



Supply Chain Sustainability School Procurement Group

Terms of Reference

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Background - PTP Programme

The CITB funded Performance Through Procurement programme has closed out after fulfilling all its objectives and leaving a significant legacy. Procurement leaders from School Partners have asked to set up a permanent group to continue to drive best practice in this area.

WHAT WE DELIVERED

Supply chain performance dashboard

- **Industry has a consistent way to benchmark supply chain performance**
- 11 projects pilot the use of tool

Procurement training needs assessment

- **Industry has a consistent way to benchmark training needs of procurement staff**
- Baseline and monitor progress
- 500 assessments completed
- 20% increase in knowledge

Learning development

- **Significantly increased quality of procurement training materials**
- 8 x one day CPD accredited short duration courses
- 8 x CPD accredited e-learning modules
- 1 x online resource library

Deliver training and support

- **Suppliers & sub-contractors have a better understanding of procurement and collaboration**
- Improved performance of the supply chain
- £5m of performance improvements
- 2,000 individuals 50% SMEs and aimed at levy registered organisations



KEY OUTPUTS

900 learning resources accessed

500 learners to access the e-learning modules

11 construction sector supply chain improvement projects use the performance tool and performance monitoring of supply chains undertaken.

400 construction sector online assessments of procurement skills in total

42 training courses undertaken with 400 construction sector learners

11 SCIPS Projects

Successful Achievement of Deliverables – SCIPS

55 training sessions

44 construction organisations participate in 10 pilot supply chain improvement projects, 500 learners receive training through the supply chain improvement projects

200 days of further support delivered across 11 construction sector pilot supply chain improvement projects

200 days of procurement coaching support to construction employees

11x supply chain improvement projects (550 learners trained) 1 extra project, increased by 10%

Added value



The Value Toolkit is a new way of thinking for the construction industry



It represents a step change in the way that projects are conceived, developed and, most importantly, how value is delivered through the project lifecycle. The Value Toolkit has been developed by the Construction Innovation Hub, in collaboration with HM Government and key players in the UK construction sector. Click the links below to access resources on the toolkit.

[VALUE DEFINITION FRAMEWORK >](#)

Value Toolkit Resources

Introduction to the Value Toolkit
The first module

PROCUREMENT FOR BEGINNERS
Value Toolkit: Introduction
E-LEARNING MODULE
The Value Toolkit is a new way of thinking for the construction industry.

Beginner ⌚ 30 minutes

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Value Toolkit
An e-learning module for professionals

PROCUREMENT FOR PROFESSIONALS
Value Toolkit: Supply Chain
E-LEARNING MODULE
This module explains what the Value Toolkit means for companies in the supply chain to clients who are adopting a Value Toolkit approach.

Beginner ⌚ 60 minutes

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Value Toolkit
An e-learning module for commercial professionals

PROCUREMENT FOR BEGINNERS
Value Toolkit: Commercial Professionals
E-LEARNING MODULE
Understanding the government's new approach to procurement.

Beginner ⌚ 60 minutes

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Key benefits companies have received as a result of using the School's Procurement content...

sustainability

learning suppliers

knowledge **better**

issues **sustainable**

awareness

supply chain

helped requirements

understanding

Engaging with the School has helped businesses...



76%

improve performance through procurement (2021: 69%)



34%

develop their approach to better Procurement (2021: 38%)



30%

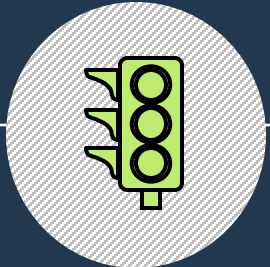
improve Procurement skills of individuals with purchasing responsibility (2021: 30%)



28%

ensure a better understanding of procurement and collaboration in their supply chain (2021: 28%)

Since joining the School, companies have benefitted from better performance through procurement




54%

Agree (2021: 55%)

Going Forward - Mission/Vision for the group

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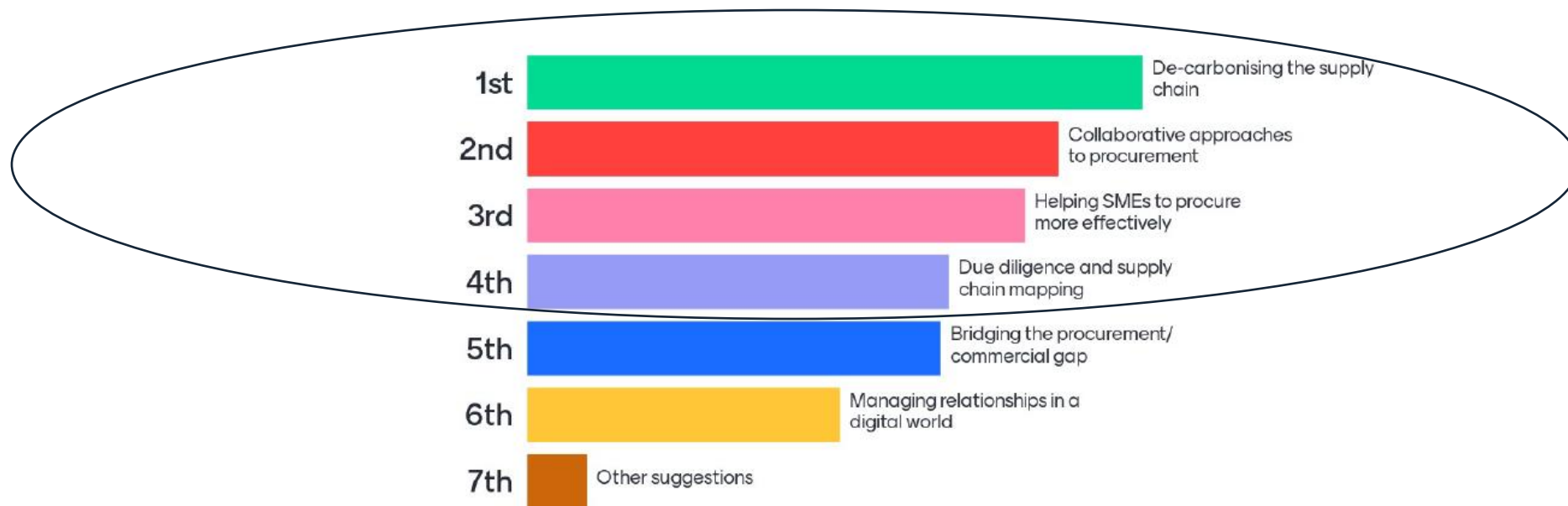


**Our mission is to
enable effective
procurement
through
knowledge and
collaboration.**

Our vision is an industry where everyone who buys something will have the skills and knowledge to procure effectively and sustainably.



Please rank these suggestions in order of priority



We propose to set up working groups for each topic to report back to the plenary group

- **De-carbonising supply chain:**
 - Invite James Cadman / Chris Williams-Lilley to facilitate discussion – give high level presentation on this topic and what good looks like, include an overview of what resources are available in the School on this topic. Provide a demo of Carbon Tool.
- **Collaborative approaches:**
 - Invite Prof. David Mosey from KCL, Anglian Water or one of their key suppliers (alliance contracting model), Southern Construction Framework (two stage open book).
- **SMEs:**
 - Invite Vaishali Baid to discuss her work on Social Value and how can we upskill SMEs, invite Mel D’Silva to cover the School’s beginner level procurement content.
- **Due diligence and supply chain mapping:**
 - Invite Graham Edgell, and Helen Carter to talk about mapping and due diligence on human rights

In these first meetings, the groups can become fully familiar with work and content already in place to decide if we need to simply promote what is already there or if new work is needed.

- **Membership** – All School partners are welcome to join, the group is primarily aimed at Chief Procurement Officers and Senior Procurement Professionals
- **Meetings** – The main group will meet quarterly, usually in a virtual environment for 2-3 hours
- **Sub-Groups** – We will probably establish sub-groups to follow up the workstreams
- **Engaging stakeholders** – CIPS, RICS, academia and others will need to be engaged but only School Partners will join the group
- **Boundaries/scope** – Clearly focused on the procurement agenda
- **Funding** – The School has allocated budget to run the group but if significant consultant support is needed for the workstreams there may be a need to invite Partners to sponsor specific initiatives



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