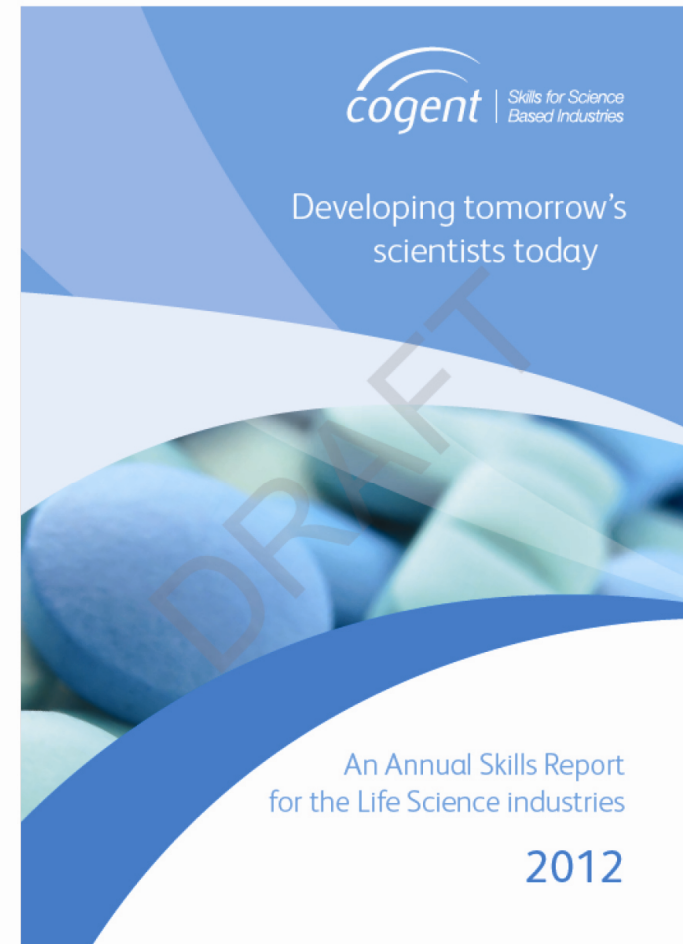


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An Annual Skills Report for the Life
Sciences Industries 2012

Purpose of Skills Annual Report:

- Communicating to the breadth of industries and stakeholders
- Building engagement in the skills agenda
- Recognising the contribution of all partners and what's already been delivered



- Life Sciences
Blueprint 2009
- Skills Action Plan
– Four Work Strands
- Strategy for UK
Life Sciences 2011



Strategy for UK Life Sciences	LSAC Working Groups
Provide information on careers in Life Sciences	Skills Signalling Working Group
Develop a Kitemarking Programme	Skills Signalling Working Group
Develop a strategy to increase placements	Placements Working Group
Introduce Higher Apprenticeships	Apprenticeship Working Group
Implement a tailored mentoring programme for SMEs	SME Working Group

Celebrating Success

- Using best practice case studies
- Launch of HA in Life Sciences
- Placement proposition approved
- SME Gold Standard



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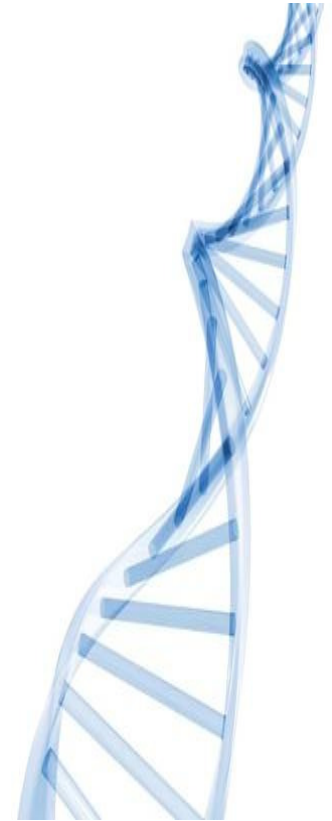
The Life Sciences Skills Awards scheme rewards apprentices, individuals and employers who have excelled in contributing to the development of skills within the Life Sciences sector.

These awards will showcase and celebrate the achievements of those who have:

- exceeded expectations and shown a dynamic approach to training
- demonstrated initiative and enterprise, innovation and creativity
- shown an understanding and commitment to the improvement of skills development.

Launch – October 2012

First Awards Event London – May 2013



The awards will recognise the achievement of individuals and employers across 7 categories

- UK Apprentice of the Year
- Employer of the Year: Gold Standard Award (Large 250+ employers)
- Employer of the Year: Gold Standard Award (Medium 50-249 employers)
- Employer of the Year: Gold Standard Award (Small 1-50)
- UK Life Sciences Graduate of the Year
- UK Placement/Intern of the Year
- Outstanding Leadership in Skills

