



Tomorrow's Engineers Week Power Up Your Passion!

Meet Morgan...

What does your role involve?

During my Project Management Year in Industry, I'm part of the A417 Missing Link project team. My role includes engaging with residents and stakeholders, showing members of the public our works progress on site, overseeing written responses to customer feedback and going on site tours to compliment meetings regarding risk, environment, quality, cost and other significant factors.

What skills did you learn at school that help you in your current role?

There are many transferrable skills to learn at school that will help an individual excel in their career. As a project manager, I was able to hit the ground running thanks to my university course and its focus on writing compellingly, thinking critically, analysis and the importance of staying organised.

What originally appealed to you about your program?

I'm completing my placement as part of a degree in history and sociology. I was keen to join the program at National Highways to apply the transferrable skills I'd learned from previous work and study, whilst also learning about a role that I could easily see myself in after my course. Being in public sector, my role opens a lot of avenues for my career after university and really feels like I'm making a positive impact on a lot of people.



Morgan Kimber
Year In Industry – Project Management

What do you love about your role?

Each day is different. One day, I could be in the site office writing responses to customers who have written into our Customer Contact Centre regarding diversions, signage, closures and anything you can think of. The next, I might be jumping between calls reviewing the month's progress or milestones and heading out to check that progress up close with the structural team. My PPE bag is always ready in the boot of my car!

What career advice would you give your younger self?

Not to shy away from any industries based on your initial perception of them. I'd never have envisioned myself working in construction, and it's totally different to what I expected before my induction.

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