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Healthcare Science Week 12th -16th June 2017

7 students from ECS were privileged to partake in a week of Work Experience hosted by UCL. During their week, they had a two day placement in UCL hospital while the rest of the time was spent learning more about what healthcare science entails.

A few of the students commented on their experience:

I have really enjoyed the Healthcare Sciences Programme as it helped me gain experience on how different professions complete each other and how people in those professions are always in the background. I would recommend this programme to anyone interested in finding out more.

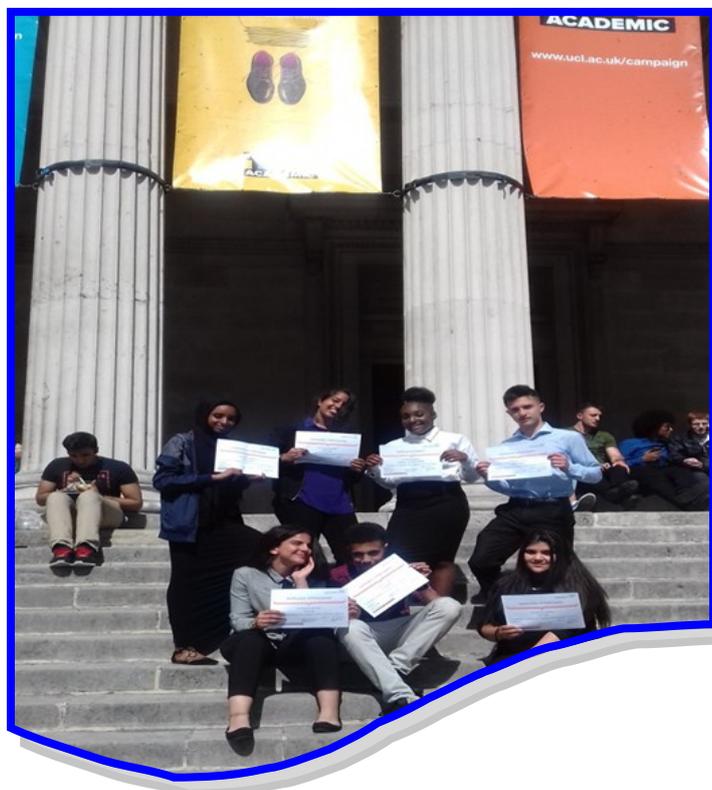
Elisa Yildirim

The UCL work experience was one of the most eye-opening and surreal experiences purely because of the unique and wonderful people I have met along the way. I would definitely say that it has boosted my confidence immensely and I have gained so much knowledge and Healthcare Science that I already feel like I can go and work in a hospital. Overall if you're lucky enough to have the opportunity to do this like I did, go for it because at the end of the day you've got nothing to lose.

Neha Zaman

I personally believe that the UCL work experience was substantially amazing and a great experience for those interested in going down a path linked with medicine/healthcare science. It gave an insight of many different types of opportunities within healthcare and was also a good socialising experience to be around people with the same knowledge and passion as you. The people within the work experience were different and unique showing that anyone can pursue a life within healthcare science. If I could do it again, I would!

Laurell da Costa



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Year 10 Careers Events

27th and 29th June were Year 10 careers focus days where students were able to explore what they would like to do in the future as well as hear from other professionals about the different options. The events on both campuses and was lovely to see students try something new and step out of their comfort zone.

Max Potential did not disappoint our students they are a local dynamic organisation who moto is to raise achievement and aspire young people to think proactively about their future. Sessions that were delivered were Dragons Den, where they had to pitch a product, this helped students with their presentation and social skills. The other session delivered was Goal Setting and starting to think positively about how they can achieve their goals over the next few years. The students were motivated throughout the day and left inspired and talking about how they could put these new skills into practise.

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Feedback from the students ranged from

- Setting goal
- Being more confident
- Making right choices
- Presentation skills
- Working on new idea and being creative

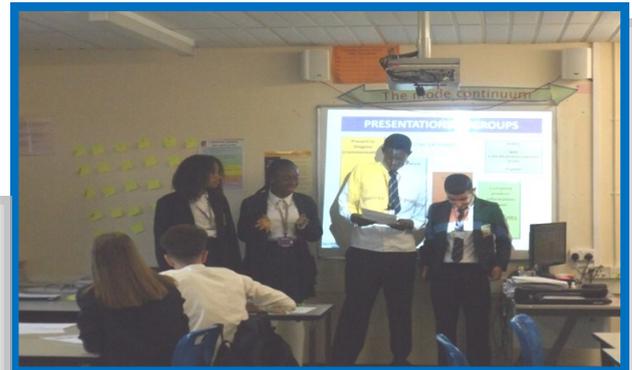


World Skills UK came with their Skills Champions who have competed all over the world with their technical skills. Skills Champions highlighted how important these skills are and how to develop them from an early age. One of the skills champions led an engaging session on her work in Social Care and how promoting and sharing the benefits of this has helped her to become more confident in her ability as a practitioner sharing her passion with young people.

Students also got to participate in practical sessions like bandaging as well as given a demonstration on how to plaster a wall and then have a go themselves. It was great to see students engaging and participating even if is something that they are not considering for their future.

Miss L Charlton

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