

**UK Professional Services Survey Launch
Tuesday 4 December 2007, 6.30pm– 8.30pm
One Whitehall Place, Westminster, London SW1A 2HD**

The Construction Industry Council would like to invite you to the launch of the UK Professional Skills Research Survey on Tuesday 4 December.

The UK Professional Services Survey (2005/6) contains the findings of a cross section of Construction Professional Services firms (CPS). The survey addresses key issues that the CPSs face with regards to recruitment and skills gaps currently affecting professional services in the built environment. In addition the survey aims to provide an indication of firms' expectations and concerns with respect to future workloads and skill needs.

The evening will provide an opportunity to hear the thoughts of the researchers in terms of the findings and methodology. They will also be on hand to answer any questions about the research and the implications it has on the built environment industry.

6.30pm-6.50pm	Registration & Drinks & Networking
6.50pm-6.55pm	Rt. Hon Nick Raynsford MP <i>Welcome</i>
6.55pm-7.15pm	Mark Way, CIC Director of Skills & Guy Hazlehurst of ConstructionSkills <i>Research Findings</i>
7.15pm-7.35pm	James Hastings of Experian & David Crosthwaite of Davis Langdon <i>Methodology</i>
7.35pm-8pm	Panel Question and Answer
8pm-8.30pm	Networking.

I do hope that you will be able to join us for is sure to be a very informative event.

Places are limited. To register email ksyme@cic.org.uk specifying how many people will be attending.