



Building Heroes Employer Network - Opportunities Newsletter

October

We work with a wide range of industry partners and supporters to enhance your transition to civilian life, offering opportunities to gain civilian experience through introductions to employers who value and actively support the Armed Forces community.

Before you explore an opportunity

Before you explore an opportunity: please contact Helen Faulding first at helenf@buildingheroes.org.uk. Please do not approach employers directly, as some opportunities are coordinated through Building Heroes introductions and partner relationships, we want to support you on your civilian career journey.

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Morgan Sindall

Morgan Sindall Group plc is a UK construction and regeneration company, headquartered in London employing around 6,700 employees and operating in the public, regulated and private sectors. It operates through three divisions: Fit Out, Construction Services, and Partnerships.

Organisation summary	Approved Excel content
Opportunity type	Work placements and employment opportunities
Location / coverage	National

Current opportunities

Operations Director

Vacancy | Operations Management

Salary / rate: Competitive | Location: North East & Cumbria | Closing date: 30 November 2026

Contract / working pattern: Full Time -37.5hr per week

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Key requirements: [details via link](#)

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Project Manager

Vacancy | Operations Management

Salary / rate: Competitive | Location: North - Wakefield | Closing date: 30 October 2026

Contract / working pattern: Full Time -37.5hr per week

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Key requirements: [details via link](#)

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Document Controller

Vacancy | Office

Salary / rate: Competitive | Location: North East & Cumbria | Closing date: 30 October 2026

Contract / working pattern: Full Time -37.5hr per week

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Key requirements: [details via link](#)

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Building Services Manager

Vacancy | Operations Management

Salary / rate: Competitive | Location: North West, Manchester | Closing date: 01 November 2026

Contract / working pattern: Full Time -37.5hr per week

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Key requirements: details via link

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Career Forces

CareerForces UK is a socially responsible recruitment organisation that helps veterans and key workers move into meaningful civilian employment while supporting employers to recruit experienced, highly skilled talent.

Organisation summary	Approved Excel content
Opportunity type	Recruitment route for veterans, key workers and experienced candidates
Location / coverage	National

Current opportunities

Mechanical Project Engineer

Vacancy | Operations

Salary / rate: AUD\$150,000-\$250,000 | Location: Perth or Sydney

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Key requirements: details via link

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Framework Manager - NFDC

Vacancy | Operations Management

Salary / rate: upto £65,000 DOE | Location: Fareham

details via link

Key requirements: details via link

Benefits: +£8,000 car allowance

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Electrician

Vacancy | Operations

Salary / rate: £43,000 | Location: Southampton

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Key requirements: details via link

Benefits: VAN

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HGV Technician

Vacancy | Operations

Salary / rate: upto £50,000 | Location: Stansted

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Key requirements: details via link

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Project Manager- HVCA/Electrical

Vacancy | Operations Management

Salary / rate: AUD\$150,000-\$250,000 | Location: Five major Australian cities

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Key requirements: details via link

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Electrician

Vacancy | Operations

Salary / rate: £43,000 | Location: Eastleigh

details via link

Key requirements: details via link

Benefits: VAN

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Multi-Trade Operative-Empty Homes

Vacancy | Operations

Salary / rate: £38,847 | Location: Bracknell

details via link

Key requirements: details via link

Benefits: VAN

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Site Engineer

Vacancy | Operations

Salary / rate: £40,000-£45,0000 | Location: Snowdonia, Wales

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Key requirements: details via link

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Lovell

Lovell is a UK housebuilder, part of Morgan Sindall Group, that designs, builds and refurbishes homes across the country. They deliver private-sale, affordable and shared-ownership housing, often working with councils and housing associations. Lovell focuses on sustainable construction, modern building methods and energy-efficient homes.

Organisation summary	Approved Excel content
Opportunity type	Work placements and employment opportunities
Location / coverage	National

Current opportunities

Trainee Assistant Site Manager

Vacancy | Operations Management

Salary / rate: DOE | Location: Weymouth, Dorset

Contract / working pattern: Full Time

Accountable for all on site activities in their area, supporting the Site Team towards achieving business objectives, and achieving full compliance with Lovell internal systems.

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Building Heroes Property Services

BHPS is a property-services company made up of skilled tradespeople who are ex-military servicemen and women and, in some cases, their families.

Organisation summary	Approved Excel content
Opportunity type	Self-employed property maintenance, repairs, retrofit and snagging
Location / coverage	National

Current opportunities

General Operatives

Self-employed route | Operations

Salary / rate: to be discussed | Location: Essex

Contract / working pattern: Self - Employed

Involves a range of general property maintenance, including: general handyman work, plumbing, electrical work, repairs & maintenance.

Key requirements: We are looking for reliable, skilled operatives who would be interested in taking on regular scheduled work, rather than just the occasional job.

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Retrofit Assessors

Self-employed route | Operations

Salary / rate: to be discussed | Location: M25/Kent

Contract / working pattern: Self - Employed

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Handymen

Self-employed route | Operations

Salary / rate: to be discussed | Location: M25 and London

Contract / working pattern: Self - Employed

To cover larger scopes of work including damp and mould.

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Handymen

Self-employed route | Operations

Salary / rate: to be discussed | Location: Hampshire, Portsmouth, Southampton, Aldershot/Sussex

Contract / working pattern: Self - Employed

Handyman duties

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Bricklayers

Self-employed route | Operations

Salary / rate: to be discussed | Location: North East

Contract / working pattern: Self - Employed

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Plumbers

Self-employed route | Operations

Salary / rate: to be discussed | Location: North East

Contract / working pattern: Self - Employed

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Electricians

Self-employed route | Operations

Salary / rate: to be discussed | Location: North East

Contract / working pattern: Self - Employed

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General Handyman

Self-employed route | Operations

Salary / rate: to be discussed | Location: North East

Contract / working pattern: Self - Employed

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Cleaners

Self-employed route | Operations

Salary / rate: to be discussed | Location: Plymouth & Cuffley

Contract / working pattern: Self - Employed

Key requirements: CSCS card although willing will look at non CSCS card holders but they must be willing to work towards it.

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FastFix Joinery

FastFix Joinery Ltd is a Northumberland-based joinery contractor that delivers installation and carpentry services for construction, renovation and property improvement projects across the region.

Organisation summary	Approved Excel content
Opportunity type	Roofing / joinery pathway
Location / coverage	North East

Current opportunities

Pre Boarders

Vacancy | Operations

Salary / rate: DOE | Location: Throughout Northeast

Contract / working pattern: Full-time

Pre board vacancies available. An opportunity for multi trade personnel to follow on into joinery work. Part of a small team being shown how to get plots ready to handover for CML and then progressing onto either 1st or 2nd fix joinery

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Amey

Amey is a major UK infrastructure and engineering services company that designs, maintains and operates critical assets such as roads, rail systems and public facilities. With thousands of staff across the UK, it provides highways maintenance, rail engineering, consultancy, asset management and facilities services, with a strong focus on sustainability and improving public infrastructure.

Organisation summary	Approved Excel content
Opportunity type	Facilities, maintenance, plumbing, electrical and FM roles
Location / coverage	National

Current opportunities

On-Site Electrician

Vacancy | Operations

Location: NRS Harwell - Oxfordshire

Contract / working pattern: 37hrs pw

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Key requirements: [details via link](#)

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General Building Operative

Vacancy | Operations

Location: NRS Berkeley - Gloucestershire

Contract / working pattern: 37.5hrs pw

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On-Site Electrician

Vacancy | Operations

Location: NRS Hinkley Point - Somerset

Contract / working pattern: 37.5hrs pw

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Key requirements: [details via link](#)

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Assistant Project Manager

Vacancy | Operations Management

Location: NRS Oldbury Power Station - South Gloucestershire

Contract / working pattern: 37.5hrs pw

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Key requirements: details via link

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Assistant Project Manager

Vacancy | Operations Management

Location: NRS Berkeley - Gloucestershire

Contract / working pattern: 37.5hrs pw

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Key requirements: details via link

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Project Manager

Vacancy | Operations Management

Location: NRS Berkeley - North Bristol

Contract / working pattern: 37.5hrs pw

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Key requirements: details via link

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Project Manager

Vacancy | Operations Management

Location: NRS Winfrith - Dorchester

Contract / working pattern: 37.5hrs pw

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Key requirements: details via link

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Project Manager

Vacancy | Operations Management

Location: NRS Harwell - 404 Rutherford Avenue

Contract / working pattern: 40hrs pw

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Key requirements: details via link

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On-Site Electrician

Vacancy | Operations

Location: NRS Hunterston A Site - West Kilbride

Contract / working pattern: 37hrs pw

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Key requirements: details via link

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Cawarden

Cawarden is a well-established UK contractor specialising in demolition and site preparation services, with nearly four decades of experience in helping transform redundant or contaminated sites into development-ready land.

Organisation summary	Approved Excel content
Opportunity type	Plant, demolition, civils, construction
Location / coverage	National

Current opportunities

Plant Fitter / Mechanic

Vacancy | Operations

Location: UK

Contract / working pattern: Full-time

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Demolition Operative

Vacancy | Operations

Location: Site Based, UK

Contract / working pattern: Full-time

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Plant Operator

Vacancy | Operations

Location: UK

Contract / working pattern: Full-time

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Health & Safety Advisor

Vacancy | Operations

Location: UK

Contract / working pattern: Full-time

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Setting Out Engineer

Vacancy | Operations

Location: UK

Contract / working pattern: Full-time

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Civils & Groundworks Site Manager

Vacancy | Operations

Location: UK

Contract / working pattern: Full-time

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Bernicia

Providing quality homes and services to people in the North East for over 50 years, earning a reputation as one of the country's leading housing providers

Organisation summary	Approved Excel content
Opportunity type	Housing association
Location / coverage	North East

Current opportunities

Health & Safety Advisor

Vacancy | Operations

Salary / rate: up to £43,282 | Location: Ashington | Closing date: 09 October 2026

Contract / working pattern: Permanent, 37hrs per week

undertaking a full range of health and safety and related admin duties across Bernicia. This includes liaising regularly with all of our stakeholders, auditing, providing advice and guidance, developing and reviewing risk assessments, accident/incident investigation, supporting our H&S training programme, contributing to the delivery of our values and developing a strong culture embedded in safety, health and welfare

Key requirements: NEBOSH General Certificate as a minimum with intention to work towards and obtain NEBOSH Diploma or equivalent

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Sales & Lettings Specialist

Vacancy | Office

Salary / rate: £13,254.75 | Location: Newcastle upon Tyne | Closing date: 10 October 2026

Contract / working pattern: Permanent, part-time 20hrs per week

Duties will include; Managing the client database, diary and lead generation, carrying out viewings & canvassing and assisting with listing of new properties. Further duties will include delivery of feedback, negotiating with clients, agreeing sales and lets and assisting with client progression to move in.

Key requirements: Experience in the property sector is preferred but not a necessity; however, a highly organised professional with exceptional communication skills and a passion for providing excellent customer service is essential.

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Property Estate Manager

Vacancy | Operations Management

Salary / rate: £35,877 | Location: work from home, Yorkshire & Harrogate Area | Closing date: 19 October 2026

Contract / working pattern: Permanent, 37hrs per week

You will be responsible for all aspects of estate management, including attending site meetings and carrying out inspections across the portfolio. The role will involve managing a portfolio of unadopted areas in developments across the North of England as well as other general day to day management activities.

Key requirements: It is essential that you possess excellent intercommunication skills, with the ability to build and sustain good quality relationships with a wide range of organisations and people. A flexible approach to working patterns and driving across the North of England will be a key requirement

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Thakeham

With over 20 years of expertise in creating new communities, our developments are more than just places to live. Every home is thoughtfully designed to reflect its surroundings, beautifully built and made to stand the test of time. We shape places that bring people together and last for generations. Our strategic land portfolio is one of the fastest growing in Southern England. Alongside building houses for private sale, we partner with registered providers, institutional investors and legacy landowners to deliver much-needed affordable housing and retirement communities.

Organisation summary	Approved Excel content
Opportunity type	New Homes & Strategic Land Development
Location / coverage	South

Current opportunities

M&E Co-Ordinator

Vacancy | Office

Salary / rate: Competitive | Location: Tunbridge Wells, Kent

Contract / working pattern: Fixed Term Contract

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Key requirements: details via link

Benefits: Car allowance, bonus scheme

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New Homes Sales Consultant

Vacancy | Office

Salary / rate: Competitive | Location: Sussex, Surrey, Hampshire

Contract / working pattern: Permanent, full time

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Key requirements: details via link

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Key Property Solutions

specialising in new build, fit out and refurbishment works, and are equally adept working in both live and non-live environments, across many sectors.

Organisation summary	Approved Excel content
Opportunity type	Employment Opportunities
Location / coverage	National

Current opportunities

Gateman

Vacancy | Operations

Salary / rate: DOE | Location: Cleckheaton, BD19 4NA, West Yorkshire | Closing date: 23 October 2026

Contract / working pattern: mon-fri 07.30-18.00

Live school project in Cleckheaton on which we are looking to fill the gateman position. On this particular project we are hoping that the gateman can support with our community liaison (including school stake holders such as students, parents and staff as well as the surrounding residents). The project is a new build primary school, and demolition of the existing school whilst working in a live environment with the school team.

Key requirements: CSCS card is needed. CLOCS/FORS would be good to have but not a necessity.

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Group Retreats

A shared passion for beautiful property and the desire to provide unique accommodation for large groups, led to the creation of Group Retreats in 2017.

Organisation summary	Approved Excel content
Opportunity type	Caretaker & Handyman roles
Location / coverage	National

Current opportunities

Caretaker

Vacancy | Operations

Salary / rate: DOE | Location: Hadleigh, Ipswich - IP75PF

Contract / working pattern: 32hrs pw, split over 7 days

General caretaker duties for a luxury holiday let company

Benefits: Call outs paid seperately

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Caretaker

Vacancy | Operations

Salary / rate: DOE | Location: Mersham, Kent - TN256NQ

Contract / working pattern: 32hrs pw, split over 7 days

General caretaker duties for a luxury holiday let company

Benefits: Call outs paid seperately

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Caretaker

Vacancy | Operations

Salary / rate: DOE | Location: Alderbury, Salisbury -SP53DJ

Contract / working pattern: 32hrs pw, split over 7 days

General caretaker duties for a luxury holiday let company

Benefits: Call outs paid seperately

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Caretaker

Vacancy | Operations

Salary / rate: DOE | Location: Oxfordshire - OX182PF

Contract / working pattern: 40hrs pw, split over 7 days

General caretaker duties for a luxury holiday let company

Benefits: Call outs paid separately

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Dartford Borough Council

Council services

Organisation summary	Approved Excel content
Opportunity type	Various vacancies
Location / coverage	South East

Current opportunities

Corporate Building Surveyor

Vacancy | Operations Management

Salary / rate: £52,290 | Location: Dartford area | Closing date: 19 October 2026

Contract / working pattern: 37hrs pw

- The preparation and writing of specifications, contract documents and tender documents.
- Managing the procurement process including evaluation of the quotations, tenders and letting the contract to project management and completion.
- Placing official orders with contractors and consultants.
- Day to day management of Health and Safety of contractors, consultants and projects.
- Communicating, Managing and dealing with all specialist contractors.
- Formulating applications to; building control, planning, listed building consent, the environment agency and business cases.
- Day to day management of contractors and consultants
- Day to day supervision of corporate admin assistant
- Management of budgets
- Organising and chairing of contract performance meetings
- Contractor performance monitoring and reporting.

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Final reminder

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