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for IT

MEMBERSHIP FOR APPRENTICES

YOUR FUTURE AWAITS

CONGRATULATIONS

You're preparing for one of the most important and exciting careers of the millennium. In just a few years you'll be changing (perhaps saving) lives, fuelling economic growth, transforming cultures, keeping us all informed, connected and on the move.

Technology powers every aspect of our lives and will continue to reveal its incredible potential with your help. You will be rewarded well, both financially (salaries in the tech industry are well above the UK average) and with a noble sense of pride and achievement.

So enjoy your heroic status, because we think the future is safe in your hands... and we'd like to help you launch your spectacular career in the best way we can.

Up for it? EXCELLENT.

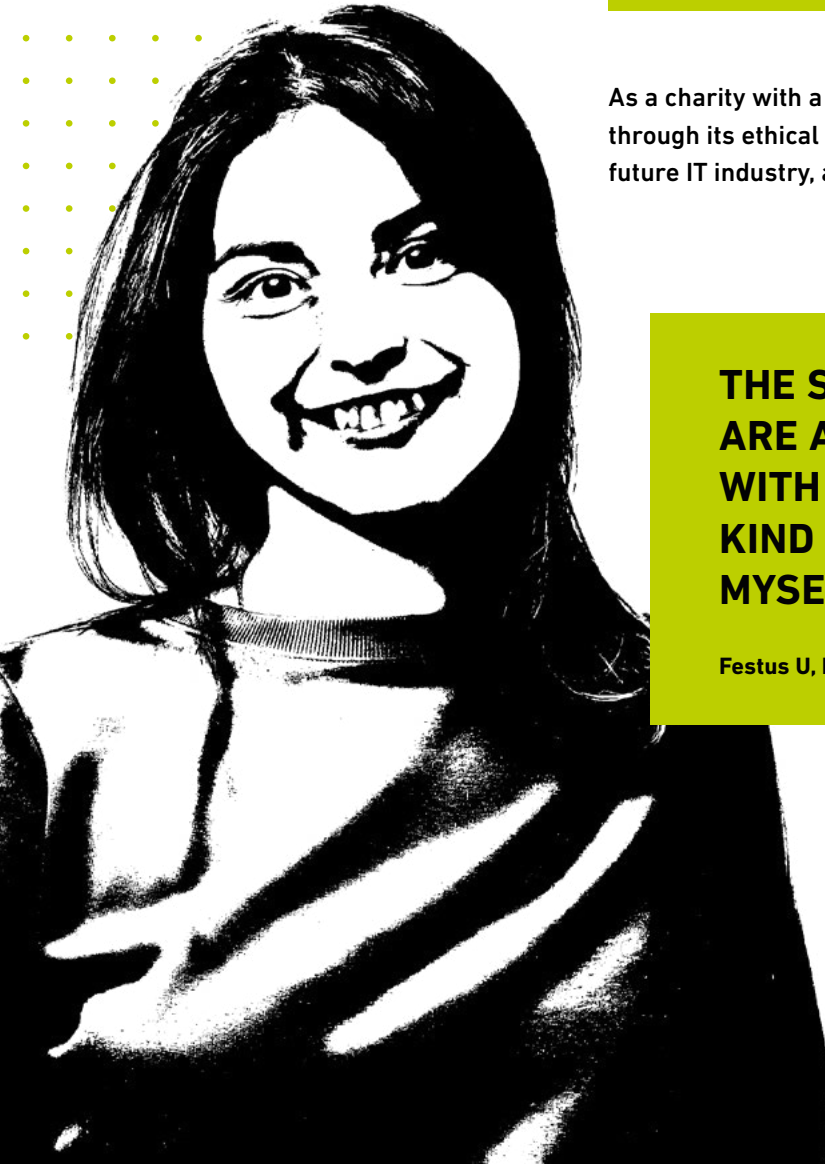
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JOINING US AS A MEMBER OPENS UP ACCESS TO TOOLS, SERVICES, AND NETWORKS TO HELP YOU PROGRESS IN YOUR STUDIES AND CAREER – NOW, AND IN THE FUTURE, AT EVERY STAGE OF YOUR PROGRESSION.



WHO ARE BCS?

As a charity with a royal charter, our agenda is to lead the IT industry through its ethical challenges. We are here to support the current and future IT industry, and to make IT good for society.



**THE SPECIALIST GROUP MEETINGS
ARE A REAL CHANCE TO NETWORK
WITH PEOPLE WHO ARE DOING THE
KIND OF WORK I HOPE TO BE DOING
MYSELF, IN A COUPLE OF YEARS**

Festus U, BCS Student member

SUPPORTING YOU AND YOUR STUDIES



MAKE YOUR CV STAND OUT FROM THE CROWD

CV360 is free with your membership and helps you to beat the toughest of algorithms used in recruitment processes. With this clever assessment tool, you can troubleshoot accidental typos, get tips on key words and improve readability to make your CV beat the machine.



DEVELOP YOUR SKILLS WITH SPRINGBOARD

Our Springboard personal career centre is packed full of bitesize learning, assessment tools and advice to help you get your first job and develop essential workplace skills.



ACCESS TO INDUSTRY-EXPERT MENTORS

Our mentoring scheme offers priceless support from someone a few steps ahead of you on your career path. A mentor can help with career progression, decision making, inter-personal and professional skills as well as increased confidence.

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GET RECOGNITION FOR YOUR ACHIEVEMENTS

Your studies and qualifications are an important measure of your current knowledge and skills, but professional registrations demonstrate your continued development and competence. Use our tools to reach RITTech or Chartered IT Professional standards.



GAIN INDUSTRY KNOWLEDGE AND INSIGHT

Our exclusive membership magazine, ITNOW, to keep you up to date with issues, innovations and advancements in the world of tech. You can log into MyBCS at any time to access our latest research and insights.



AWARD WINNING INDUSTRY EVENTS

Our events calendar is packed with webinars, talks and conferences, a great way to hear about the latest topics and trends within tech.

BEGINNING YOUR JOURNEY

When you complete your end-point assessment, to us that's actually the beginning of your journey as an IT professional. BCS supports your next steps in continuous professional development with direct entry onto the RITTech Register (Register of IT Professionals).



You may want to remain working for your same employer and use your newly qualified status to look for a more senior position, or you may begin searching for a role in another organisation.

We can help you boost your prospects through our tools, content and networking opportunities and support you throughout your studies and into the industry.





See you at