

Corporate Training Service Shows Employers the Way Forward



IN TODAY'S CUT-THROAT BUSINESS WORLD, disability and diversity management present challenges and new opportunities to employers, particularly in light of new legislation. For forward-thinking companies, these developments can be used to gain an indispensable competitive advantage.

It is into this business environment that National Learning Network has announced details of its Corporate Training Service. The service, formerly known as Orbis, has been fully integrated into National Learning Network in recent weeks and joins the Assessment Service, Continuous Professional Development Service and the Disability Support Service under the new Department of Learning and Assessment Services.

"Through a network of trained specialists and consultants, National Learning Network's Corporate Training Service is specifically designed to meet the individual needs of both public and private sector companies, supporting them in dealing with the challenges of disability and diversity in the workplace," says Helen Chan, Business Executive, Learning and Assessment Services, National Learning Network.

Since 2002, the team has completed training and consultancy projects for a wide variety of public and private companies of all sizes. In addition to designing and delivering disability, diversity, equality and bullying and harassment awareness programmes, the team also

has extensive expertise in the development of equality and disability policies and access auditing.

"Our role is to help employers in establishing best equality practice in areas that include recruitment, employee development and customer service," continues Chan. "We also ensure that employers are kept fully informed of current legislation and are assisted in implementing strategies designed to improve existing policy and practices." ■

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