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**NCS LEAVING YEAR?** 1994

**GCSE OPTIONS?** GEOGRAPHY, ECONOMICS, PHYSICS & CHEMISTRY/

**CHOICES AFTER GCSE?** A LEVELS: MATHS, PHYSICS & GEOGRAPHY.

**DEGREE?** QUANTITY SURVEYING WITH HONS, COST MANAGEMENT OF BUILDING SYSTEMS (DIPLOMA),

**DESCRIBE YOUR CAREER SO FAR?** CONTRIBUTIONS TO SOME OF THE MOST COMPLEX AND INTERESTING CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS IN THE UK AND NORTH AMERICA. ABILITY TO CHANGE THE INDUSTRY AND KEEP DRIVING FOR CHANGE.

**BEST PART ABOUT YOUR JOB?** TO TRAVEL AND MEET PEOPLE FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD. TO GET INTO BUILDINGS BEFORE EVERYONE ELSE DOES.

**WORST PART OF YOUR JOB?** SITTING IN FRONT OF THE COMPUTER.

**ANY TIPS TO AN 16 YEAR OLD YOU?** CHALLENGE THE DECISIONS OTHERS MAKE FOR YOU. RESEARCH MORE INTO WHAT TOPICS WILL BE USEFUL FOR YOUR FUTURE.

**ANY ADVICE TO OUR CURRENT GENERATION OF LEARNERS?**

"TECHNOLOGY IN THE WORK PLACE IS IMPORTANT, BUT BEING ABLE TO ENGAGE WITH PEOPLE IS AS IMPORTANT. ALWAYS BE INQUISITIVE AND CONTINUE TO LEARN EVEN ONCE YOU START TO WORK."

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