

**TERM 1**

April 23 & 24 2009	Course Outline	Excellence	May 21 & 22	Leadership	June 18 & 19	Business Strategy	July 30 & 31	Performance Measurement	Aug 27 & 28	Customer RM
	Excellence	MBTI		Communication skill	Financial Management	Tools for Excellence		Managing Change		Customer RM

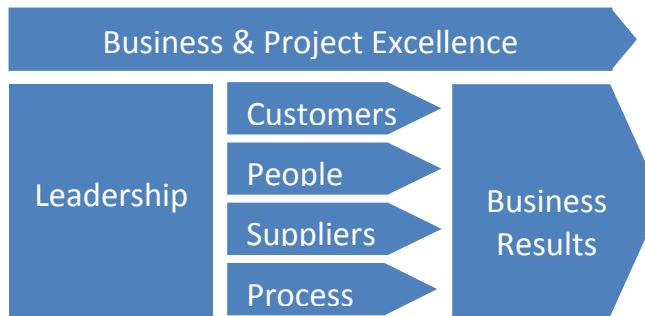
**TERM 2**

Sept 24 & 25	Project Feed Back	Supply Chain Management	Oct 29 & 30	Principles of integration & collaborative working	Supply Chain Selection, appt & Mgt	Nov 26 & 27	Lean Construction Value Risk & Gateway Mgt	Feb 25 & 26 2010	Mar 25 & 26
	Supply Chain Management	Managing an Integrated Team		Managing Integrated Operations	Quality Management & CI in the supply chain		Team Building		Project Peer Review
	Supply Chain Management						Leadership skills		Project Peer Review



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*Trevor Moir, Regional Manager, Fulton Hogan, Auckland*



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# NZIM Diploma in Managerial Excellence in Construction & Engineering (DipMEEC)



## The Academy of Constructing Excellence

## Introduction to DipMEEC

The Academy of Constructing Excellence (ACE) is an established training organisation specialising in Best Practice, Value and Innovation in the New Zealand Construction Industry.

In 2007, we developed a new training course in partnership with NZIM aimed at future leaders of our industry. The course is an NZQA accredited level 6 Diploma.

Aimed at individuals in the succession plan of New Zealand's leading Construction Industry players, there is an emphasis on collaborative development, i.e. contractors, consultants and clients, learning and developing together.

The success of this approach is borne out by the commendations from past and current students and their mentors, many of whom are now members of an Academy Alumni.

The programme comprises learning on all aspects of best practice and leading edge thinking on project and business management. International presenters are regularly brought from overseas to deliver some of the modules and train our facilitators here in NZ.

The concept is designed at creating a 'World Class' industry here in New Zealand by helping to shape the hearts and minds of those in Leadership roles.

*"Listen, learn and network with your industry peers as industry practitioners present the states and methods of international best practice. If you aspire to being a leader in engineering and construction – can you afford to not do a Dip MEEC?"*

*Alex James, Associate, Connell Wagner*

## The Academy of Constructing Excellence

### Key Themes

- **Practical Application:**

Addressing the need for a practical course which equips candidates with real tools for successfully improving their businesses and projects. Students retain 50% by hearing and 85% by doing.

- **Culture and Innovation**

Helping the Candidates to develop their leadership skills and to grow their capacity to innovate.



This is particularly important to the future of the industry as we move from a traditionally fragmented and often adversarial basis to a collaborative and integrated approach. The Academy brings experts in Myers Briggs Personality Types to help Candidates develop the ability to innovate and lead.

- **Access to current Industry Leaders**

An Industry Advisory Panel (IAP) has been formed to provide an overview of course development and interact directly with the Students throughout the modules.

The IAP comprises a number of leading industry figures. Managing Directors, Directors and CEOs of a range of consultants, contractors and clients. Current organisations providing assistance to the IAP are Arrow International, Beca, Fulton Hogan, Leighs Construction, Naylor Love, NZ Strong,

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*"Dip MEEC has really opened my eyes to international cutting edge techniques, while allowing me to debate real issues with other members of the industry in NZ. I would definitely recommend this course to other client organisations."*

*Chris Young, Programme Manager, Transit*

Mainzeal, Massey University (Strategic Property) and NZTA.

### Assessments

The accreditation process means that the student is assessed throughout the course. In addition, the student also works on an internal change project within their current project or their business

A fundamental consideration in developing the course has been to create employees who are capable of assisting their organisations to progress towards world best practice.

### Timing

The programme is run over a year with two five month modules; April to August 2009 and September to March 2010, starting in April 2009.

There is an introductory session in March for Students and their mentors which is designed to orientate and to provide answers to any questions about the course.

### Registration

Registration for 2009/10 closes on the 9<sup>th</sup> March 2009 with a 10% 'early bird discount' available for those registering prior to the 31st December 2008. Investment is \$12,000 plus GST for NZIM or CCG members, \$13,000 for non-members. To register, download the registration form at [www.theacademy.co.nz](http://www.theacademy.co.nz) or contact us using the details over leaf.