

How can YOU inspire the next generation of professionals to

Get

into

Finance

Support an insight day

Offer work experience

Speak to young people about your career

We are looking for financial services firms of all shapes and sizes to partner with us to offer work experience opportunities to Year 12 & 13 students studying CISI qualifications at schools and colleges.

Our aim is to connect motivated students with employers to support their learning experience and to promote financial services as an achievable career choice.

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"I am delighted to be associated with the CISI's work experience initiative, and team of educational specialists. The initiative itself underpins the Thesis belief that the industry can, and should, play a large and constructive part in financial education. The CISI has made this easier for us with a team of experts who can provide practical support, literature and guidance."

Kate Nathoo, Chartered FCSI,  
Office Director, Thesis Asset  
Management

## Reasons for your firm to be involved:

Fulfil your Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) commitments

Access a pool of talented young people who are interested in working in banking and finance and build links with local schools

Provide your staff with the opportunity to mentor and supervise young people

Raise the profile for your firm by supporting your local community and potentially gaining local media coverage

Young people provide a fresh perspective as well as providing you with an additional resource. You can gain insight into how your products and services might relate to a younger audience.

## Myth busting- there is little bureaucracy and red tape!

- ✓ Employers do not need to carry out an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Services (formerly CRB) check on members of staff supervising young people 16 and over.
- ✓ Employers' liability insurance automatically covers work experience students, provided insurers are members of the Association of British Insurers or Lloyds. This can be confirmed with your insurance company.
- ✓ Simplified Health & Safety guidance makes it clear that, if organisations already employ young people, risk assessments won't need to be repeated for work experience students.

If you are interested in finding out more about how to get involve in the CISI's education initiatives please contact the CISI Education Development team on +44 20 7645 0714 or [educationdevelopment@cisi.org](mailto:educationdevelopment@cisi.org)