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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 £1.8 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.

Constructing a better future

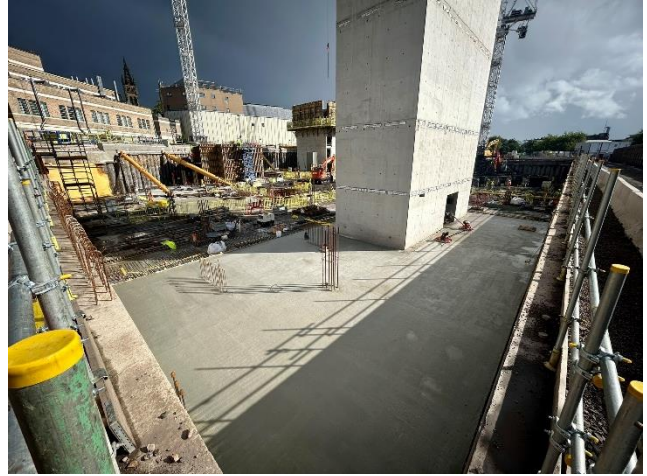
Site Progress

- On 11/09 Careys achieved the first groundfloor concrete slab pour - ahead of programme. In order to achieve a uniform finish, power floaters are used to smooth the concrete immediately after the pour until such time that the required finish has been achieved.
- Concrete works have been completed around the HV switchroom and the basement ramp has also been removed to allow pile caps to progress in this area.
- The Considerate Constructors Scheme (CCS) visited site on 19/09. The team had successfully implemented all recommendations following their previous visit and were able to showcase these positive interventions, including a new games room for site operative.



Look Ahead

- There may be times when power floating, which must be completed whilst the concrete cures, is required to be undertaken outside of our standard working hours. The team have carried out this activity on previous university projects and believe there will be minimal audible impact outside of the site boundary. We will continue to assess this operation and review accordingly. Our programme reflects that this activity will conclude in October 2026.
- With core 1 completed, core 2&3 walls will continue to progress, with the foundation pile caps being prepared for cores 4&5. The completed concrete works around the HV switchroom will be temporarily backfilled until the steelwork contractor starts onsite in Q4 2026.



Before and after the first groundfloor concrete slab pour



Aerial view of the site

Social Value and Community Update

- The team have continued to partner with Action for Children's Youthbuild programme. Youthbuild is a four-week programme aimed at young people who face barriers from entering sustained employment.
- Multiplex and Careys provided a site tour for the young people who got the opportunity to see first-hand the scale of the Keystone project and the types of operations that are currently underway.



- This was followed by interviews for eligible candidates (due to the high-risk nature of the current operations, this was restricted to those 18+), with a successful candidate being offered a 2 week placement, with the potential to go on and secure full-time employment.
- Traffic Marshall, Craig Faulds, completed a monumental walk from John O'Groats to Clydebank - covering a total of 280 miles! After hearing of local boy Tommy's story on social media, Craig was inspired to take on the challenge over 9.5 days and successfully raised £2,205 for Tommy's Neuroblastoma Treatment – congratulations Craig!



- If you would like to find out more about Tommy's story and consider donating, you can do so by visiting his gofundme page using the link below...

www.gofundme.com/f/tommys-neuroblastoma-treatment

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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.

REGISTERED
SITE

CONSIDERATE
CONSTRUCTORS

Considerate Constructors Scheme (CCS)

The site is registered with the Considerate Constructors Scheme.

The Scheme promotes high standards and accountability within the construction industry. It is a voluntary scheme, meaning that Scheme-registered contractors and organisations are actively trying to improve the way they work, by raising their standards in being more considerate to communities, the environment and their own workforce.

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