



Summary of TSA Council meeting held on 28th January 2015

- Six applications for membership are currently being processed.
- Membership stands at 156 companies.
- The Social Media Seminar on 11th February was fully subscribed within a day. We are hoping to be able to schedule a repeat at some point in the year.
- TSA's Health & Safety Seminar will be held on 18th March and hosted by Leica in Milton Keynes. Details will be sent out in February.
- TSA's AGM will be held on 15th April at Leica Geosystems. All are welcome and further details will be circulated in March.
- The Become a Surveyor website re-design is complete. Please take a look: www.becomeasurveyor.co.uk Like any website, it is constantly evolving and being improved, so all suggestions are welcome.
- TSA's group on LinkedIn currently has over 2,500 members and is open to non-members. TSA also has 1,400 followers on Twitter.
- Four revised Client Guides have been published on TSA's website recently:
 - Measured Building Surveys
 - Achievable Accuracies from Modern Photogrammetric Systems
 - Aerial LiDAR Surveys
 - Mobile LiDAR Surveys
- The new Guidance Note on Railway Surveying was launched in November and saw a record number of total downloads in that month (over 2,000). Download all the latest guides here: <http://www.tsa-uk.org.uk/for-clients/guidance-notes/>
- Work continues on revising TSA's Essential Guide to Utility Surveys to align it with PAS128.
- Council expressed thanks to John Witherden at his last Council meeting before stepping down at the AGM. John has served TSA with distinction over the last 16 years and we will miss his wisdom.
- Graham Mills also thanked Council and the Secretariat for their support at his last meeting as President.
- The forthcoming TSA course at The Survey School are fully booked with availability now for Course 39 which starts in September 2015.
- Council discussed both Qualifications (the redraft of the OCF in Utility Mapping) and also Accreditation of companies carrying out Utility Surveys. Discussions will continue as more information is sought.