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## LIVEtalk Discussion

### **#BI21.3 Students Mean Business**

Wednesday 19 May, 3:15pm

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Julie Kent MBE, formerly a house mistress at Dean Close, hosts a question time discussion with leaders from Gloucestershire's business community around the journey that school leavers are facing as they think about the future, their careers and accessing the workplace. It's a challenging time for everyone and students presently in years 12 and 13 are dealing with disrupted education, uncertain HE and FE provision and an employment landscape that is heading towards significant redundancies and reducing opportunities. Add into that anxiety, mental health, student loans and the inevitable uncertainty for any student about where they want to head for their career and we see ourselves in a position that is unlike any faced by students before.



#### Julie Kent MBE

Julie is an experienced Trustee working in the non-profit organization management industry & Fundraising. She is named as one of the 50 Greatest Women in Gloucestershire, Top 100 Women in the West and recently Gained the Most Outstanding Woman in the Charitable Sector in the West. Julie

has been a housemistress at Dean Close for over 20 years specialising in teenagers coping with life!





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