CBI Youth Employability Policy – information for account managers

We know that the lockdown is hitting young workers hard, with evidence showing that those under the age of 25 are nearly two and a half times more likely to be working in sectors that have had to shut down due to social distancing measures and research reveals wide-spread concern among young people that their experience of the pandemic will leave them disadvantaged for years to come, if not permanently.

The CBI has been working to engage members and government on supporting youth employability, by establishing a dedicated 'taskforce' on youth employability and running sessions with DWP on the design of the 'kickstart' scheme. This slide pack for account managers summarizes the aims of our policy relating to youth employability, how we've already engaged members (including lists of delegates for the taskforce and DWP sessions), and future plans/outputs relating to this policy area over the coming months.

We would also like to say a big thank you to all our regional colleagues, account managers and the events team, who have supported member engagement with this area so far – it's really appreciated!

Review the document in full, here.

Any questions please contact Alice Grimes.