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It is the people that make Greencore

When starting out my career in the beauty industry, I didn't anticipate myself working in a food factory for 13 years, let alone loving it! Based at Greencore Consett site, I have undertaken a variety of roles, progressing from food preparation, to a Warehouse Shift Administrator role, then a Food Safety Technologist, followed by Warehouse Supervisor. I have gained valuable knowledge, skills, and experience throughout these roles, growing my resilience and drive to succeed. I have recently stepped into a new role as Stock Manager, a position I am excited to fulfil.

My time at Greencore has been full of career highlights, one of which being when I helped recruit our stock counting team and embedded a more robust counting system which works alongside our system admin team to provide site with a reliable and robust material usage variance (MUV), a measure for determining the efficiency of our material usage throughout production. I am so proud of our team's year-on-year improvements and results, achieved through cross functional collaboration and support.

I have been lucky to have been offered many development opportunities at Greencore, including undertaking the Process Leader Level 4 Apprenticeship at present. Re-entering the world of education was initially daunting for me, but I am enjoying learning new skills and gaining valuable knowledge that I can incorporate into my daily tasks and share with others.

Last year, I was also nominated by my line manager for our internal development centre, where I took part in activities to determine my strengths and areas for future development. I have reflected on the day and have since refined my ways of working to support my team and my personal growth as a manager and leader. The development centre also gave me the chance to network with senior leaders from around the business, one of which I am now being coached by.

I have put a lot of time and commitment into my career, and it has been challenging at times. I would have not got to where I am today without the support of my line managers and peers who believe in me and have helped me to build my confidence over time, making all the above possible.

I believe there is something out there for everyone at Greencore - I would encourage anyone to apply if you are considering working with us! Greencore is a great organisation, with even greater individuals within it.

