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"HSE welcomes the introduction of this into the CISRS scheme... it will have a positive effect, particularly for those who may not have received any formal training for years."
Ray Cooke, Head of Construction Sector Safety Unit, HSE

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NASC president speaks at equality event

NASC president and TRAD group chief executive Des Moore was one of four panellists at the recent CN Inspire Me workshop, held in Manchester on Wednesday 13th June, and spoke of ways to increase the number of women holding senior roles in the construction industry.

The CN Inspire Me campaign - officially supported by the NASC and TRAD group - will see four workshops held across the country during 2018 to discuss how to help women advance their careers and remove the career barriers they currently face. A similar event will be held in Birmingham followed by a half day workshop at the 2018 CN Summit.

Moore said: "It was a privilege to speak at the CN Inspire Me workshop, as promoting the role of women in our industry is one of the key objectives of my NASC presidency. Women are sorely under-represented across the construction sector and particularly within the scaffolding industry. This needs to change. Not simply for fairness, but because it makes good business sense. Women bring different skills, perspectives and ideas to the table, all of which give companies a competitive advantage. It was great to discuss ways in which we can encourage more women to take up positions in the construction sector and ensure more is done to create clear career paths without any barriers to progression."

NASC delegates at the Manchester event included David Mosley, NASC director of training & CISRS manager, and representatives from three NASC full contracting member companies, Sarah Klieve - business director at High Peak Scaffolding, Wayne Connolly - managing director of Connolly Scaffolding and NASC Northern regional chairman, and Vicky Welch - contracts manager at James Ingleford Scaffolding.

Klieve said: "It was great to participate in such an interesting and inclusive event, to share and learn from each other's experiences and discuss ways in which we can continue to open up more opportunities for women in the construction sector as well as promoting construction as a positive career choice for both men and women."



(L-R) David Mosley of NASCC/CISRS, Sarah Klieve of High Peak Scaffolding, Vicky Welch of James Ingleford Scaffolding and Wayne Connolly of Connolly Scaffolding.



NASC president and TRAD group CEO Des Moore (seated)



Robin James, David Mosley and Ken Johnson of NASC at the summit

NASC represents UK at European scaffolding summit

The NASC represented the UK scaffolding industry at a European scaffolding summit held in Germany.

Members of the NASC team flew to Cologne for a panel discussion event organised by the UEG (Union Europäischer Gerüstbaubetriebe) in conjunction with SBS (Small Business Standards).

The UEG is the umbrella trade body for national scaffolding organisations in Europe. NASC is the UK scaffolding industry representative and a founder member of UEG. SBS was established with the support of the European Commission to represent European Small and Medium size Enterprises in the standard making process at European and international levels.

NASC managing director Robin James said: "The panel discussion event demonstrated why UEG is the principal forum for the discussion of scaffolding matters in Europe. The group is attracting funding support from SBS for events such as the panel discussion programme, which was attended by delegates from all over Europe. A number of national scaffolding organisations across Europe are looking to join UEG. Associate membership is also strong, with supplier organisations from all over Europe looking to be part of a body which represents the European scaffolding industry."



NASC Contractual Guidance Notes updated and extended

Eight contractual guidance notes have been updated and amended as part of the NASC's ongoing efforts to ensure all reference materials remain up to date and fit for purpose.

The documents, which cover a wide range of topics including pavement licences, pre-tender information and employment contracts, were reviewed and amended by the NASC Contracts Committee.

A new guidance note - CG23:18 Training Costs Agreements - has also been published and added to the online shop. This document identifies a number of important factors scaffolding contractors should consider when seeking to reclaim any part of the cost of work-related training incurred when an employee leaves the company.

The notes are all available for purchase via the NASC online shop. www.nasc.org.uk/shop



New Guidance Note.

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