



Digital Degree Apprenticeship Awards Celebration

9 February 2021
11.00-13.00 (online)

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Programme summary

Details valid as of 8 February 2021 but subject to change

Time	Session	Participants
10:30-11:00	Webex open for all attendees to join	
11:00	Welcome	Tom Lovell , MD, Tech Partnership Degrees
11:05	Employer Panel	Jenny Taylor , UK Graduate, Apprenticeship and Student Programme Leader, IBM Kim Brant , Early Talent Partner, IT, AstraZeneca Ruth Jennings , Skills Development Programmes Manager, Sainsbury's Andy Cripps , Managing Director, Quicksilva <i>Facilitator: Nick White, Head of Junior Talent, Fujitsu</i>
11:30	Higher Education Institutions (HEI) Panel	Liz Gorb , Director of Apprenticeships, Manchester Metropolitan University (MMU) Eran Padumadasa , Programme Director Degree Apprenticeships, Queen Mary University London (QMUL) Stella McKnight , Director of Employer Partnerships, University of Winchester Peter Bull , Associate Dean - Northumbria Degree Apprenticeships, QA <i>Facilitator: Brendan O'Rourke, Expert Vice President, Bain & Company</i>
11:55	Degree Apprentice Panel	Ashley West , IBM and University of Exeter Cinderella Ezeanochie , Fujitsu and Manchester Metropolitan University (MMU) Paul Yaw Opong Frimpong , Goldman Sachs and Queen Mary University London (QMUL) Lexi Thomas , Vodafone and QA <i>Facilitator: Rafik Ishani, Director, Deloitte</i>
12:20	Keynote speech	Jennifer Coupland , CEO, Institute for Apprenticeships & Technical Education
12:30	Tech Industry Gold Awards	Presented by Phil Smith CBE , Chair, Tech Partnership Degrees
12:45	Keynote speech	Gillian Keegan , Minister of State for Apprenticeships and Skills
12:55	Close	Tom Lovell , MD, Tech Partnership Degrees

11:00 Welcome

Tom Lovell, MD
Tech Partnership Degrees

A warm welcome to
all attendees and
introduction to the
morning's events.



11:05 Employer Panel



Jenny Taylor

UK Graduate,
Apprenticeship
and Student
Programme Leader



Ruth Jennings

Skills Development
Programmes
Manager



Andy Cripps

Managing Director



Kim Brant

Early Talent
Manager



**Facilitated by
Nick White**

Head of Junior
Talent



11:30 HEI Panel



Liz Gorb

Director of
Apprenticeships



Eran Padumadasa

Programme Director
Degree Apprenticeships



Stella McKnight

Director of Employer
Partnerships



Peter Bull

Associate Dean -
Northumbria Degree
Apprenticeships



Facilitated by
Brendan O'Rourke

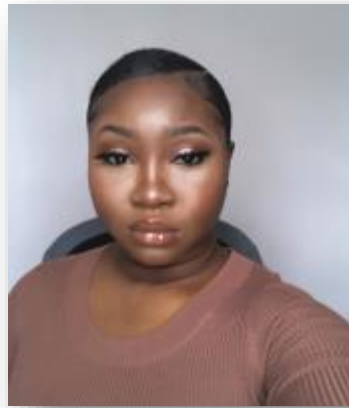
Expert Vice
President



11:55 Degree Apprentice Panel



Ashley West



Cinderella Ezeanochie



Paul Frimpong



Lexi Thomas



Facilitated by
Rafik Ishani

Director

Deloitte.



12:20 **Keynote speech**

Jennifer Coupland
CEO,
Institute for Apprenticeships
& Technical Education





Tech Industry Gold Awards

These new awards recognise the fantastic contribution digital degree apprentices make to building the future for individuals and organisations.

There are awards in three categories - business contribution, innovation, and special achievement.

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Presented by
Phil Smith CBE,
Chair
Tech Partnership Degrees



12:45 **Keynote speech**

Gillian Keegan
Minister of State for
Apprenticeships and Skills



12:55 Close

Tom Lovell, MD
Tech Partnership Degrees

Thank you to our
speakers and all
participants.



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