

Transforming Edmonton EcoPark



Skilled jobs available in Edmonton

Recruitment is now underway to create a talent pool of skilled construction and engineering roles needed to help our contractor ACCIONA build the next stage of north London's new high-tech Energy Recovery Facility.

As part of NLWA's commitment to boost the local economy, the objective is for at least 25% of roles to be filled by local people. If you are interested in finding out about the roles on offer, we are running a recruitment fair on Monday 19 February 2024 at the Engine Room in Tottenham Hale.



Skilled construction and engineering roles needed

To register and join the recruitment talent pool visit www.edmontonerf.nrl.co.uk or scan the QR code:



North London Waste Authority (NLWA) is transforming Edmonton EcoPark. World-class recycling and waste infrastructure is being built including the UK's most advanced energy recovery facility. It will continue to prevent rubbish going to landfill and use it to make heat and power for local homes. There will also be vast new recycling facilities and an education and visitors' centre. For local people, there are loads of opportunities including apprenticeships and training placements, as well as grants and benefits for local organisations.

Apprentice spotlight

New apprentices continue to join us, with 39 apprentices having worked with us so far. Throughout the project, we're offering at least 100 apprenticeships across a range of highly-skilled roles, as well as 225 on-site training placements for local people who are school or college leavers, or without work.

Hear from one of our apprentices about the career experience he has gained.

Tamas from Waltham Forest, is a Project Controls apprentice with ACCIONA.



What skills have you developed so far as part of your apprenticeship?

"I've had the chance to dive into the details of Project Controls, such as Risk and Cost Management, scheduling and reporting. Having come from a different career background in hospitality, I've had the chance to get used to the office environment and to navigate tasks with different departments."

What is your biggest achievement on your apprenticeship to date?

"Through the projects' Reverse Mentoring program, I've gained confidence in my role, and it has also helped guide the direction I'd like to go in with my career. I hope to gain more valuable experience working in a well-established organisation, and a greater level of confidence in Project Controls to help deliver construction projects in the future."

Trainee update

Our trainee programme is available for local people with a focus on connecting young or unemployed people into jobs. Last year we offered a series with Women into Construction where two trainees have subsequently moved into full-time employment through connections made on the programme.

Antionette had a placement with RLB where she learned about quantity surveying and construction management. She's now working in RLB's London branch as an Assistant Project Manager and said the experience was "an amazing opportunity to meet so many people across the industry".



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Construction anniversary

We're celebrating five years of construction to transform Edmonton EcoPark! Brand-new recycling facilities have been constructed and will open shortly. Facilities include a visitor and community centre, powered by solar energy and ground source heat pumps.

Visit northlondonheatandpower.london/news to learn more.