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Technical workshops and Seminars – Lessons learned by Trainers

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Recent / Future UKHO CB Activities

International

- 2011 – Hydrographic Surveying Awareness - Antigua
- 2012 – Introduction to Hydrographic Surveying - Fiji
- 2012 – Sandy Island Channel - Antigua
- 2013 – Survey of English and Falmouth Harbours – Antigua

Domestic

- INIS Hydro project
- Trinity house training



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Specific Lessons Learned

- Know your audience
- Be prepared but willing to adapt
- Be realistic – what can be achieved in 2 weeks?
- **Consider the course structure carefully**



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Specific Lessons Learned

Course Structure

- Consolidate theory with practical exercises
- Tell a story where possible:
 - Context
 - Theory
 - Practical application
 - Analysis



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General Observations

- Expert's do not automatically make good teachers!!
- Where possible – Follow up with mentoring



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Success Stories

- UKHO and LINZ working with SOPAC to help them develop high order survey capability
- UKHO working with the OECS to develop a scoping study for a regional hydro survey programme and the establishment of regional hydrographic service
- DARWIN Plus funding for BVIs Survey