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Welcome to this month's Member Insight where we highlight key policy updates and important news from across our sector, including key events and consultations.



Energy & Utility Skills Recognises Excellence in the Water Workforce

Energy & Utility Skills presented four prestigious awards at 'The Institute of Water's 2019 National President's Dinner' to recognise and reward excellence across the UK water sector. To find out the list of winners and see pictures from the event, please click below.

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Policy Updates

Read this month's policy updates that contain information on apprenticeship performance, apprenticeship standards review, T-Levels and also electric vehicle charging. To read more and download, click the button below.

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Electric Vehicle Charging Infrastructure

The UK Government has set ambitions to ensure that almost every car and van in the UK is a zero-emission vehicle by 2050, and to make the UK a world leader in electric vehicle (EV) and battery technologies. The Office for Low Emission Vehicles (OLEV) has been established to support the early market for ultra-low emission vehicles (ULEV – which includes EVs) and is providing over £900 million to position the UK at the global forefront of ULEV development, manufacture and use. Click below to read more.

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NSAP Conference 2019: Tickets on sale now

Hosted by the National Skills Academy for Power, the NSAP Conference with its 'People in Power' Awards is a must attend event. Tickets for this year's event are on sale now. We also have a very limited number of sponsorship opportunities remaining; packages offer an opportunity to reach the 200 senior human resources, learning & development and operational professionals from across the power sector that we expect to attend this year's conference. This year's event takes place on Thursday 12 September 2019. To find out more and book your place click below.



Talent Source Network

Talent Source Network is a collaboration of 26 leading employers in the energy and utilities sector, seeking to inspire ambitious people, from diverse backgrounds, by raising awareness of the breadth of job opportunities at all levels in our sector. Tasked with supporting identified sector needs, it connects employers, talent and partners. It also focuses on delivering targeted campaigns on sector attraction, recruitment and talent retention with youth entrants, Apprentices, Graduates, redeployed professionals and service leavers. To find out more, click below.

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A strategic asset that can walk out the door

The labour market surrounding the UK's environmental utility businesses is sobering for infrastructure investors. Employment is at a record high, and unemployment at a record low, with salaries rising. But the Industrial Strategy and sponsoring department policies do not

recognise utility workforce's as ones to protect. Energy & Utility Skills' Nick Ellins reflects on the rise of human capital as an investor concern click below to read.



Energy & Utility Skills collaborates with Achilles Utility Vendor Database to drive workforce resilience through the supply chain

Energy & Utility Skills and the Achilles Utility Vendor Database (UVDB) have successfully collaborated to encourage investment in skills throughout the supply chain. Recognising the need for upskilling and workforce resilience, Energy & Utility Skills through its 'Procurement Skills Accord', called on the Achilles Utility Vendor Database to support its guiding principles and drive skills development through its verification process. Click below to read more.

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