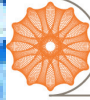


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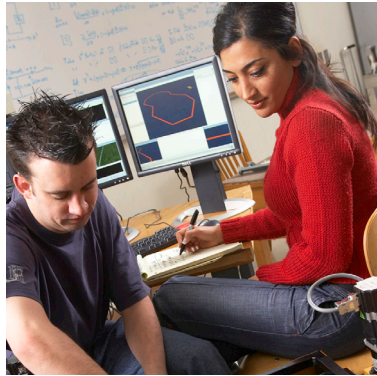
About the project

In partnership with a range of University Partners, Weymouth College is conducting research into how higher level skills can support local engineering firms.

This project is being undertaken to establish how Universities and their College partners could support engineering companies in developing their current and future employees.

The project is not about selling training, it is to gather information to inform the University sector and to help plan future investment.

The College will meet with a range of engineering companies to conduct a brief interview into skills; all information will be kept strictly confidential.



Aims of the project

The aims of the project are to:

- Identify the key drivers for employers and employees in the engineering sector for effective and sustainable workforce engagement with local education provision
- Identify the barriers that employers in the engineering sector face in engaging with education institutions
- Identify mechanisms by which Higher Education and Further Education institutions can more effectively maintain their relationships with engineering employers.



The benefits to the employers

The project will provide a direct link with leading HE and FE providers in STEM subjects allowing employer needs and requirements to be fed directly to education establishments.

This will help shape employer/ education relationships and training of future STEM workers meaning they have the skills required for the industry.

This relationship will also help design training for up-skilling of current staff which could assist with company expansion or project diversification.

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