

# Careers at CLAAS



## Emily Baylis **Marketing Graduate Management Trainee**

FdSc Agri-Business, Harper Adams University  
2016 – CLAAS Parts Marketing Placement  
2018 – Marketing Graduate Management Trainee, CLAAS UK

*"I just knew that I wanted to work for CLAAS after my placement year. It was a really positive experience and there was a great feeling of camaraderie amongst all the staff, making daily work life enjoyable. I was given a variety of tasks, some more challenging than others, but there was always plenty of support and encouragement available. I learnt a number of new skills which have definitely given me the confidence to take on new responsibilities in my graduate position at CLAAS today."*



## Alex Conway **Technical Parts Advisor**

Bsc (Hons) Agricultural Engineering with Marketing and Management, Harper Adams University  
2016 – CLAAS Technical Parts Placement  
2018 – Technical Parts Advisor

*"My placement year helped me greatly in both completing my final year at university and also giving me the understanding of how CLAAS operates on a worldwide scale. It helped me to grow both my technical and business knowledge allowing a smooth transition into my fulltime role. It gave me the chance to take part in things that I wouldn't have had the opportunity to do if I wasn't with CLAAS."*



## Hattie Fletcher **Graduate Management Trainee**

BSc (Hons) Business Management, Anglia Ruskin University, Cambridge  
2016 – CLAAS HR Placement  
2017 – Part-time Sales and Marketing Assistant  
2018 – Graduate Management Trainee, CLAAS UK

*"My placement at CLAAS gave me a comprehensive view of a working HR department and enabled me to put university theory into practice whilst gaining insight into how a business like CLAAS works. The skills I learnt during my placement help me day-to-day in my graduate role and will continue to do so throughout my career."*



## Jeremy Wiggins **National Sales and Marketing Manager**

BSc (Hons) Agricultural Engineering with Marketing and Management  
1996 – Graduate Management Trainee, America  
1997 – Product Manager Foragers and Green Harvest  
2008 – Sales & Marketing Manager, UK and Ireland  
2016 – Company Director, CLAAS UK

*"I spent my placement year at the CLAAS headquarters in Germany, in a variety of departments. After graduating, I spent a year working in America helping with the LEXION combine launch. These experiences gave me a thorough understanding of the company and the range of products CLAAS manufacture."*



## Undergraduate Placement Opportunities at CLAAS UK

Employing over 11,000 people, represented in 100 countries worldwide, with 14 global manufacturing plants, all backed by a wealth of experience, expertise and a highly innovative approach to agricultural technology, CLAAS is the largest family owned agricultural manufacturing company in the world.

CLAAS provides a wealth of opportunities for you to learn, grow as an individual and develop a long term career. Whatever your employment aspirations, whether it's in HR, Sales, Parts, Service or Engineering, CLAAS can offer a fulfilling and rewarding career.

With a variety of placement opportunities available, there is something to offer everyone, whatever your interest.

To find out more or to apply, please contact  
Kerry Peck, Apprenticeship and Placement Co-ordinator  
on telephone: 01284 763100 or email: [cukplacements@claas.com](mailto:cukplacements@claas.com)

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# Placement Opportunities Available

CLAAS UK offers a variety of placement opportunities in both their dealerships and at the CLAAS UK headquarters at Saxham.

Placement opportunities will be for a 12 to 15 month period, commencing in July 2019. You will be expected to work a minimum of 37.5 hours per week, according to business requirements.

We offer a competitive salary, 24 days annual leave, and the opportunity to work with one of the biggest agricultural sales and manufacturing companies worldwide.

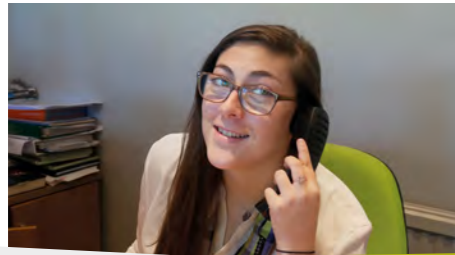
For further information, please contact Kerry Peck, Apprenticeship and Placement Co-ordinator on: **01284 763100** or: [cukplacements@claas.com](mailto:cukplacements@claas.com)

## CLAAS Scholarship Programme in conjunction with Harper Adams University

The scholarship student will be awarded a work placement of 12 months at the CLAAS Headquarters in Germany. Prior to departing for Germany in September, the student will be able to work at the CLAAS UK Headquarters in Saxham, Suffolk.

The scholarship is financially rewarded through an award in the second, and any subsequent years of study, excluding placement year of £3,000 per annum. During placement year you will be paid by CLAAS Germany, and provided with accommodation.

The scholarship is awarded each year to one second year student on any Engineering course. For further details please contact [cuk.hr@claas.com](mailto:cuk.hr@claas.com)



**Human Resources**  
Jess Gregor

Working at the CLAAS UK Headquarters, this role will give you a key understanding of a busy HR Department and provide valuable experience for your job search, post qualification.

- Working as a key part of the team you will take on responsibility for the recruitment process
- Updating our vacancy online portal for all our branches UK wide
- Liaising with agricultural journals to advertise for suitable staff



**Support Technician**  
Patrick Frawley

The successful candidate will work within our team of Technical Instructors in the ACADEMY, supporting with various tasks.

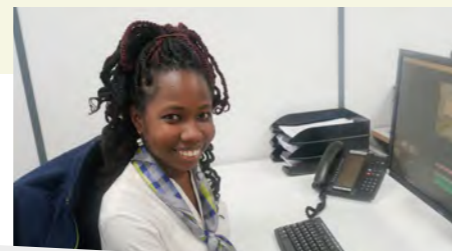
- Undertaking in-house training courses to develop understanding and knowledge
- Support with practical demonstrations and training
- Involved in project work within ACADEMY, design and development of training aid / rigs



**Service Engineer**  
Rhodri Jenkins

Working in one of our owned dealerships, the successful candidate will have the opportunity to work alongside experienced agricultural Service Engineers, both in the workshop and on customer premises.

- Assisting the Service Engineers in the workshop to repair agricultural machinery
- Support the Service Engineers on customer visits to repair and maintain machinery
- Provide a professional image and service to all of our customers



**Creative Media**  
Temitope Animasaun

The successful candidate will work within our CLAAS Academy and alongside our Training team. The candidate will be responsible for leading various projects which will be supervised by our Training Development Coordinator.

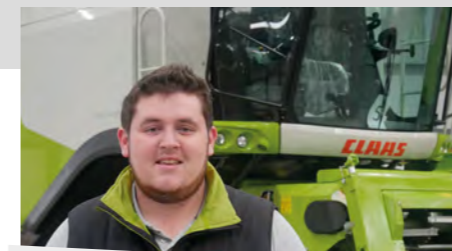
- Producing creative material for training
- Video and still imagery creation using Adobe software
- Working to assigned briefs and budgets



**Parts Business**  
Harriet Porch

Based in the Parts Department at CLAAS UK, the successful candidate will work closely with the purchasing team also providing support during the busy Harvest season.

- Be responsible for processing CLAAS parts orders, for customer commitments, to strict deadlines
- Liaise with our contacts at our European headquarters with logistics queries
- Take on responsibility for pricing updates, purchasing and analysis of downstream products



**Sales & Demonstration**  
Josh Kane

Working in one of our owned dealerships, the successful candidate will have the opportunity to work alongside our experienced salesmen, selling CLAAS machinery and products.

- Meet customers at shows, events and open days
- Support the salesmen with demonstrations of machines
- Frequent travel within the UK will be required



**Parts Technical**  
Lauren Wells

Working in the Parts Department, the successful candidate will provide technical support to both local customers and the UK and Irish dealer network, gaining a good insight into the technical workings of our vast product range.

- Work with a variety of technical systems in order to solve technical problems
- Effectively liaise with colleagues and other internal departments to assist in enhancing the professional response of all types of parts queries
- Analyse technical drawings and technical information in order to fulfil dealer and customer queries



**Technical Support**  
Huw Gilchrist

The successful candidate will be required to work alongside our experienced Technical Product Managers within the Technical Department.

- Provide high level support and detailed monitoring of Pre Series machines and technical improvements
- Assist with detailed and in depth analysis of technical issues reported from our dealer network
- Support the Technical Managers with early warning analysis across all the product ranges