

Case Study: Healthy Communities

Sebastien Merone – Work Experience



Perth Transport Futures Project – Phase One A9/A85 Perth Transport Futures Project

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As part of the SCAPE framework requirements for the A9/A85 Perth Transport Futures Project, Balfour Beatty, in partnership with Perth and Kinross Council are required to demonstrate a commitment to employment opportunities and skills development throughout the duration of the contract.

"I love the idea that I can design great, environmentally friendly structures by using my knowledge of engineering" **Sebastien Merone**

Name

Sebastien Merone

About Me

I am currently in sixth year at Perth High School and I am really passionate about the environment and designs of infrastructure.

How it started

I have always been extremely interested in building specific structures and how they benefit society and the environment and this led me to realise that I would love to become a civil engineer.

In October, I managed to commence a work experience placement with Balfour Beatty at Phase One of the Perth Future Projects and from the start, I was hooked. I love the problem solving and I find all the designs extremely interesting and innovative.

Everyone at Balfour Beatty has been extremely friendly and approachable which has really enhanced my learning and let me settle in.

What I enjoy most about my work experience placement

I love going out on site and putting my problem solving skills and knowledge to the test. I really enjoy being able to visualise great structures and how they benefit the social aspect and also the environmental side as well.

My plans for the future...

Next year I am going to Glasgow University to study Civil Engineering MEng. In the future I see myself designing and building environmentally friendly structures that are both efficient and aesthetically pleasing. I hope to stay with Balfour Beatty throughout my career due the worldwide size of the company.

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