

# The time is now.



DRIVE FORWARD

MOMENTUM MADE BY YOU

## Become a partner. Make a difference.

The Covid-19 Pandemic has already had a severe impact on young people's employment prospects. It is young people leaving the care system who will be hit the hardest, unprepared for the challenges that await them.

### We need to act now

At Drive Forward Foundation we enable vulnerable young adults who have grown up in the care system to achieve their full potential. We are seeking corporate partners to act now and provide care leavers with the support, experience and skills to build a successful career.

We're looking for partners who can:



**Offer** opportunities for upskilling through (remote) work placements that combine learning with practical experience



**Provide** opportunities such as paid internships, apprenticeships or jobs to care leavers\*



**Fund** Drive Forward Foundation's programmes and activities which engage and prepare individuals leaving care for employment.

\*Under the government's new Kickstart scheme you will be able to recover the cost of a six-month placement. [Read more.](#)

### Drive Forward Foundation

Over the past decade we have worked with over 2000 young people; enabling them to build skills, gain experience and successfully move into sustainable careers. Our corporate partners are pivotal to this success, offering individuals opportunities to learn, develop and thrive.

**Our team will help you to maximise your impact through:**

- An on-boarding workshop for your staff
- A dedicated account manager to support your team
- Regular partner networking events and training sessions
- Pre-placement training for your staff on providing the right support to young people joining your team

Our Impact  
2019-2020

77

individuals went into full-time employment

50

work placements and internships provided by our partners

201

young people moved into employment, training, and education

### Become a partner, make a difference

Take this opportunity to inspire and motivate your people, have a positive impact in your local community, and add true diversity to your business.

Get in touch with [lucy@driveforwardfoundation.org](mailto:lucy@driveforwardfoundation.org) and explore how you can make a difference.

