

Wigan & Leigh College has a proud history dating back to 1857 and is a highly popular and successful further education college conveniently located between the cities of Liverpool and Manchester.

The College has over **6,500 students** and a turnover of £26m and delivers a range of full-time courses, Apprenticeships, Higher education and professional qualifications and part-time adult courses.

### Centre of Excellence for Engineering

You will be working in the College's Centre of Excellence for Engineering which is a purpose built facility to educate students and Apprentices of the future. Wigan & Leigh College is proud to be the largest provider of Apprenticeships in the borough and third largest (16-18) in Greater Manchester. We have a strong network of employers who choose the College year on year to provide their employees with Apprenticeships, Higher Education and Professional qualifications.

The College is in good financial health and in a secure position to continue to grow its provision and Apprenticeship offer to meet the needs of the local and regional community. The **multi-million pound Centre** offers state-of-the-art training environments, together with the latest machinery, software and equipment to help gain the skills and knowledge required by this fast paced sector.

#### JOIN A STRONG COLLEGE COMMUNITY:

- We are officially a 'GOOD' College (Ofsted 2016)
- We have 'GOOD' financial health (SFA 2017)
- Ranked Top FE College in Greater Manchester (FE Week 2016)
- Highest student satisfaction rate in FE in Greater Manchester (FE Choices 2016)
- Largest FE College provider of Apprenticeship training in Greater Manchester (2017)



**THE COLLEGE OFFERS ENGINEERING COURSES FROM LEVEL 1 THROUGH TO LEVEL 5 IN:**

- Civil Engineering
- Electrical & Electronic Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering

The College also offers an A-Level Professional Honours Programme in Engineering that offers students the opportunity to develop professional skills and knowledge alongside valuable work experience to help support their application to the top universities.

**PARTNERSHIPS WITH EMPLOYERS**

We have established great links with many local, regional and national employers including Sellafeld, HUSCO and ISG who offer our students great opportunities through work placements and industry talks.

**SKILLS AND DEVELOPMENT**

The College is committed to responding to the future skills needs of the local and regional economy; resulting in the development of an innovative engineering curriculum offer.

Over recent years significant investments have been made in teaching and learning and support for all our students which are the key drivers to our success.

**WIGAN & LEIGH COLLEGE IS COMMITTED TO:**

- Offering high quality, responsive teaching and learning
- Inspiring and celebrating students' success
- Ensuring positive destinations and outcomes for all learners

