years running – The Times 2015 - 2018

**Times World University Rankings**

• **23rd**
  University Impact Ranking

• **23rd**
  European Teaching Ranking
Research Excellence

- Founding member of the Russell Group
- 16th in the UK for Research Power (Research Excellence Framework)
- One of the largest European Union research portfolios in the UK

Making conversations count
Bracing for climate change
Rescuing our oceans
Engineering future bionics
Quality Teaching

- Teaching Excellence Framework – **Gold award**
- **Top 10 in Europe** for teaching excellence
- Business School - **triple accreditation**
- Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education – **Quality Mark**

Teaching is at the heart of our University…

- **Study Abroad** agreements with 250 Universities worldwide
- Degrees that are **relevant to the world of work**
- Academic staff are consistently awarded **National Teaching Fellowship** awards
World-Class Specialist Facilities

- Urban Sciences Building
- New £34m Teaching Centre
- Music & Media Studios
- 2 x Working Farms
- New £30m Sports Centre
- The Princess Royal
Student Support & Experience

• **Guaranteed** accommodation for first year students
• Over 160 societies & 65 sports clubs
• **Multi-award winning** libraries
• Personal tutor & peer mentor for first year students
• One-stop shop for a range of support services:
  • 1:1 careers guidance
  • Part time jobs
  • Student Wellbeing & Counselling
  • Financial support
Thank you

... & enjoy your visit!
Your career

Marc Lintern
Director of Student Experience
Session Outline

- The graduate jobs market
- Job prospects for Newcastle University graduates
- Support from our Careers Service
- Career Insights Award
- Tips for students
- Quiz
Your Career

ENGAGEMENT AND PLACE

1. EDUCATION FOR LIFE

2. RESEARCH FOR DISCOVERY AND IMPACT

4. GLOBAL

From Newcastle. For the world.

Our Vision
FACT
or
FICTION
1. Most people have a degree these days.
39% of the *adult population* (16-64) in the UK had a degree at the end of 2018.

This rises to 44% of the UK *workforce*. 
2. There aren’t enough jobs for graduates
136,000 UK graduates from 2017 were known to be in professional level jobs six months after graduating (73.9% of graduates)

At the end of 2018, there were 14.8m people working in professional level jobs in the UK – or 46% of the UK workforce.
3. There aren’t enough jobs for graduates in the north east
Every year 40%+ of Newcastle University graduates are employed in the North East six months after graduating.

80%+ of these are employed at a graduate level.
4. “If I study subject X then that is what I will have to do in my career”
70% of graduate jobs do not specify any degree discipline
D + E + S + A = C
5. Students applying to university know what career they want to pursue?
52% of Newcastle University students went into their final year without having decided what they want to do next.
6. Graduates only work for big business.
30% of graduates from 2018 were working for companies with fewer than 250 employees (37% when hospitals are removed), and one in six were with companies with fewer than 50 employees.

SMEs are especially important in sectors such as telecoms, arts, design, architecture, marketing, PR, advertising, sport and fitness, law and web design.

SME graduate employment is strong in London and south of England.

4% of graduates are self-employed or starting their own businesses.
7. All of the best graduate jobs are in London.
14.7% of the UK population lives in London

20% of UK graduates live in London

22% of 2016/17 graduates started their career in London.

The starting salary for graduates in London in 2016/17 was £24,991 compared to £22,399 for UK as a whole.

Most people – and graduates – never work in London
## Where did 2017 graduates work?

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*Destinations of Leavers from Higher Education Survey (Higher Education Statistics Agency)*
Graduate mobility

- 58% of graduates from 2017 are working in the region in which they studied
- 69% are working in their home region
- 18% found work where they had neither lived nor studied

Destinations of Leavers from Higher Education Survey (Higher Education Statistics Agency)
2.35m
418,895

Destinations of Leavers from Higher Education Survey (Higher Education Statistics Agency)
95.3% of Newcastle University graduates are in work or study six months after graduating

85.8% are in graduate level work or study
18\textsuperscript{th} among UK universities targeted by Times Top 100 Businesses

89\textsuperscript{th} among all universities in the world for employer reputation
40%+ of Newcastle University graduates are employed in the North East six months after graduating.

80%+ of these are employed at a graduate level.
10% of undergraduate students at Newcastle University do a placement year

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Shaun Smith (Mechanical Engineering), Project Management Placement with Nissan
Study Abroad

Students who include a study abroad option are:

• 9% more likely to gain a 1st or 2:1
• 24% less likely to be unemployed
• 9% more likely to be in a ‘graduate’ job six months after graduation
• Earning 5% more than other students six months after graduation
Study Abroad

- Most students go abroad between Years 2 and 3, and apply the year before they go.
- We work with top-ranked universities across the world.
- Student choices are determined by their School.
- Students on exchange in the EU receive Erasmus funding.
- Students often pay reduced tuition fees to Newcastle – and no tuition fees to the host university.
- Study Abroad is a chance to make a global impact, learn new approaches and be more employable.
“People born in the 21st century will experience more change in their lifetime than in the last 500 years”

Will Hutton
new General Purpose Technologies will be created by 2050
If you join us at Newcastle University

1. One of the best resourced Careers Services in the world
2. Information, advice and guidance – work, study, study abroad, starting a business
3. Work experience – on campus jobs, internships, volunteering, placement year
4. On campus recruitment events and graduate jobs
5. Employability Awards
6. Programmes for specific cohorts e.g. Career Insights Award
7. Access to NCL Spark – global alumni network
8. Academic Leads for Employability in every School
Achieving your goals is not so much an issue of aspiration, but of **expectation**.
Career Insights Award

1. Business and management
2. Creative and arts
3. Science, engineering and technology
4. Public sector and law
Six Tips for Success
Experience
opportunityisnowhere
40 + 40 + 450
Your Career

Resources

www.propects.ac.uk
www.targetjobs.co.uk

What can I do with my degree

Job sectors

Newcastle University Careers Service
www.ncl.ac.uk/careers/planning/what-graduates-do

Study Abroad
www.ncl.ac.uk/undergraduate/abroad/study/

Information Stands In King's Gate
Your career

Marc Lintern
Director of Student Experience
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Your career

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Director of Student Experience

Andrew Griff-Owen
International Mobility Manager
Session 1...

- **Applying to Higher Education – Curtis Auditorium**
  - Charlie Cockburn (Graduate Ambassador – Maths)

- **Financial Support for Students – Lecture Theatre 3**
  - Antonio Milian & Anya Atkinson (Newcastle University Student Finance)

- **How to Get the Most Out of University – Lecture Theatre 1**
  - Gursharan Gill (Graduate Ambassador – Psychology)

- **Our PARTNERS Programme – Lecture Theatre 2**
  - Amy Towler (Graduate Ambassador – Pharmacology)