

# Productive Working: Built Environment Intensive Workshop for Lifelong Learning Networks and Sector Skills Councils

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## Workshop Aims and Objectives:

**'Encourage Built Environment Lifelong Learning Networks to work productively with CEBE and ConstructionSkills'**



- Clarify desirable outputs from development work (workforce development, younger learners – particularly 14-19 Diplomas and Apprenticeships)
- Work through issues of real life employer engagement and development
- Steer development of guidance for ConstructionSkills (primarily, but likely to be useful to others) on working with Lifelong Learning Networks
- Inform longer-term delivery.

## Proposed Workshop Sessions

- Progress through Partnership (encouraging employer engagement with HEI led developments)
- Competence to Capability / Educational Supply Chain
- A 'single portal' for employers and employees
- Demand Led CPD
- Catching up (potted A-Z for Lifelong Learning Networks and SSC staff)

This event is primarily intended for Lifelong Learning Networks with interest in Built Environment occupations and Built Environment SSCs.

However, a few places may still be free.

If you're interested in attending, contact Ms Hazel Palmer via e-mail [h.m.palmer@salford.ac.uk](mailto:h.m.palmer@salford.ac.uk) or telephone 0161 295 5944.

## Draft programme outline

Time		
13:00	<b>Welcome &amp; Introduction</b>	Kath Galloway
13:15	<b>Workshop Session1</b>	
	Progress through Partnership	Progress through Partnership (encouraging employer engagement with HEI led developments). This will use examples including the MSc programme developed at Salford to support achievement of NVQ at Level 5, and so black CSCS card, with avenue to professional membership.
	Competence to Capability/Educational Supply Chain	Competence to Capability/Educational Supply Chain. This will include certification in the workplace, taking in arrangements for Accreditation of Prior Learning for NVQs at levels 4 and 5.
	A 'Single Portal' including Cross Regional Working	A single portal for employers and employees? Encouraging successful working between Lifelong Learning Networks and Built Environment SSCs. The potential of National Skills Academy for Construction will be highlighted, together with collaborative working between Lifelong Learning Networks, which is likely to be critical here
	Demand Led CPD	Demand – led CPD. Experiences from the North West Higher Level Skills Pathfinder and Lifelong Learning Networks, including work with Professional Institutes, and potential given direction emerging from DIUS and HEFCE.
	Catching up	Catching up. A potted A-Z: ConstructionSkills staff working with Lifelong Learning Networks.
14:00	<b>Progression Q &amp; A</b> (refreshments served)	
14:45	<b>Workshop Session 2</b>	
15:30	<b>Plenary address &amp; next steps</b>	