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What's happening

01.

New Talent

We're pleased to announce the expansion of our Quality Assurance team to further strengthen our commitment to maintaining high standards. This growth allows us to enhance support and continuous improvement across all areas of delivery.



02.

Partnership Highlights

Learn more about our Partnerships Team's recent visit to some of our approved centres in Malta and Spain!



03.

New Qualifications

We are proud to announce two new qualifications that are now available! Make sure to check out more information about them and consider studying or adding them to your curriculum!



04.

Webinars

We're dedicated to supporting our learners and partners with valuable resources for academic and career growth. Recently, we hosted two webinars. One exploring University Progressions from OTHM Level 3 Diploma in Fashion and Textiles to degree-level Fashion studies at Buckinghamshire New University. Our second webinar offered insights into using Turnitin to uphold academic integrity.



A Word From our COO

Welcome to the OTHM Autumn newsletter.

How fast this year has gone and after a lovely spring and summer - for the UK, we are now experiencing cooler days, darker nights and the leaves changing and falling.

Change has been on our agenda this year too. We have welcomed new colleagues to our fantastic team here in HQ to ensure we continue to provide our centres with excellent customer service.

We now have added several qualifications in Cybersecurity, Python and Artificial Intelligence amongst others. We also have several really exciting qualifications added to the Beauty and Aesthetics sectors and also Airport, Airline and Aviation Management.

You may have noticed some improvements too with EQA processes and also Centre Quality Reviews becoming more streamlined and reports clearer. These are all intended to provide you with the information and feedback we know you appreciate, in order that you and your students get the best outcome whilst studying an OTHM qualification.

Finally, as a team, we always enjoy celebrating many festivals throughout the year with Diwali celebrations as we publish this newsletter.

Enjoy the updates and we look forward to continuing our valued partnerships together.

Best wishes,

Patricia Land
Chief Operating Officer





LONDON GRADUATE SCHOOL

MALTA

London Graduate School is very pleased to announce that we have approval from Malta Further and Higher Education Authority (MFHEA) to deliver and award two new degrees: MBA and MSc in Project Management.

Students who have achieved an OTHM Level 7 Diploma in Strategic Management and Leadership or Level 7 Diploma in Project Management will be eligible to apply with advanced standing (top up).



Further information can be found on the website <https://lgs.edu.mt> or contact info@lgs.edu.mt

Next intake is January 2026.



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Partnerships Team



Our Partnerships team members, Rebecca and Cindy, had the pleasure of visiting some of our approved centres in Europe. This included ThinkTalent Institute and European College of Innovation, in Malta and C3S Business School in Barcelona.

These visits provided a valuable opportunity to connect in person, gain deeper insights into the centres' work, and enhance our collaboration.



The discussions were engaging and productive, reaffirming our shared commitment to providing learners with high-quality education and opportunities for growth.

A heartfelt thank you to the centres for their warm welcome, generosity, and wonderful hospitality. We look forward to achieving even more together in the future!



Did you know you can verify your certificate's authenticity?

To verify a certificate, please scan the QR code at the bottom of the document you wish to verify. You can use your smart phone camera to scan.

E-Certificates are fully secure and can also be verified by visiting the e-Certificate verification web portal and manually entering the learner's name and certificate authentication code from the bottom left corner of the electronic document.



To maintain security and the integrity of the electronic documents, a document is valid ONLY if viewed in this URL <https://verification.othm.org.uk/>.

Students are able to securely share the document via a secure link to third parties for verification purposes.

Further information can be found on our website.

Check your Certificates



OTHM Endorsement Services: ELP and CPD Programmes

Did you know that we offer two types of endorsement for organisations delivering their own learning programmes?

These are:

Endorsed Learning Programmes (ELP) & Continuing Professional Development (CPD)

These services recognise and support the delivery of high-quality training, providing formal recognition through OTHM certification.

Endorsed Learning Programmes (ELP)

ELP is OTHM's recognition of your own courses and training programmes. These are credited programmes designed to reflect the size, level, and scope of structured learning. Endorsement brings the prestige of OTHM and gives learners, employers, and industries confidence that your training aligns with best practices and globally recognised standards.

An endorsed programme is unique to your organisation, as you own the content and delivery. It provides assurance that the programme meets your internal requirements and any specific local needs. ELP is also suitable for formal in-house training such as seminars, study days, and short courses

Certification Includes:

OTHM certificate
Transcript of study

Quality Assurance:

Annual quality assurance is conducted by OTHM to ensure the programme continues to meet endorsement standards.

Continuing Professional Development (CPD)

CPD refers to the learning activities professionals undertake to develop and enhance their skills in the workplace.

OTHM's CPD certification service supports organisations that deliver short, non-credited learning activities by issuing a secure digital certificate of attendance.

These may include:

Seminars
Study days
Workshops
Conferences
Short online courses or webinars

This service differs from ELP in that CPD is intended for much shorter programmes and does not involve credits or transcripts.



For more information, or to apply to any of these programmes, please contact:
elp@othm.org.uk | cpd@othm.org.uk

Quality Assurance

Expanding our team

Welcome



Will Smith

Head of Quality Assurance
& Accreditation

Will has been working in education for nearly 15 years, primarily in Quality Assurance roles in Awarding Organisations and Higher Education Institutions.

He looks forward to working closely with all our centres to support learner progression and to help them achieve their goals.

When not working, he enjoys playing music (currently failing to learn the piano), running with the local club, and photography.



Eleanor Hall

Quality Assurance Officer

Eleanor, known as Ellie in the office, has extensive experience in office co-ordination and recently completed her degree in Law. This has equipped her with detail-orientated and analytical skills which she now applies effectively in her role here at OTHM.

In her spare time you can find her staying active with Pilates and gym sessions, or getting lost in the latest book. Her current page turner is Emily Brontë's Wuthering Heights ahead of the new movie release.

New Qualifications

OTHM Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy

The OTHM Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy aims to develop advanced skills and knowledge for learners to provide safe and effective beauty treatments, aligned with industry and National Occupational Standards (NOS).

Entry Requirements:

- Open to learners aged 16 and above.
- Recommended: Level 2 Diploma in Beauty Therapy or equivalent.
- Centres must ensure learners have the necessary knowledge, understanding, and skills to successfully complete the course.
- The qualification is delivered in English.
- Learners from non-majority English-speaking countries must provide evidence of English language proficiency.
- For full details, refer to the OTHM English Language Expectations page.

Units:

- Health & Safety & Legal Practice in the Salon
- Client Care & Communication
- Facial Electrical Treatments
- Body Electrical Treatments
- Body Massage
- Stone Therapy Treatments
- Dermaplaning Treatments
- Indian Head Massage
- Aromatherapy Massage
- Eyelash Extension Treatments
- Self-Tanning Services



Coming Monday 27 October 2025

OTHM Level 4, 5 & 5 Extended Diploma in Airline, Airport and Aviation Management

The OTHM Level 5 Diploma in Airline, Airport and Aviation Management equips learners with practical and theoretical knowledge in areas such as airline operations, airport management, marketing, sustainability, and safety. It prepares individuals for roles in the aviation sector and provides a pathway for further study.

Entry Requirements:

- Relevant Level 4 Diploma or equivalent qualification
- GCE Advanced Level in 3 subjects or equivalent qualification.
- Mature learners (over 21) with relevant management experience (learners must check with the delivery centre regarding this experience prior to registering for the programme).
- English Language competency.

Units:

- Fundamentals of Airline Management and Operations
- Introduction to the Aviation System
- Airport and Cargo Operations
- Air Transport Marketing
- Operating in a Global Context
- Sustainability in Aviation and Tourism
- Airline Commercial Planning
- Airline Revenue and Pricing Management
- Consumer Behaviour in Aviation
- Digital Marketing in Aviation
- Airline and Airport Crisis Management
- Safety and Security for Aviation



Setting the Standard In Beauty Education



Proud to be
Endorsed
by HABIA

The OTHM Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy is a technical, hands-on qualification designed to equip learners with industry-ready skills, mapped directly to National Occupational Standards (NOS). We are overwhelmingly proud to be endorsed by HABIA - recognised by UK Government as the Hair and Beauty Industry Standards Setting Organisation.



Whether you're a training centre looking to enhance your curriculum or a learner aiming for a career in a salon, spa, or through self-employment, this qualification offers a credible and career-driven pathway.



OTHM Level 3 Diploma in Beauty Therapy

- ✓ **HABIA-Endorsed:** Recognised by government as the Standard Setting Body (SSB) for the hair, beauty, nails, spa and aesthetic sectors.
- ✓ **Mapped to NOS:** Delivers safe, effective, and professional practice.
- ✓ **Career-Ready:** Graduates move on to work self-employed or in salons, spas, and wellness centres.
- ✓ **Customisable:** Includes flexible optional units like eyelash extension treatments, stone therapy treatments, and aromatherapy massage.



Enquire Now to Become an Approved Centre

Webinars

& University Progressions

We're committed to supporting our learners and approved centres with resources that enhance both study and career progression. Recently, we hosted two insightful webinars that dive into key topics for students and educators.

One of our webinars focused on how learners holding an OTHM Level 3 Diploma in Fashion and Textiles can progress into degree level study in Fashion, with Buckingham New University. Whilst providing specific progression opportunities and further guidance, the webinar offered clear insights for learners wanting to understand the next steps in their academic journey. This also included how vocational study can open doors to university level programmes.



Our second webinar over the course of this period provided a closer look at Turnitin, the academic integrity tool widely used in higher education. The session offered demonstrations and a better understanding of how Turnitin supports originality and academic honesty. Furthermore, it established how OTHM ensures fairness and high standards in assessment through plagiarism detection. This webinar provided clarity for both learners and educators on how to meet academic requirements with confidence.

Missed a webinar? You can watch the replays on our [YouTube channel](#)!

Next Webinar:

OTHM Qualifications University Progressions with
Teesside University | Online Learning

A look into progression pathways from OTHM Early Childhood Education qualifications to Teesside University's online BA (Hons) Childhood Studies (Top-up) degree.

Wednesday 26 November | 11:00am (UK Time)





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