A bright future ahead. Find your future in South West and Mid Wales.

Find out what's happening in your region; the jobs, the new developments and what the future might hold.

LEISURE AND TOURISM

South West and Mid Wales has a large number of important tourist attractions. Over 41,000 people work in the region’s leisure and tourism sector. There is particularly high demand for high level chef and catering skills. (Welsh Government, 2016)

Jobs like: Chef, Event Planner, Hotel Manager, Social Media Manager, Front of House Workers/Hotel Receptionist, and Leisure or Attraction Manager.

RETAIL AND SALES

Nearly 40,000 work in Retail and Sales in South West and Mid Wales. (EMSI, 2016)

Jobs like: Sales Assistant, Merchandiser, Store Manager, Logistics Manager, Marketing and PR, Buyer, Store Design.

Sales Assistant is the job expected to be second highest in demand over the next 5 years. (EMSI, 2016)

ICT

Over 4,000 work in the ICT sector in South West and Mid Wales. (Welsh Government, 2014)

But ICT jobs are needed across all industries

Jobs like: IT Specialist Manager, Business Analyst, IT Technician, Programme/Software Developer, and Network Manager.

ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT

43,000 already work in the sector in South West and Mid Wales.


HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

Over 57,000 work in Health and Social Care.

Jobs like: Care Worker, Doctor, Nurse, Physiotherapist, Counsellor, Medical Scientist, Technician, Therapist or new roles like Physician Associate.

1 in 6 people work in Health and Social Care in the region. (BRES, 2015)

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ADVANCED MATERIALS AND MANUFACTURING

Over 21,700 already work in the sector in South West and Mid Wales. (Welsh Government, 2016)

Jobs like: Production Manager, Programmer and Software Developer, Metal Working Production, Aeronautical Engineer, Design Engineer, Electronic Assembler, CNC Turner.

FOOD AND FARMING

Over 34,000 work in Food and Farming. (Welsh Government, 2014)

Jobs like: Animal Care Worker, Farm Worker, Biological Scientist, Food Process Operative, Food Technologist, Agriculture Engineer and Health and Safety Inspector.

CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

Around 12,000 work in the sector in South West and Mid Wales. (EMSI, 2016)

Jobs like: Presenter, Editor, Journalist, Actor, Photographer, Software Programmer/Coder, Broadcast Engineer, Video Producer and Make-up Artist.

CONSTRUCTION

Over 17,000 work in the sector in South West and Mid Wales. (EMSI, 2016)

Jobs like: Bricklayer, Civil Engineer, Surveyor, Plumber, Carpenter, Architect and Welder.

DO I NEED WELSH LANGUAGE SKILLS?

39% of employers in South Wales and Mid Wales rate having Welsh language skills as important. (Welsh Government, 2018)