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# Offsite for Everyone A guide to the learning materials

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Offsite for Everyone is a suite of learning materials to guide the construction industry in its adoption of offsite construction and further the use of Modern Methods of Construction (MMC).

# Why Offsite for Everyone?

Offsite should be a key in any sustainability strategy. Why?

For us to meet the targets set out in the Government's 2025 Construction Strategy, we need a shift in behaviour and a shift to further offsite methods of construction.

In order to make the change, all who work in the built environment must have a robust understanding of the fundamentals and benefits of offsite construction.

Organisations and individuals should look to introduce these methods within their own business or job role.

That's why we created Offsite for Everyone.

# What is Offsite for Everyone and how did it come about?

*Offsite for Everyone* learning materials include a range of full-day courses, virtual courses, e-learning modules and videos – all free for anyone to use.

VIEW THE RESOURCES >

In partnership with the MANUFACTURING TECHNOLOGY CENTRE and the NATIONAL OPEN COLLEGES NETWORK and with funding from the CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY TRAINING BOARD, the School developed learning materials aimed at six different job roles:

- > Designers and Architects
- > Procurement Personnel
- > Quantity Surveyors and Cost Consultants
- > Logistics Personnel
- > Project Managers
- > Site Managers



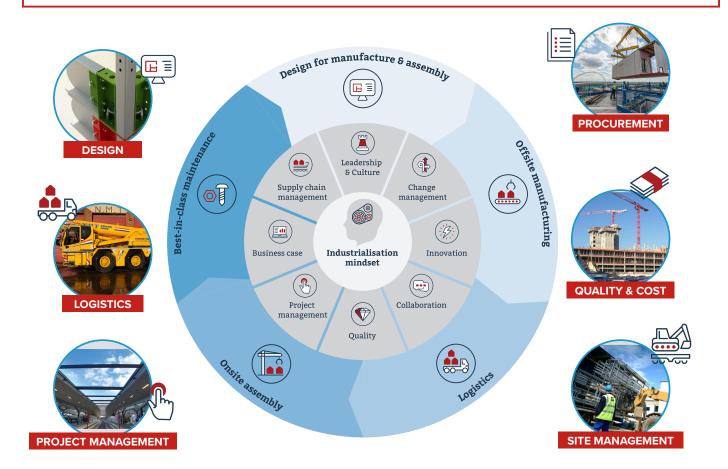






**OFFSITE** has the ability to significantly reduce waste and to deliver better performing buildings in terms of energy use, with consequent improvements to the environment. The free-to-use offsite resources of the Supply Chain Sustainability School have proved an invaluable resource for our designers, as well as forming networking and knowledge-sharing opportunities with like-minded professionals, constructors and manufacturers.

Nigel Ostime, Project Delivery Director at Hawkins\Brown



# Training

All our training sessions are available virtually or face-to-face.

# **Fundamental learning**

# Systems

An essential first step for those wanting to know more about offsite. This course provides an explanation of offsite, the common systems and materials used and the modern methods of construction hierarchy.

## AVAILABLE AS:

- Full-day (includes any job function training)
- 3-hour session

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SECTORS

The next step for those wanting to know more about offsite. This course explains how offsite can be applied across the housing, infrastructure, commercial, and mechanical and electrical sectors. *This is included in the 3-hour Offsite Fundamentals session*.

# Learn by job function

Before taking any of our jub function learning, we strongly recommend participants understand offsite fundamentals, either through our fundamentals training sessions or our e-learning modules.



# DESIGN

Discover what designers and architects need to do differently when adopting an offsite solution, over a traditional build.

# PROCUREMENT

Tailored specifically to procurement personnel and what they need to do differently when adopting an offsite solution over a traditional build.



# **QUANTITY SURVEYORS AND COST CONSULTANTS**

Learn how quantity surveyors and cost consultants need to adapt their role when adopting an offsite solution rather than a traditional build.

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# LOGISTICS

See what is different for logistics professionals when adopting an offsite solution rather than a traditional build.



# **PROJECT MANAGEMENT**

Find out a project manager's role when adopting an offsite solution rather than a traditional build.



## SITE MANAGEMENT

Understand a site manager's role when adopting an offsite solution rather than a traditional build.

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# Videos

We have 27 new short videos, between one and five minutes in length and featuring industry experts. These videos cover all of the job functions and offsite construction processes to give the overview and insight to understand the topics. All of these videos can be found in the School resource library and on the *Offsite for Everyone* webpage.



WATCH THE VIDEOS >

# Learn by offsite construction process

The offsite construction process shows five key competencies necessary to embrace an industrialised approach; design for manufacture & assembly (DfMA), offsite manufacture, logistics and onsite assembly; followed by best-in-class maintenance.

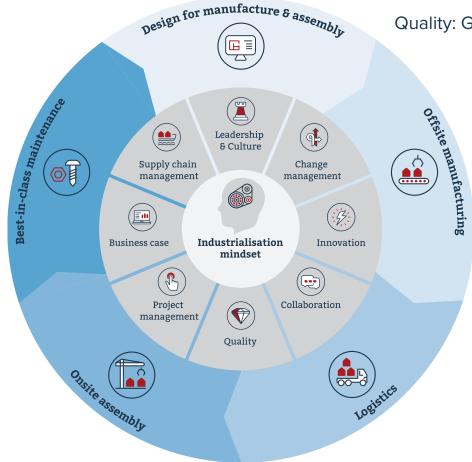
These five building blocks are underpinned by eight management skills that are key to drive change. The contruction process learning is available as e-learning modules which are available to access through the School's resource library.

# **KEY COMPETENCY LEARNING**

- > DfMA: Design for manufacture & assembly
- > Offsite Manufacturing Process
- > Design: Product & Process for Manufacturers
- > Logistics: Level 2
- > Onsite Assembly
- > Best in Class Maintenance

# **MANAGEMENT LEARNING**

- Collaborative Working <
  - Leadership <
- Change Management <
- Project Management <
- Supply Chain Management <
  - Quality Management <
- Quality: Getting it right from the start <



WITH A GREAT industry network, Build Space has been able to help the School develop their training modules. We now insist that all candidates we place on an offsite construction site complete the six training modules most relevant to our schemes. Our contractor clients have commented on the level of understanding that our Site Managers and Project Managers have compared to others. The training is a game-changer. In a market with a major skills shortage, it is a great way of bridging the knowledge gap. Going forward, Build Space looks forward to helping to expand the scope and volume of training modules available, setting new industry standards along the way.

Dominic Coyne, Director at buildspace

# **Industry input**

The following organisations input into the development of these training materials:



# **Industry launch virtual event**

# On Tuesday 20 October 2020, the School will publicly launch Offsite for Everyone.

In the morning, the School will host panel discussions with industry experts, to talk about the application of offsite in different systems and sectors, as well as the importance of the offsite learning materials.

Throughout the rest of the launch day, you'll be able to choose to attend one of our taster workshops for each of the six job roles. Try out any of our 45-minute taster workshops, each facilitated by an offsite subject matter expert with featured industry guest speakers. These workshops are designed to give you a flavour of the full workshops on offer.

<b>Details</b> DATE:	Tuesday 20th October, 2020
09:00 - 11:00	Offsite for Everyone Industry Launch Event
Followed by: 11:30 - 12:15 12:30 - 13:15 13:30 - 14:15 14:30 - 15:15 15:30 - 16:15 16:30 - 17:15	Offsite for Designers Taster Workshop Offsite for Procurement Taster Workshop Offsite for Quantity Surveyors & Cost Consultants Taster Workshop Offsite for Logistics Taster Workshop Offsite for Project Managers Taster Workshop Offsite for Site Managers Taster Workshop

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