



The ambition – a local solution

- Higher Education Strategy
- Modern and innovative university offer
- Attract and retain talent and address skills shortages
- Inspire and raise aspirations of residents
- Addresses the specific demands of employers





The journey and setting the vision

- Stakeholder vision and plan
- Building on current provision and federation model
- Pivotal role of employers
- Meet recruitment needs and upskilling/re-skilling
- Work based routes and apprenticeships
- STEM and key sectors
- Wider benefits of a University





The Institute of Technology

- Covers areas of Swindon, N. Wilshire and SE Gloucestershire
- Delivery by FE colleges, 2 universities and employers.
- IoT with a distinct identity at Swindon College, with industry standard facilities
- Target of 1,800 learners by year 5
- Includes Apprenticeships, full time, part time and up-skilling of existing employees.
- Focus on provision at levels 4 6 (university level)
- STEM subjects –
 Engineering/Manufacturing, Digital,
 Life Sciences
- Phase 1 Success; Submission 23rd
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Get involved!

Would you like to join other stakeholders on the journey to a proactive and innovative local approach to addressing skills shortages?