

### **Summary of TSA Council meeting held on 12<sup>th</sup> October 2016**

- The Director of CSCS, Gordon Jenkins, will be speaking to members at the AGM on 29<sup>th</sup> March 2017. The Secretariat continues to receive a stream of calls from members on the subject.
- The Level 3 Qualification has now been drafted and will be sent to ProQual to finalise and submit.
- The Apprenticeship Trailblazer now has a Project Manager, Christina Hirst, with the aim of having the Apprenticeships written by March/April, ready for delivery from September.
- Citation are running a series of breakfast seminars around the country, on the subjects of HR, Employment Law and H&S.
- A 'Drone Awareness Day' will be held for members at The Survey School on 16<sup>th</sup> November, with a Mobile Mapping Seminar being held at the same venue on 29<sup>th</sup> November.
- Members are signing up for TSA's Conference on 9<sup>th</sup> November, being held at the Avoncroft Museum in Worcestershire. The topic for the day is 'Building for the Future' with a variety of relevant speakers.
- Eleven Membership Applications are currently being processed.
- Membership stands at 172 companies.
- The new Client Guide on Photogrammetry is due to be uploaded and work is soon to begin on a document on Offshore Hydrographic Surveys.
- Sharon Wilkins is the new part-time admin assistant at The Survey School.
- Don't forget that TSA Members enjoy a 25% discount on all courses – spaces are available on Courses 43 (October) and 44 (November).
- TSA's group on LinkedIn currently has over 3,300 members and is open to non-members. TSA also has over 2,100 followers on Twitter (@surveyassoc – make sure you follow us!).