

LAUNCH YOUR FUTURE

A guide to UCAS and University

by Charity Week Scotland in association with SAMEE

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Applying to University soon? Come to our **FREE** course on **Saturday 17th September!**

With advice from experts and professionals, you can find out all about a career in a range of disciplines and get all your pressing questions answered. Get help with your personal statement and interview guidance, and find out more on what you need to do, to have the best possible chance in getting into the subjects of your choice.

Date: Saturday 17th September 2016
Time: 10.30am - 3pm
Venue: Glasgow Caledonian University,
Facebook event: <http://bit.do/LaunchYourFutureEvent>
Register at: <http://bit.do/LaunchYourFuture>

FREE ENTRY with **lunch provided** on the day.

Experienced professionals, recent graduates and **current students** will be providing insight into what it takes to put together a UCAS application that stands out so that you have the best chance of gaining entry to the subject of your choice.

The **UCAS Masterclass** will consist of various workshops covering the major aspects of the application process applicable to all students, as well as small-group sessions offering **subject-specific admissions advice** across some of the most competitive undergraduate courses. This will include, among much else, **insight into university courses, advice on career prospects, entry requirements, selection of courses, personal statement writing, obtaining relevant work experience, interview skills, mock interviews and admission tests.**

One-to-one personal statement review will also be carried out so it is recommended that all students attending bring a printed draft of their personal statement.

Subject-specific workshops will cater to prospective applicants to the following subjects:

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*****Online registration is open at: <http://bit.do/LaunchYourFuture>**

Spaces are limited and early registration is highly recommended.***

Parents are also welcome to attend. There will be an informative session for the parents of prospective UCAS applicants with the opportunity to ask any questions.

Plus, find out how you can become an Ambassador for CW2016, gain voluntary experience in charity work and enhance your CV skills!

The **UCAS and University** event has been organised by student and graduate volunteers at **Charity Week Scotland** and the **Scottish Association of Minority Ethnic Educators (SAMEE)**.

SAMEE is the minority ethnic educator-led network for educators, pupils and parents in Scotland. SAMEE was established to support and develop minority ethnic educators whilst empowering minority ethnic parents to engage proactively in their children's education and school. **SAMEE's** vision is of a Scottish Education system that is inclusive and responsive to the needs of the diverse communities that it serves: where minority ethnic educators have strong professional and personal identities; and where minority ethnic parents are empowered to proactively engage in their children's education.

Charity Week is a 100% voluntary, student-led initiative that was established in 2003. Over the years it has established itself as an international platform for University students to unite in fundraising for Orphans and Needy Children across the globe. Over £4.3 million has been raised to date by our volunteers with 45 sustainable projects delivered in 19 countries including Central Africa, Europe, the Middle East and Asia, benefiting over 137,500 young lives.

At Charity Week our vision is to help the community by uniting youngsters across schools and institutions. By creating such events and engaging volunteers we are developing students' skills, boosting their confidence, as well as honing leadership and teamwork abilities. We know these skills and experiences are essential in careers and are sought out by universities. Through this event we aim to support the applicants and give assistance and advice in the process of applying to University and provide more detail in their chosen subjects.

If students wish to volunteer with us in fundraising or become a CW Ambassador, please contact our Scotland Representative Zahra Ahmad at scotland.uk@charityweek.com. We are also available to provide resources to volunteers interested in fundraising for CW at institutions of their choice to raise money for a worthy cause.

For further information on the event or Charity Week, please do not hesitate to email us and request a copy of our Information Pack.