



Jahangir - Apprentice Broadcast Engineer

## Jahangir enjoys solving problems. A chance to work at the BBC was the best possible solution.

After leaving school Jahangir wanted to work in some form of diagnostics. Medicine was tempting, but he decided his passion was with engineering. Now he's doing a BBC apprenticeship which includes a sponsored degree and multiple work placements.

It was while volunteering at a community TV channel that Jahangir realised his vocation. "It was just something I could really see myself doing day in, day out".

He is now completing a ten-week placement with the BBC's engineering team in New Broadcasting House, while also studying towards his broadcast engineering degree. "This is a once in a lifetime opportunity - it's amazing to be here".

The team provides technical support across the entire BBC multi-platform output for News, World Service, Audio and Music. "That's a lot of running around if things go wrong!" he admits.

Jahangir believes that technology offers great opportunities for career progress - and he really enjoys it. "I wake up every morning wanting to come to work and learn something new".

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2013  
Work experience at a community TV channel, shadowing engineers

2014  
Work experience at a hospital, shadowing consultants and doctors in various departments

2015  
Left school having completed AS Levels in Physics, Maths, Chemistry and Biology as well as the Extended Project Qualification (EPQ)

2016  
BBC Engineering Apprenticeship which consists of 7 work placement rotations across Radio/TV, Production System and Operational Support, working at the BBC, ITV, BFBS, Arqiva, CNN and Babcock

