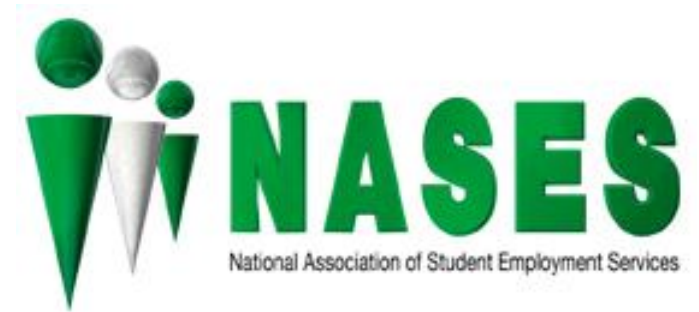


Working as you learn: integrating student jobs into employability initiatives

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- What is a student Job?
- Why do students work?
- What do they do?
- How many hours do they work?
- How do they find student jobs?

*Supporting undergraduates to find
part time, temporary, & vacation work*

- Sector still developing
- First service opened in 1990
- Over 120 job shops throughout the UK
- Run mainly out of careers services or student's unions
- Most popular service style – basic job centre

Institution Focus

- Impacts student recruitment
- Increased level of service to student consumers
- Fills on campus roles and can impact the bottom line
- Impacts student retention
- Local corporate contacts
- Widening participation
- Employability agenda
- University pro-active in monitoring hours worked
- Increased foot fall

Job Shop Services for Employers

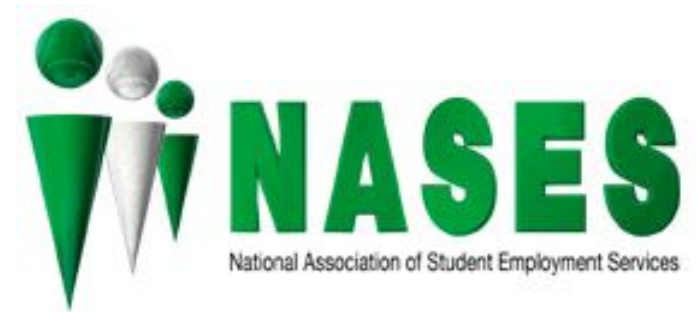
- Wide range of recruitment services
- One point of contact
- Advice and guidance
- Value for money
- Excellent student staff
 - Committed
 - Intelligent
 - Specialist skills
 - IT Literate
 - New ideas and latest research
 - Employ following graduation

What does a Job Shop offer students?

- One stop shop
- Wide variety of jobs – both on and off campus
- Employers briefed
- Advice and guidance
- Training and Workshops
- Employability Skills

How?

- Workshops & Seminars
- Advice and Guidance
- Getting the balance right
- Employability Awards
- Work Experience Links
- Employer Engagement Strategy



NASES

- Industry Professional Association
- Established 1999
- Supports institution owned services
- Over 100 members

NASES Objectives:

- Supporting Student Employment Practitioners
- Further develop the student employment sector
- Support student workers
- Facilitate employers in recruiting students
- Maintaining a NASES central office function

Current Activity

- www.recruitstudents.co.uk
- Postgraduate qualifications with Warwick University
- Student Employee of the Year awards
- National Student Employment Week
- NASES Conference – Birmingham 11-12 July 2011
- PMI2 employability projects for international students