
MEMBER UPDATE



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Dear member,

Over the past few days central government has made some key announcements on the implementation of T Level qualifications. The Energy & Utility Skills policy team has reviewed and analysed these developments for members and has produced the following briefing and accompanying summaries (please see links below), which outline the relevant policies and decisions that will impact our sector. The key announcements are:

Start date for the implementation of T Levels confirmed

The Minister verified the start date as Autumn 2020 and confirmed there will be no deferral, despite a request from the Permanent Secretary for the DfE to delay to 2021. To read the exchange of letters, please click [here](#).

Confirmed changes to T Level design as a result of consultation responses received

Decisions have been made on the design and delivery of T Levels and it is pleasing to see that central government has acknowledged some of the concerns we raised in our consultation response for the sector. Click [here](#) to review the key decisions and changes made, and the summaries we have produced for our members.

First three T Levels: Outline content published and training providers named

Panels of experts on T Levels have submitted draft outline content for three T Levels in Construction, Digital, and Education and Childcare for scrutiny by the Institute for Apprenticeships (IfA). The IfA is requesting stakeholder views on the outline content, for further information click [here](#). The Education Secretary has named the first 52 colleges and other providers set to teach T Levels in the academic year 2020 to 2021. To access the list of providers click [here](#).

Revised occupational maps published

The IfA has published the results of its [occupational maps consultation](#). Each occupational map details the occupations in a particular route that can be achieved through an apprenticeship or T Level qualification. Click [here](#) for a summary of the overall consultation outcomes.

Progress made with establishing the Institutes of Technology (IoTs) in the TE Reforms

Central government took another step towards establishing IoTs this week by announcing the 16 proposals that will now move on to the final stage of the Government's competition. For further details please click [here](#).

Kind regards,

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