

Case Record

CITB Teacher Training Day at The University of the West of England



Date	May 2005
Location	The University of the West of England, Bristol
Business	Building

A Teacher Training Day hosted at UWE, including site visits for 120 trainee teachers

Business Benefits

Promotion of the construction industry as a career option

Raising the profile of Carillion in the local community

Improved relationships with the client

Positive employee participation

Learning & Development benefits for the staff involved

Good neighbour relations

We are currently undertaking the design and construction of the University of the West of England's New Student Village and Sports Hall at Frenchay, Bristol.

As part of the £75 million project, the whole team is currently supporting a programme of activities and events in collaboration with the university. These activities are taking place in addition to the day job, and rely on the commitment and participation of the whole team.

One event was a Teacher Training Day hosted at UWE in collaboration with CITB Construction Skills, supported by the Carillion team.

As part of the day, a series of groups of 20 teachers visited the site, in order to engage with the team, see a live construction site in action, and learn about the industry as a career option.

The objective of the day was to raise the profile of the industry as a career option, which was achieved successfully.

A total of 120 students were presented to, and visited the site across the hugely successful day. The university and CITB Construction Skills were hugely grateful for the support of the Carillion team on the day, and the event has contributed to the continued strengthening of the client relationship.