

Meet your future colleagues – Space sector



**Ian Benson, operations analyst,
Serco Employee European Space
Agency, ESOC premises**

I started off as a controller at Serco, fifteen years ago. The section which I am part of observes things like black holes and supernovae. I stayed with Serco because they treat you with respect. They help us solve our problems, by providing training to improve or learn new skills to do our job more effectively.

**Elena d'Uva, Spacecraft Operator,
Serco Employee European Space Agency,
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My name is Eleonora and I am the new Spacecraft Controller for astronomy. I am currently in training. When I got the call from Serco telling me that I got the Job, I started jumping around, and I was so happy. It was a dream come true for me.



**Margherita Maria Maglie, EPS
Serco Employee, EUMETSAT**

My name is Margherita, I work as a spacecraft Controller for Serco at EUMETSAT. Our mission as controllers is fundamental and we are here on a 24/7 basis. We are making sure that satellites keep on track. We're not really moving we are just making sure that they're doing their job. I studied space engineering because as a kid I was always obsessed with space. I started working for Serco two years ago, two months after having been graduated from University. I honestly didn't expect this happening so soon because I thought with little experience it would be very hard for me to get a job like this. In this job, I gain a lot of experience, I really could see and put my hands on every single aspects of a space mission. I am really proud of working here for Serco.



**Steven Sablerolle, Metrology
Engineer
Serco Employee European Space
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I am Steven. I am working in the metrology laboratory here at the test centre in ESTEC. The spacecraft arrives here almost finished or completely finished but then we put in them the tests facilities and a lot of things happen. We are always involved to give the project support but also to give the facilities the support they need. Testing is the very last phase of the construction of satellites and there are very important before the launch.

I've been working here since I graduated from University. I started as an Internship. Support is very strong from the local support office. Serco is giving me the opportunity to work here.