

# CAREER IMPACT PROGRAMME

3-day programmerunning on the 23rd,24th & 25th September.



# **ABOUT THE PROGRAMME**

We are delighted to welcome you to the Career Impact Programme 2024. A programme designed for and shaped by our Postgraduate (PGT) Finance Community. Students across all of our six PGT Finance programmes come together for a 3 day immersion to support your career thinking.

You will join finance career masterclasses, sector insight sessions and alumni engagement opportunities. This market-led programme is enriched with direct exposure to employers and Labour Market intelligence to give your first few weeks at King's Business School a flying start.

We have carefully structured these days to provide you with an intensive but enjoyable introduction to all things Finance career related. Each day begins with a Masterclass focusing on a key aspect of graduate recruitment, providing an opportunity to sense check your current situation to help you establish your early priorities. We are then joined by industry professionals, alumni and employers.

Best wishes, The PGT Finance Team Amanda, Bryony, Charley, Rupinder and Markus

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

There are several sessions that we think will be of interest to you. Enjoy the activities running but be conscious of your time over these coming weeks.

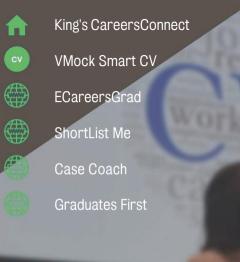
1st October - Banking & Financial Services Networking Night 2024 This Networking Night provides a chance for King's students to speak with a range of people working in this sector.

3rd October - Consultancy & Advisory Services Networking Night 2024 Speak directly to professionals from the Consultancy sector about potential career pathways for you.

7<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> October – King's Career Fair 2024 Meet employers from a range of industry sectors recruiting for multiple job functions at our flagship autumn event.

16th October - PwC Ecobooth Tour Meet PwC representatives on campus to find out about their approach to sustainability, discuss opportunities, and learn more about the firm.

### **Online Resources**



# DAY 1-23rd Sep

### Masterclass 1 - CVs, Cover Letters and Applications

16:00-17:00 St Mary's London, York Street, W1H 1PQ In this first Careers Masterclass, we will focus on the key aspects needed to get you through the first application stage. This session will provide a number of themed zones to better understand enrichment opportunities, such as the Financial Trading Programme and Business Communication for Career Advancement. Students will be able to interact with Careers Consultants, log in to VMock and CareersConnect platforms.

### The Banking and Finance Panel

#### 18:00-19:30 - St Mary's London, York Street, W1H 1PQ

The Banking and Finance panel is designed to give you the opportunity to hear directly from 3 financial professionals. They will share insights about their area of expertise, their individual career path and what you can do to improve your prospects.







# DAY 2 - 24th Sep

### Masterclass 2 - Succeeding at Online Assessments

16:00-17:00 St Mary's London, York Street, W1H 1PQ In this second careers Masterclass, we will give you a good understanding of online assessments, with a focus on the more challenging Situational Judgement Test, giving you all the information, resources and tips to succeed. In addition, we introduce you to the state-of-the-art technology available to KBS students including Graduates First.

### The Interview Simulation

18:00-19:15 - St Mary's London, York Street, W1H 1PQ The interview simulation with financial services group SEB gives you the opportunity to experience first-hand what a banking interview is really like. This "live" interview will show a real employer posing actual questions to a candidate covering both "fit" and "technical" questions. It's a great opportunity to learn and see what "great" looks like.

# DAY 3-25th Sep

### Masterclass 3 - Succeeding at Interviews 16:00-17:00 - Virtual Session

In our final masterclass as part of this early series, we will be looking at Interviews, what you can expect and how best to prepare and succeed. In addition, we will introduce you to online recources including ShortlistMe, ECareersGrad and Case Coach.

### Alumni Panel

### 18:00-19:30 - Auditorium at Bush House

Our programme will end with a final interactive panel session where KBS Alumni come and share their experiences.



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