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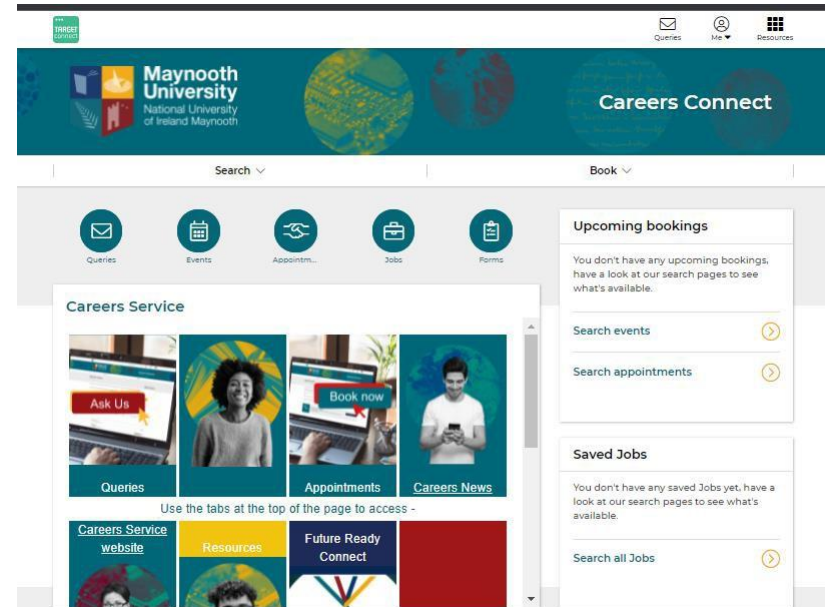
Options after your Degree



How the Careers Service works

- Open Online
- Monday – Friday
- Use Careers Connect to engage with us
- Website

www.maynoothuniversity.ie/careers - lots of useful career/job search information and resources



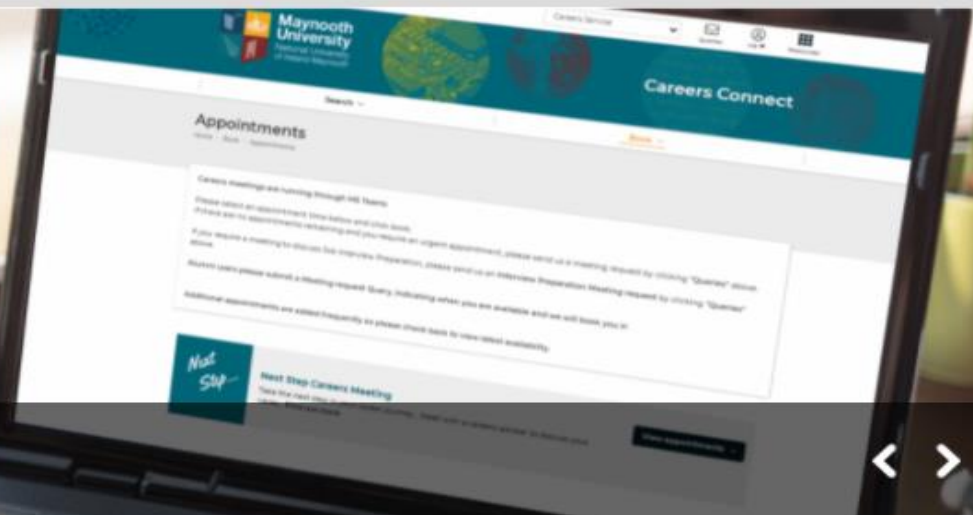
Ask questions & Book Appointments on Careers Connect

Need career advice or don't know where to start?

Our Careers Advisers are available daily

We're available - Connect with Careers

We're here to help you take the next step



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Supports for Students, Graduates & Employers

The Careers Service is open online.

Our team are available to help with your career questions.

Students / Graduates Do you need help with career planning, subject choice, postgraduate study, job search, CVs, interviews or other careers questions?

Ask questions, book career guidance appointments, search for jobs, find careers information. Find out how to [Connect with Careers](#) and take the next step in your career journey.

Employers

Employer liaison staff can be contacted by email - employers@mu.ie

Careers Interest Tests



[Take the tests and explore what careers might interest you](#)

Careers Videos



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What can I do after my degree?

- What would you like to do?
- What are you interested in?
- What if I don't know?.....How do I find this out?

Ready to take the next step?



Your Career Journey

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What's the next step in your career journey?



When you first start thinking about what to do after university, it can sometimes be a daunting prospect! We understand this and have compiled a series of easy-to-follow steps to guide you as you explore options, gather information and make decisions and plans. You can talk to us in the Careers Service at any point along the way - we'll be happy to listen, answer questions and provide advice and information to assist you.

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♥ Step 1 - You

Know what you have

Do you ever find yourself thinking...?

- I don't know where to start?
- What are the options with my degree?
- I have no idea what I'd like to do?
- What are my skills and abilities?
- What career would suit me?

[Start now](#)

➤ Step 2 - Opportunities

Step One - You

- Careers related to your subjects
- Careers with any subject
- Take an Assessment Test which will generate names of careers which may suit your interests

▼ Careers Interest Tests

Careers Interest Tests, Psychometric Tests & Self-Assessment Tests

Use the Assessment Tests below to identify your characteristics and to generate career options that match.

Prospects Planner

As job exploration tool *Prospects Planner* aims to help you to

- Identify what you want out of a job.
- Generate and evaluate job ideas.
- Identify what you can offer to the job/employer.
- Compare options and identify the right types of jobs to apply for.

Profiling for Success

An assessment tool which explores skills, interests, personality and learning styles.

Use your Maynooth University email address to log-in [here - Profiling for Success](#)

When you have completed the tests your report will be emailed to you.

Available Tests -

Verbal Analogies (v1)
Numerical Reasoning Tutorial Test (vA)
Verbal Reasoning Tutorial Test (vA)
Abstract Reasoning Tutorial Test (vA)
Situational Judgement Tutorial Test (v1)
Numerical Reasoning Practice (2019) (v3)
Verbal Reasoning Practice (2019) (v3)
Abstract Reasoning Practice (2019) (v3)
Learning Styles Indicator (vI)
Type Dynamics Indicator Form O (vI)
Values-based Indicator of Motivation (v1)
Career Interest Inventory (Dodec) (v1)



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What job would suit me?



Career Planner

Career Planner matches your skills, motivations and desires to a career that's perfect for you. To get even more from your results, take them to your University or College career adviser.

They'd love to help.

[Register now and take the quiz](#)

[Already registered? Log in and continue](#)

OR

Job Match **beta**

Be inspired by Job Match. Answer questions about what you find interesting, rewarding and purposeful and we'll match you with our job groups containing more than 400 job profiles. See your results in less than 10 minutes.

[Log in or register to start](#)

NEW

What to do after your degree?

- Start before you finish your degree
- Startnow
- Look at your interests (Interest Tests) and skills
- Find out more about the job titles that interestyou
(even if you only have a very vague idea at the moment)
- It is ok not toknow
- It can take time to explore options and find what works for you...ongoing process

What can I do after my degree?

- Do you want to do further study?
- Do you need to do further study for a particular career?
- Do you want a job after you finish your degree?
- Do you want to take some time out?

Step 2 – Opportunities...

What is out there?

Find out more about careers by:

- Researching career areas and job descriptions
- Find out
 - Can you apply to start these jobs after your degree?
 - Do you need a postgraduate qualification?
 - Do you need relevant experience?
- Information Interviewing
- Work experience/shadowing/volunteering

Some options

- **Further study** – in the same area(s) of study as your undergraduate degree
- **Further study** – in a different area(s) of study as your undergraduatedegree
- **Employment** – directly related to the subject you studied
- **Employment** – not directly related to the subject you studied
- **Other** - CV building exercises, work experience, voluntary work, internship, travel, year out to look at career options in more detail...

Why do further study?

- I have an interest (or talent) in my subject and I wish to continue exploring / learning / researching
- I have identified a career area that I wish to enter, and I need further qualifications to gain entry

Conversion courses...

- You can gain entry to a taught postgraduate courses in
almost any subject from your current position
- Conversion courses take the relevant subject material from an undergraduate course and teach it intensively in a postgraduate course
- Accountancy, many Arts subjects, Business, Computer Science/IT, Media, Psychology, some Social Science programmes...



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Postgraduate Study

Postgraduate study or Graduate study refers to any course of study which can be undertaken after completion of an undergraduate (Level 8) degree. In the sections below you can find information on **types of postgraduate courses**, how to research course content, **entry requirements** and **closing dates** and where to look for courses. Apply for postgraduate study can require a significant amount of work which may involve investigating **funding options**, filling in an application form and **writing a personal statement**. You may also wish to look at opportunities to **study abroad**.

➤ [What is Postgraduate Study?](#)

➤ [Should I do a postgraduate course?](#)

➤ [What is a Masters / PhD / Conversion Course?](#)

➤ [How do I find postgraduate courses?](#)

➤ [Entry requirements and Closing dates](#)

➤ [Applications and Personal Statements](#)

➤ [Funding](#)

How to apply...

- Some popular/competitive programmes close early (e.g. December)
- Some stay open until July
- Applications are either at www.pac.ie or on the website of the particular university. Applications usually require university transcripts (results), personal statement & 2 references(or referee names) and possibly a CV.
- Usually one application form per institution. €50 approx. each form
- Contact the course coordinators for more details regarding course content
- Apply to SUSI if applicable and check if the university has additional funding for which you can apply e.g. Taught Masters Bursaries / Scholarships (Contact Graduate Studies Office)

Jobs

- Employers contact the Careers Service on an on-going basis throughout the year
- Jobs advertised on Careers Connect
- Most recruitment takes place during final year
- Think about an internship – valuable experience
- CV and Applications
 - Careers website (Find a Job Section)
 - CV Review: Send a query or book an appointment on Careers Connect

What an employer values...

- Your skill set, which you develop through competing your course work and attending university
- Any subject knowledge or subject specific skill sets you have developed
- Your academic performance (your grades)
- Any other activities you have done e.g. clubs/socs, sports, part-time work, volunteering, work experience

Jobs

- 30%-40% jobs: Any discipline
- How is this possible?
- Think back to the previous “what employers value” slide
- Company will train you in what you need to know.

The job search

- **Advertised**
 - Job ads that appear on job search websites & through other media
- **Recruitment Agencies**
 - Organisations which are paid by a company to find the right person for their vacant job
- **Non-Advertised / Speculative application**
 - Approach an employer yourself where no job is advertised

Graduate Recruitment - Employers



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Students use the Careers Service for help with...Jobs

- Graduate Recruitment still strong despite Covid-19 challenges
- 200+ employers advertised with us last year (2020-2021)

EU and non EU Institutions and Organisations
 Wealth Options Trustees Ltd.
 Local Government Management Agency
 Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine
 The Civil Service (IGEES)
 Department of Foreign Affairs
 Enterprise Ireland
 Hewlett Packard Enterprise
 Meddeas
 Little Harvard
 ESB
 Focus Ireland
 Verizon
 Genpact
 HPE Global Security
 The Waterlab
 Davy
 Tuath Housing
 The Civil Service
 Smurfit Kappa
 Vodafone
 Arup
 Glanbia
 Elan Links
 EY
 Boston Scientific
 Fidelity Investments
 Tridella
 IDA Ireland
 Schneider Electric
 AIB
 KPMG
 Tata Consulting
 Bord Bia
 Dalata Hotel Group
 Jameson
 Liberty IT
 European Parliament
 Nua Healthcare
 Enterprise
 Central Bank
 Children's Books Ireland
 Eirgrid
 Matheson
 Bank of Ireland
 Careers Network, UCD
 Eurofins Scientific
 Pfizer Grange Castle
 The Public Service
 European Investment Bank (Luxembourg)
 Inlecom Commercial Pathways Ireland
 Health Products Regulatory Authority (HPRA)
 National Centre for Guidance in Education
 Frog Prince Weddings & New Moon Blooms
 Pfizer, Ringaskiddy
 Teagasc
 Ornuia
 Junior Einsteins Kildare
 Eversheds Sutherland Law Firm
 Road Safety Authority (RSA)
 McKeogh Gallagher Ryan Accountants
 The European Parliament Liaison Office in London
 Japanese Embassy (Dublin) JET Programme
 Via Ascension Executive Search
 Irish Universities Association (IUA)
 Walkers Global
 HSE (Health Services Executive)
 Vistra Alternative Investments
 UCD
 Peter McVerry Trust
 European Court of Auditors
 Wuxi Biologics
 Musgrave
 Nikon
 Arthur Cox
 Kingspan
 Aldi
 Byrne Wallace
 Sabis
 PWC
 A&L Goodbody
 Citi
 TMC Ireland
 Bevcraft Group
 An Post
 Optum (Dublin)
 Deloitte
 Accenture
 IBEC
 ESRI
 Aer Lingus
 Kerry
 Moran McKinley
 Footprint Underwriting
 EU and Non EU Institutions & Organisations
 First Derivatives
 Amazon
 DCC
 Renatus
 Abbott
 NHS
 Applegreen
 Dillon Eustace
 Bristol Myers Squibb
 Court of Justice European Union
 Law Reform Commission
 Field Fisher
 Pfizer, Ringaskiddy
 DDLETB (Dublin and Dún Laoghaire Education and Training Board)
 Office of the Revenue Commissioners



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Employers begin recruiting early in final year

- Graduate Jobs
- Graduate Programmes
- Recruitment begins early for some firms
Law, Accounting, Pharma, Business, IT
- Important to begin planning before final year

Browse Jobs on Careers Connect

Search jobs for Maynooth University students & graduates

Go to Careers Connect

Search Graduate Jobs, Graduate Programmes, Graduate Internships, Immediate Start and Entry-Level roles.

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Find a job

Finding a job is a process that takes a lot of work. In fact the more work you put into the process the easier your job search could be. In this section we have provided information and useful links to help at every stage throughout this process. In the beginning you may need to [Get Experience](#), either to explore if this area of work is right for you or you could be using this experience to enhance your CV. Doing some [Volunteering](#) or taking up an [Internship](#) can be a good means of gaining experience.

If you are ready to start applying for jobs using our [Job Search Strategies](#) will help identify where to find available yet sometimes not obvious opportunities. Making a good application is a crucial step and [CVs and Applications](#) provides tips on CVs, cover letters and application forms.

Each year Maynooth University Careers Service works closely with many employers seeking to recruit Maynooth University students and graduates.

The graphic shows the MU FutureConnect logo at the top, with 'CAREERS AND EMPLOYABILITY PORTAL' underneath. Below this, there are two main sections: 'Careers Connect' and 'Future Ready Connect'. 'Careers Connect' includes links for 'One to One Careers Appointments', 'Send questions to Careers Advisers', 'Graduate Jobs, Graduate Programmes, Internships & more', 'Careers Information & Employability Resources', 'Career Related Events', and 'Set Job & Event email alerts'. 'Future Ready Connect' includes links for 'Undergraduate Summer, Micro or research Internships', 'Employer Insight Days and Competitions', 'Alumni Mentoring', 'Virtual Work Experiences and Insights', 'Employability Resources and Upskill Pathways', and 'Maynooth University Student Experience (MUSE) Awards'.

Final years can apply for Graduate Jobs, Graduate Programmes, Graduate Internships

These jobs are advertised on [Careers Connect](#) - (Careers Connect is part of [MU FutureConnect](#) - your [Careers & Employability portal](#))

Find graduate jobs,
graduate programmes
and immediate start
positions

The screenshot displays the Maynooth University Careers Connect website. At the top, the 'Careers Service' dropdown menu is highlighted with a red arrow. The 'Jobs' section is circled in yellow. Below the 'Jobs' header, a search bar and a 'Book' button are visible. The main content area shows a list of job results. The first result is 'Education Services (ASD) Pre-School Tutors' by Jonix, with a description of the role and a 'more...' link. The second result is 'Process Engineers (Graduate Opportunity) - Apply Asap| Year Round Recruitment' by Intel, with a description of the role and a 'more...' link. The third result is 'Telecoms Engineer (Graduate Opportunity) - Apply Asap Before 3/9/21' by Dublin Telecom. On the left side, there are filters for 'Active filters', 'Quick search' (Text search, Reference ID search, Organisation search), 'Job Type', and 'Occupational Areas' (Accountancy and financial management, Banking, insurance and financial services, Engineering, IT and Telecoms, Languages and culture, Law, legal services and patents, Logistics and transport). A red arrow points to the 'Jobs Archive' link.

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Search below for Graduate Jobs, Graduate Programmes, Graduate Internships, Immediate start jobs & relevant part-time jobs.

To find Undergraduate Summer, Micro or Research Internships, Insight Days and Competitions, use the drop-down menu to switch to the Experiential Learning Office FutureReady Connect page

Jobs Archive

Active filters

Reset

Save this search

Quick search

Text search

Reference ID search

Organisation search

Job Type

Occupational Areas

Match all | Match any

☐ Accountancy and financial management

☐ Banking, insurance and financial services

☐ Engineering

☐ IT and Telecoms

☐ Languages and culture

☐ Law, legal services and patents

☐ Logistics and transport

1 to 50 of 27 results

Sort by: Published (Descending)

Display by:

Education Services (ASD) Pre-School Tutors

Jonix

Dublin, Kildare, Meath | Salary: Competitive

Jonix Educational Services has been working with young children diagnosed with an Autistic Spectrum Disorder (ASD) since 2002. We currently have 8 centres located throughout Dublin, Kildare and Meath. Jonix operate specialised preschool classes that offer a unique and individualised learning experience. [more...](#)

Closes on 30-Sep-2021

Process Engineers (Graduate Opportunity) - Apply Asap| Year Round Recruitment

Intel

Kildare | Salary: Competitive

We lead the semiconductor industry by creating innovative technologies. As part of an Intel Engineering and Science team you will undergo a comprehensive training programme designed to support you. These Process Engineering roles are based in Leixlip. What you will do: Participate as part of a... [more...](#)

Closes on 31-Dec-2021

Telecoms Engineer (Graduate Opportunity) - Apply Asap Before 3/9/21

Dublin Telecom



gradireland

gradireland.com
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Useful Job Search links



ActiveLink



www.ahead.ie



www.comhlamh.org



www.dochas.ie



www.educationposts.ie



creativeaccess.org.uk

Creative Access helps young people from under-represented communities (including black, Asian and other non-white minority ethnic or BAME backgrounds, as well as those with a lower

Further Information

- American Firms in Ireland
- Job Search Resources**
- More Job Search Links
- Part-time Work / Summer Work

EUJOBS.IE

<https://www.dfa.ie/eujobs/>



For Purpose is Ireland's nonprofit graduate programme.

indeed

Indeed.com: Job site inc 400+ graduate jobs in Ireland, also internships

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techlifeireland

InterTradeIreland
Discover what's possible

InterTradeIreland Graduate Jobs in Science, Engineering, Technology



StudentVolunteer.ie



VolunteerKildare
Volunteer.ie

Step 3: Decision

- From Step 1 – what have you learned about what you want from your careers & what skills you have to offer?
- From Step 2 – What have you learned from your research on what opportunities are available to you?
- Careers Centre – do you want to talk to an adviser?

Book careers appointments

The screenshot shows the Maynooth University Careers Connect website. The header includes the university logo and 'Careers Connect' text. A navigation bar contains 'Search' and 'Book' links. The 'Appointments' section is highlighted with a yellow circle. Below it, a white box contains instructions: 'Careers meetings are running through MS Teams', 'Please select an appointment time below and click book.', 'If there are no appointments remaining and you require an urgent appointment, please send us a meeting request by clicking "Queries" above.', 'If you require a meeting to discuss Job Interview Preparation, please send us an Interview Preparation Meeting request by clicking "Queries" above.', and 'Additional appointments are added frequently so please check back to view latest availability.' Below this, a 'Next Step...' banner features the text 'Next Step Careers Meeting' and 'Take the next step in your career journey... Meet with a careers adviser to discuss your career... Find out more', with a 'View appointments' button.

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Careers meetings are running through MS Teams

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Next Step Careers Meeting

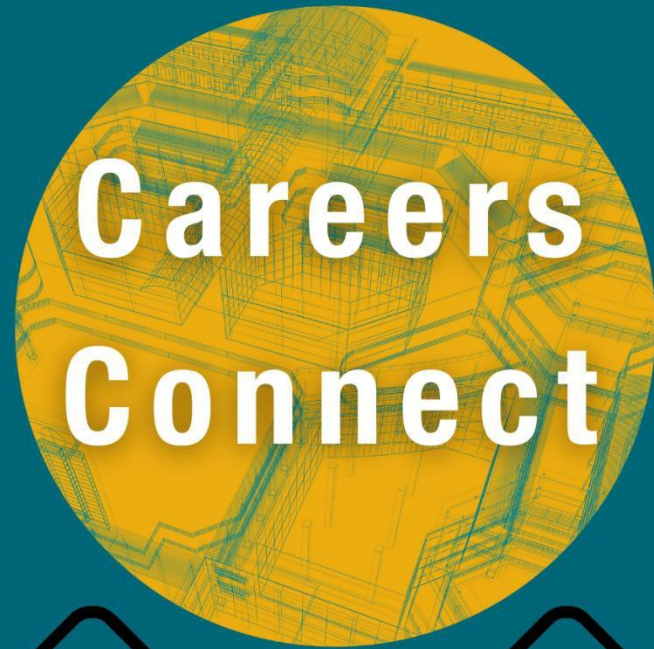
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Careers Connect – Current Students

<http://mu.ie/careers-connect>

- **Send a Query** – Careers Advisers answer your questions e.g. Career plans, application/job search questions, CV reviews
- Search and Apply for **Jobs**
- Book **career guidance meetings** with Careers Advisers
- View Careers/Recruitment **Events**
- Set up Job/Events **email alerts**



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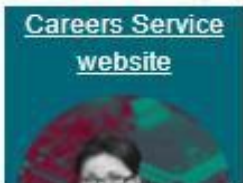


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Resources provided by the Careers Service | Maynooth University to support you in your career exploration.

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CareerSet CV Review
Platform
CareerSet



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ShortListMe Video
Interview Platform
ShortListMe



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Ask questions, book career guidance appointments, search for jobs, find careers information. Find out how to [Connect with Careers](#) and take the next step in your career journey.

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Careers Connect is part of MU FutureConnect - your **Careers & Employability** portal, and is your one stop shop to engage with the Careers Service. On **Careers Connect** you can ask questions and/or book meetings with careers advisers and view our Jobs and Events Listings. You can also set email alerts for jobs and events.

Current MU Registered Students (Undergraduate and Postgraduate)

[Login with your MU login details](#)

Once you have logged in to the system you can update your profile and if you wish, sign up for email alerts from us on advertised jobs and up-coming careers events.



[Send us your questions](#)



[Book Careers Appointments](#)

Any Questions?

The Careers Service team are here to help you.

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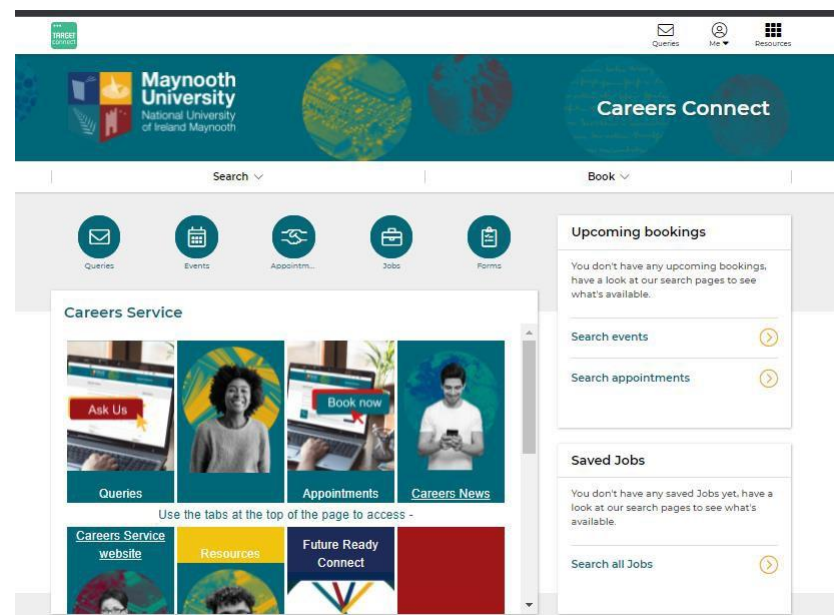
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