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| “Great, interesting, and fun. Liked working in a team. Eventful - enjoyed using practical skills. Rewarding, satisfying, relaxed learning. Nice to meet new people.” Student engagement was very high | development of employability skills| Experience of working within a competitive environment | Encouraged individuality in design | Opportunity to develop practical skills | A different approach to learningEngineering Project WeekExecutive Office UHIW | **Goal:** Creating a ‘non-teaching’ week where students can access activities ranging from industry speakers, honours year student presentations, problem solving, and an industry-focused site visit. **Submitted by:** Bob Smith **Project:** To set up a Project Week which will help students engage with the course in a more exciting way.**Benefit to:** Targeted degree students on an engineering programme.

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| ****Key message: Enhance transferable skills****  |
| Work with an external agency to arrange an industry-focused site visit.  |
| Arrange guest lectures from industry speakers.  |
| Ask year 3 and 4 students to give project presentations.  |
| Boost transferable skills including team working, negotiating, and communication.  |
| Encourage creativity by asking students to design, build, and test an engineering problem. |
| **Project delivery**  |  |
| Creation of an initial pilot at Perth College UHI for year 1 and 2 engineering degree students. |
| Selection of a winner for Best Design. |
| Organise presentation by HIAL.  |
| Organise visit to a local industry-focused site.  |

**Impact:**  The intention is to make this event a non-credit bearing module for the Aircraft Engineering programme. To discuss how this initiative could be beneficial to your community please contact Bob Smith |