
INFORMATION RELEASED UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT

Information released title	UKFP: progression pathways in retail and hospitality
Original request	In relation to UK Futures Programme Competition 3: progression pathways in retail and hospitality, please email me the names of the employers or organisations that won the bids and copies of the winning bids or web links/urls thereto.
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Information released:

Following proposals received from employers to develop progression pathways for low paid workers in the retail and hospitality industries, the UK Commission for Employment and Skills (UKCES) is currently negotiating contracts with employers to co-invest in projects for this competition. With the award process not yet complete therefore, at this time, the information is not held. UKCES is planning to announce the successful projects via a press release on 11 June which will be published at: www.gov.uk/ukces. This will include brief descriptions on the lead organisations and the aims and objectives of each project. To meet a central aim of the UK Futures Programme - which was set up to advance our knowledge of what works in tackling persistent or emerging skills issues - we will be sharing the learning from the competition as the projects progress and at the end of the competition.

When the award process for this competition has concluded, if you wish to resubmit your request, UKCES will fully consider this in line with the requirements of the Freedom of Information Act.