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## Wednesday 20th September

9:30am Access to Automobile & HVT and the Construction Industry	
Liam Ryan	Bus Eireann
Colin Walsh	SIMI
Paul Brown	SISK
David Brady	Saint-Gobain
Aisling Bilbow	ESB Network

10:15am Start your future in the Creative Arts or Hospitality Industry	
TJ O'Connor	MTU - Kerry College
Michael Bermingham	Michael Bermingham Consulting
Jordan Barrins	Ashford Castle
Louise Kearney	National Hairdressing Apprenticeship Ireland

11:00am Guest Speaker	
Richie Sadler	

1:00pm Access to the world of Technology & Construction	
Evin Coughlan	Euroskills 2023 CAD Competitor/Symetri
Finola Callan	AWS In Communities
Nikita Forte	Logistics Associate Apprentice
Mason Clifford	OPW

1:45pm The importance of Apprenticeships across Industries	
Becca Sweeney	Chef Network
Trish Flanagan	Construction Industry Federation
Linda Allen	Bus Eireann
Luke O Keeffe	WorldSkills BIM Winner 2019



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## Thursday 21st September

**9:00am**

**Skills Change Lives**

Ken O'Connell	MTU Cork
Ruby Cahill	ESB Networks
Conor Doolan	Irish Rail

**10:15am** Start your future in the Automotive or Manufacturing & Engineering Industry

Sorcha Halpin	Transport Operation & Commercial Driving Apprentice
Joe Doherty	Capital Hair
Willow Swire	Euroskills 2023 Craft Butchery Competitor
Ronan Murphy	SISK

**11:00am**

**Skills Change Lives**

Kevin O'Donnell	Crown Paints
Brendan Muldowney	Kirby Engineering
Amy Brady	Logistics Associate Apprenticeship
Robert Lynn	Dublin Bus

**1:00pm**

**Skills Change Lives**

Amanda Fennell	Autodesk
Ray O'Mahony	Symetri
Ciaran MacAuliffe	Janssen Sciences Ireland

**1:45pm**

**Guest Speaker**

Donal Skehan

**2:15pm**

**Apprentice of the Year 2023**



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## Friday 22nd September

9:30am Parent's Clinic 1	
Tadhg Crowley	Institute of Guidance Counsellors
Ken Seery	ThisIsFET
Andrew Brownlee	Solas
Eimear Sinnot	Careers Portal

10:15am The importance of Apprenticeships across Industries	
Paula Stakelum	Ashford Castle
Sharon Balmaine	Fáilte Ireland
Laura Stack	WorldSkills Beauty Therapy Winner 2022
Brian Riordan	Designer Group

11:00am Guest Speaker	
Neven Maguire	

11.45am Parent's Clinic 2	
Michael Loftas	VP External Affairs MTU Cork
Damien Walshe	NAO
Aileen Hickie	Parentline
Roisin Kelleher	Guidance Counsellor

1:45pm Apprentice of the Year 2023	
	

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