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## CEEQUAL Awards for projects in London, Belfast and Plymouth

A flurry of CEEQUAL Award presentations is taking place this December in different locations throughout the UK. The first of these was last Friday with an on-site presentation of the CEEQUAL 'Excellent' Whole Project Award for the Olympic Park Primary Foul Sewer and Pumping Station, which achieved a score of 93.8%.

CEEQUAL's Chief Executive Roger Venables presented the Award to the project team consisting of representatives from the ODA, Arup, Barhale Construction and Thames Water. The presentation took place at Thames Water's Abbey Mills Pumping Station.

This week will see the presentation of four more CEEQUAL Awards in Belfast, one in Plymouth and, last but by no means least, eight Interim Awards will be presented to eight sub-projects that were assessed under CEEQUAL as part of the Crossrail project.

More CEEQUAL Award presentations are planned for the 14th, 20th and 21st December and details of these will be released nearer the time.

On Wednesday 8th December, 6.15pm, Roger Venables will present CEEQUAL Award certificates to the project teams of the Granville Industrial Estate, the Belfast 'Streets Ahead' public realm project, Newmarket & Linenhall Street Environmental Improvements and Londonderry to Coleraine & Whitehead to Larne Sea Defence Upgrades at a seminar organised by the ICE Belfast.

Thursday sees the on-site presentation of a CEEQUAL 'Excellent' Design-Only Award to the project team of the East End Community Transport Improvements Scheme in Plymouth.

Finally, the eight Crossrail sub-projects – Sprayed Concrete Lining, Bored Tunnels (Alignment and Track), Intermediate Shafts, Paddington Integrated Project (PIP), Royal Oak Portal, Pudding Mill Lane (incl. DLR Works), Victoria Dock Portal, North Woolwich and Plumstead Portal – will be presented with their CEEQUAL Awards on Friday 10th December, 1pm, at the Crossrail offices in Canary Wharf.

For further details about these projects see:

- Olympic Park Primary Foul Sewer and Pumping Station:  
[http://www.ceequal.com/awards\\_079.htm](http://www.ceequal.com/awards_079.htm)
- Belfast 'Streets Ahead' Public Realm: [http://www.ceequal.com/awards\\_042.htm](http://www.ceequal.com/awards_042.htm)
- Granville Industrial Estate: [http://www.ceequal.com/awards\\_074.htm](http://www.ceequal.com/awards_074.htm)
- East End Community Transport Improvements Scheme, Plymouth:  
[http://www.ceequal.com/awards\\_071.htm](http://www.ceequal.com/awards_071.htm)
- Crossrail: <http://www.crossrail.co.uk/delivering/environment/managing-environment/environmental-design>

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### CEEQUAL – The assessment & awards scheme for improving sustainability in civil engineering & the public realm

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### About CEEQUAL

CEEQUAL is the assessment and awards scheme for improving sustainability in civil engineering and public realm projects. It celebrates the achievement of high environmental and social performance and demonstrates the commitment of the civil engineering industry to environmental quality. CEEQUAL is being promoted by the ICE, CIRIA and a group of committed industry organisations such as CECA and ACE.

The scheme rigorously assesses performance across 12 areas of environmental and social concern, rewarding projects on which clients, designers and constructors go beyond the legal and environmental minima to achieve distinctive environmental standards in their work.

Applicants for a CEEQUAL Award report a range of benefits from using CEEQUAL as a driver for improvement and having their project assessed. These include:

- Reputation-building and good PR – including delivery of the applicant's environmental, sustainability and/or corporate social responsibility policies.
- Improvements to projects and best practice – ranging from whole-life costing, waste minimisation, resource efficiency (materials, water, energy), to reducing complaints and environmental incidents.
- Demonstrating commitment to the environmental agenda – to clients, within the team and the organisations involved, and to the industry as a whole.
- Enhanced team spirit – developing a positive “we must score well here” attitude and rewarding teams that have gone the extra mile.

Since the Scheme's launch in 2003, more than eighty CEEQUAL Awards have been made. Projects that have achieved an Award are listed on the CEEQUAL website. Currently about 180 further projects are being assessed and the total value of projects that have been or are being assessed now exceeds £15 billion.

For more information about CEEQUAL please visit [www.ceequal.com](http://www.ceequal.com).

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