





### SCHOOL OF APPLIED SCIENCE

Find out how we can work with you to develop opportunities and build partnerships, sharing experiences and talent through work placements, projects and events.

# develop

At the School of Applied Sciences we have employability at the heart of all courses. We continually develop programmes to meet the needs of organisations by taking a forward thinking and a proactive approach to understanding the skills you want to see in our graduates of the future.

We host a range of employability events throughout the academic year that provide excellent opportunities to engage with our students and recent graduates, both in person and online:

- Hosting a stall at one of our Graduate Careers or Student Placement Fairs
- Presenting at an individual employer 'Spotlight Session'
- Guest speakers on one of our industry panels
- Industry Advisory Groups

We are always open to new ideas on how to engage with industry and can offer bespoke support to enhance your employer brand across campus, so if you have a suggestion for an activity or if you would like to find out more about this please do let us know!

"It is always a great pleasure to engage with Edinburgh Napier and it's Biological Science students. It is particularly encouraging to see a University engaging with businesses to ensure that it's students have the best knowledge, tools and skills to equip them for the future workplace."

**John Murray**Managing Director,
Moredun Scientific

## discover

From career guidance to sports performance, biomedical science to ecotourism, research into human life, human behaviour and our understanding of the environment is at the centre of the School of Applied Sciences. We want to go beyond learning and enable our students to put theory in to practice as they seek to learn how to use sport, social and life sciences to improve the quality and standard of life.

#### **BIOSCIENCES**

**ANIMAL SCIENCE** 

**SOCIAL SCIENCES** 

**TEACHER EDUCATION** 

**PSYCHOLOGY** 

**HEALTH** 

**CRIMINOLOGY** 

**SPORT & EXERCISE** 

**CAREER GUIDANCE** 

"Having a group of students spending four days with us on a short placement was a great experience for our staff and resulted in us gaining an excellent part time support worker for the team."

Shona Pate
Project Worker,
Barnardos (HMP Edinburgh)

# design

We have a variety of placement options to support your business requirements. Including the Micro-Placement Programme, which is a week-long career exploration opportunity, a Volunteering & Employability module that provides 20 hours of volunteering, a PGDip Career Guidance & Development where students gain experience in a further education environment plus the MSc Applied Criminology & Forensic Psychology, BSc Physical Activity & Health and MSc Clinical Exercise Science placements, all of which are 80 hours in length. All placements are designed to provide mutual benefit to both student and employer, with students gaining an insight into an industry related to their field of study and employers a chance to meet with ambitious graduates.

"I gained good practical skills, confidence and a real lab experience. I enjoyed seeing different aspects of the company and different lab techniques."

#### Perrine Decoeur

4th year student, Environmental Biology

"The Micro-Placement was a great opportunity to get some real life experience. I also gained valuable experience of a mock interview and assessment centre."

### **Danai Aivalioti**3rd year student, Psychology





# **STUDENT** FUTURES

### work with us:

The Student Futures team is committed to ensuring that all of our students and graduates are well supported and prepared for successful careers in today's ever-changing labour market.

If you are interested in working with us, please contact:

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