

# Newsletter

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## Introduction

Welcome to the latest edition of the University of Glasgow Campus Development newsletter.

This newsletter is issued by the university's appointed project delivery partner, Multiplex, for and on behalf of the Campus Development team. Each newsletter will provide an update from the project including the latest site works as well as a look ahead at planned activities.

The University of Glasgow is currently undertaking a £1.3 billion Campus Development programme, which includes the redevelopment of the 14-acre former Western Infirmary site, building a mix of modern research, teaching and public spaces.

The new campus will create a rich mix of community, public engagement and social spaces and enhance engagement between the University and the city.



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## Site Progress

- Cementation Skanska, who are delivering the piling works, have successfully completed over 250 piles to date.
- 3nr large piling rigs are now onsite, with a fourth mini-rig that is currently being used to deliver the tension piles.
- Following the removal of the cladding to the HV switchroom, waterproofing has been completed.



Foundations being prepared for new welfare

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## Look Ahead

- Foundations are to be installed at Plot C to allow for the installation of additional welfare facilities, with site numbers due to increase in the new year as the sub/super-structure concrete works commence.
- The new welfare cabins are due to arrive onsite in January 2025.
- Site works will remain of a similar nature over the coming month, with the piling works progressing across the Keystone plot.



HV switchroom following cladding removal



Aerial view of the site



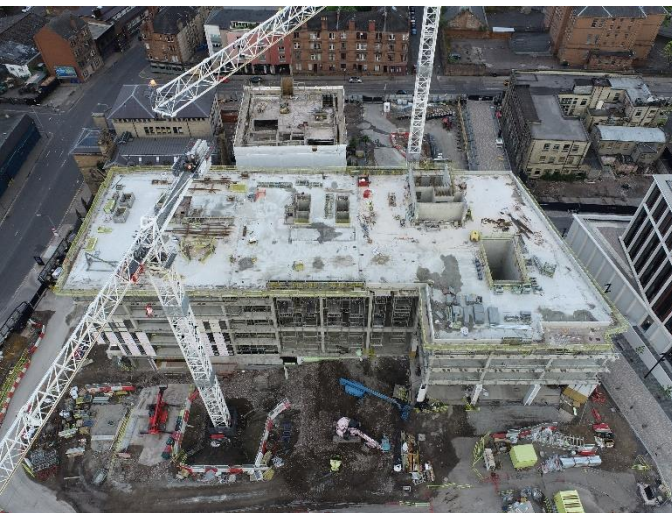
## Social Value and Community Update

- Thank you to those that were able to join us at the community engagement event on the 7<sup>th</sup> November, it was great to see so many of the project's stakeholders engaged as we embark on the next phase of the Campus Development.
- In parallel, a series of internal workshops and engagement events have been held with University students & staff to ensure that they too remain up-to-date as the project progresses.



## Awards

- Congratulations to the project team and specifically structural engineers, Arup, who were recognised with a commendation at the iStructE Scottish Structural Awards for their work on the Adam Smith Building.



- The Adam Smith Building was also shortlisted in the Learning Places Scotland awards for 'Project of the Year', with the Campus Development similarly shortlisted at the Building Awards in the 'Delivering Social Value' category.

## Key Contacts

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## Site Working Hours

Our standard site working hours, agreed with local authority, are below:

**8am – 7pm: Monday to Friday**

**8am – 1pm: Saturday**

There is expected to be times where extended working hours are necessary and in such instances, advance approval is sought from Glasgow City Council.