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Course Timetable – Spring 2010

Course	Month	Duration	Location
Solar Photovoltaic Installer	14th – 16th April 2010	3 days	Bristol
Domestic Heat Pump Installer	27th – 29th April 2010	3 days	Bristol
Renewable Energy Awareness	17th – 18th May 2010	2 days	Bristol
Level 2 Certificate in Developing Environmental Awareness	6 consecutive Tuesdays starting 20th April 2010 and ending 25th May 2010	6 days	Bristol
Level 2 Certificate in Developing Environmental Awareness	6 consecutive Thursdays starting 6th May 2010 and ending 10th June 2010.	6 days	Bath



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Cost:

Free (subject to eligibility)

Eligibility:

If you are employed within the West of England (Bath & North East Somerset, Bristol, South Gloucestershire, North Somerset) and are aged 19 years or over then you may be eligible to free training funded through ESF and LSC.

Next Steps:

For further information, or to book a course, please contact Rob on 01452 702458 or email him at rob.matts@hartpury.ac.uk

About the SWEET Project:

Hartpury College's 'South West Enabling Environmental Technologies' (SWEET) project is developing and delivering training to construction and building services companies in the West of England to give them the skills and knowledge to move into environmental technologies. The project is also supporting organisations from any sector to reduce their carbon footprint by delivering environmental awareness training to employees.

To develop training that meets key business needs in the West of England, Hartpury has consulted with employers to identify the skills and knowledge required to move into environmental technologies. Through the training needs analyses Hartpury has identified what technologies are of most interest, what barriers are impeding their uptake, what knowledge and skills are required by companies, and what format of training this requires. This information is being used by the College as it works in partnership with Summit Skills (Sector Skills Council for Building Services Engineering) and City and Guilds to develop new qualifications in environmental technologies.

These new qualifications will be offered through the project once they have been developed and approved. In the interim, Hartpury is delivering training in existing qualifications to satisfy some of the training needs identified.

The project offers the following training courses:

- **Renewable Energy Awareness (BPEC):** Provides a basic level of knowledge of various renewable energy products and systems for managers/directors, specifiers, installers and builders merchants' employees.
- **Solar Thermal Domestic Hot Water (Logic):** Provides an entry level qualification for experienced domestic heating installers or plumbers, wishing to extend their work into solar heating.
- **Solar Photovoltaic Installer (Logic):** Provides an entry level qualification for experienced domestic/commercial electricians wishing to extend their work into Solar Photovoltaics
- **Domestic Heat Pump Installer (Logic):** Provides qualified heating or plumbing operatives the opportunity to expand their knowledge and skills to include installation of heat pumps.
- **Level 2 Certificate in Developing Environmental Awareness (Ascentis):** Provides learners with knowledge and understanding of the main environmental issues facing organisations, and the skills to deal with them. It is aimed at those who are interested in controlling the environmental impacts of their company.
- **Environmental Awareness Seminar (Ascentis):** Provides an awareness of the issues surrounding the environment and our need to play our part in the prevention of further global warming. It is aimed at anyone who wishes to understand the impact that businesses have on the environment and who are interested in controlling the environmental impacts of their own company

The project offers the following support to business:

- Business training needs analysis – we will meet with you to discuss your organisation's existing knowledge and skills and match them to the knowledge and skills required to move into environmental technologies or to reduce your carbon footprint.
- Individual training needs analysis – we will examine your employees' existing vocational skills, career ambitions and skills for life needs. This will lead to an individual training plan identifying training/qualification aims and timeframes
- Training for employees in environmental technologies and environmental awareness
- Support for apprentices at risk through a training allowance and additional learning
- Enhanced training packages for learners on Train to Gain funded qualifications

If your business is located in the West of England (Bristol, Bath and North East Somerset, North Somerset, South Gloucestershire) and you are working in or looking to move into environmental technologies or have an interest in reducing your company's carbon footprint, please contact Rob Matts, SWEET Project Manager at Hartpury College on 01452 702458 for more information.