

## Why should I hire you?

The question you need to answer!

With a postgraduate taught degree you not only have a higher qualification, you also possess additional skills to offer an employer.

### **Knowledge**

You possess up-to-date, subject-specific specialist knowledge that can help give your employer the edge over the competition.

### **Commitment**

Investing in a postgraduate qualification is a big decision which demonstrates a high level of dedication, self-motivation and a real curiosity to learn.

### **Research Skills**

Your dissertation or extended project demonstrates you possess the skills required to undertake high-quality research that can make a real difference to your employer.

### **Problem Solving**

Your postgraduate taught degree demands a critical and analytic approach to complex problems and ideas. As a result, you have developed strong analytical and creative problem solving skills.

### **Time Management**

Have you had to balance your studies with part-time work, family commitments or other priorities? This develops skills in producing high-quality work whilst successfully managing conflicting demands.

### **Maturity**

Throughout your postgraduate taught degree you are required to take a high level of responsibility for your own learning, demonstrating resilience and maturity.

### **Now what?**

Make these assets your own by thinking of specific personal examples.

Then use them to articulate your value to employers.