

Good Employment News



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SECURE WORK

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Oxford Mail

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Personnel Today

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FLEXIBLE WORK

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... fantastic place to work". He said: "After announcing our intention to ... UK supreme court rules · UK signs financial deal with Switzerland ...

PAY

[Turkey raises minimum wage by 49% - Financial Times](#)

Financial Times

The monthly minimum wage will be raised to a net TL17,002 (\$578), per month in 2024, Vedat İşıkhan, labour minister, said at a press conference. That ...

[UK pharmacy operators hit out at HMRC tax probe into locum staff - Financial Times](#)

Financial Times

UK pharmacy operators have hit out at a probe by HM Revenue & Customs into their use of locum pharmacists, warning that a "retrospective" attempt ...

[Guidance on 2024 holiday pay changes published - Personnel Today](#)

Personnel Today

The guidance sets out the definitions for an irregular hours worker and part-year worker and provides examples for each. An employment law expert ...

[Sainsbury's increases pay as supermarkets battle for staff - BBC News](#)

BBC

... Real Living Wage, which is higher than the compulsory National Living Wage. ... With the National Living Wage, often referred to as the minimum wage ...

ENGAGEMENT AND VOICE

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The Guardian

On Wednesday night, at the end of the first of six days of strike action, Prof Sir Stephen Powis, NHS England's national medical director, said its ...

RECRUITMENT

[How women and younger UK workers are being hit by 'underemployment' - The Guardian](#)

The Guardian

Forty-four-year-old Catherine, a retail assistant from Stoke-on-Trent, works for a big UK ... secure as much work or the type of work they would like.

[Lululemon's billionaire founder slams the company's diversity and inclusion efforts](#)

The Independent

Lululemon's billionaire founder Chip Wilson blasted the company for prioritising diversity and inclusivity efforts over exclusivity. In an ...

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