

Success stories

Harry Durant age 22

Current employer

Paprec Industries

Job title

Electrical Engineer Specialist

Current course
studying

MSc in Electrical Engineering

Grades achieved at
South Devon UTC

BTEC Level 3 in Engineering D*D*D*

Current Salary

£50,000 plus

Harry completed his course back in July 2019 with the highest qualification possible. He did this despite a dyslexia diagnosis and pushed himself to progress to a degree level apprenticeship. On completion of this, Harry then sought the Masters qualification he is now studying. Harry enjoys every second of his job and thrives on using the skills and knowledge obtained at South Devon UTC.

When asked which BTEC Unit you use most of all in your current role:

Despite being an electrical engineer, a lot of my work is mechanical engineering. I often work with pumps and there are many mechanical aspects such as impellers, seals and couplings. So even though I am electrical, a mechanical knowledge is crucial. The broad range of units that I covered at the UTC taught me the grounding knowledge and skills I use everyday at work.

