

The Building Controls' Skills Pool: *building controls training*

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Skills Pool

- Approx. 5000 people in UK controls industry
- Apprenticeships/Trainee's intake declined over the last ten years.
- Consolidation of major manufacturers, people lost to industry or move to affiliated professions
- New entrants to industry?

Construction Forecast

- In 2005, 2.41M people employed in construction
- In 2011, 2.8M people employed in construction
- Represents 17.5% increase
- 87,600 new workers per year required
- 42% of these required for work in London, the South and East regions

New recruits by region

Number of new recruits required annually 2007-2011



Government Changes

- Introduction of 14-19 year old Diploma's
- 40,000 diploma place available from September 2008
- Initial 5 Sectors
 - Construction and the Built Environment
 - Engineering
 - Information Technology
 - Society, Health and Development
 - Creative and Media

Reference

- www.cbdiploma.co.uk
- www.dfes.gov.uk/14-19/
- www.constructionskills.net
- www.feta.co.uk/bcia
- www.eca.co.uk

BCIA Training



- Milestone reached 1000th individual certificate
- 1097 individual module certificates now issued
- 1163 delegate courses/258 days since inception
- 81 separate companies
- 162 Technical certificates
- 67 Advanced Technical certificates

BCIA Technical Training Certificates

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Building Automation Solutions

Best Results for 2007

Matthew Tullett of TAC

Progress & Achievement in a New Career Path

Ian Winspear

Shepherd Engineering

*Good All-Round Approach & Achievement in a
Training Forum*