



# Growing people Growing business

## The London Professional Apprenticeship

The LPA is a new way of learning for London that will create the next generation of networked business people.

It is an enhanced Apprenticeship that combines the benefits of Professional and Business Apprenticeships with the additional training and support that will help young people to succeed in the Capital.

These cohorts of high-performing and motivated young people will help connect businesses, create opportunities and drive growth across London.

### In addition to a Professional and Business Apprenticeship, the LPA includes:

#### Induction event

Creating a sense of community across businesses, delivering core business and interpersonal skills training for the apprentices

#### Business networking events

Building a sustainable network of London business contacts for both employers and learners

#### Mentoring

Providing coaching and support to help apprentices adapt to, develop and add value in the workplace

#### Work placements

Offering apprentices a wide range of employment experiences in the city to build confidence, capability and credibility

#### London-specific training

Developing apprentices' awareness of business opportunities for their employers, through training in subjects such as exporting, entrepreneurship and London's role in the UK and global economy

#### Graduation event

A prestigious event and awards ceremony that recognises the achievements of the apprentices and opens a new chapter in their careers

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### What is an Apprenticeship?

An Apprenticeship is a mix of real work, on and off-the job learning. Apprentices earn a wage and gain real work experience, whilst working towards a nationally recognised qualification.

# A new opportunity

## A new path to success

### Why should I join the LPA?

#### Employer

The LPA will:

- Improve your talent proposition and help you attract highly motivated and talented new recruits;
- Enhance your network across London by connecting your business and your staff with others on the programme;
- Help you grow your business in a cost-effective and sustainable way;
- Provide a structure that will help apprentices adapt to the business environment and add value from early on;
- Have access to a streamlined recruitment process, supporting you in finding the right apprentice for your business.

#### Learner

The LPA will:

- Provide the opportunity to be part of a new prestigious programme;
- Support you in finding the right employer for you;
- Offer a respected higher (up to degree-equivalent) level qualification whilst earning a salary and gaining experience in London;
- Be your entry to a well-connected and supportive community of learners from other businesses in London;
- Provide you with the relevant skills to maximise your opportunities;
- Enable you to benefit from the experience of others through additional support such as mentoring.

### Which Apprenticeship is right for you?

Apprenticeships are available in a wide range of Professional and Business occupations including, but not limited to, the frameworks below:

Project management	HR	Accounting
Business and administration	Management	Bookkeeping
Payroll	Providing financial services	Legal administration
Legal secretarial	Professional services: Tax	Professional services: Audit
Employment related services	Professional services: Management consulting	

**Good for business**  
**Good for young people**  
**Good for London**

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