## VQ Day 4 June 2014



## **Celebrate vocational achievement**

In this tough economic climate, it is essential to recognise that there are many paths to success and appreciate the value that vocational qualifications bring to learners, businesses and wider society.

VQ Day celebrates vocational achievement and learning by doing – aiming to establish parity of esteem between high quality vocational and academic qualifications. Only with appropriately skilled and trained people can we drive the UK economy forward.

On the seventh annual VQ Day on Wednesday 4th June 2014 we will recognise the value of vocational qualifications and celebrate vocational achievement. Visit www.vqday.org.uk to find out how you can get involved Get the Edge Sponsored by City&

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VQ Day 2014 will shine a spotlight on the individuals who have achieved, or helped others achieve, great success in their vocational field.

Vocational qualifications can help individuals to 'get the edge' – whether that's within their current or future careers, or as a platform for Further Education. By celebrating vocational achievement and presenting high quality technical, practical and vocational learning equally alongside academic study, we will ensure that individuals understand the many paths to success.

Nominations for VQ Learner of the Year, VQ Employer of the Year and the new VQ Newly Qualified FE Teacher of the Year awards are now open. Nominate via www.vqday.org.uk/vq-awards. Closing date: Friday 2nd May 2014

VQ Day is an initiative created by the Edge Foundation which champions technical, practical and vocational education.

Join the nationwide celebration and find out how you can get involved at www.vqday.org.uk or by following us on Twitter @ukedge using the hashtag #vqday or join us on Facebook/ukedge.

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