

## Another successful upskilling course for FeRFA

Following on from the successful course in decorative quartz and stone systems, FeRFA held another of its one-day upskilling courses – this time on Pumpable/Flowable Screeds.



The training session was hosted by FeRFA Associate member Instarmac at their training facilities in Tamworth. The day comprised a classroom session with FeRFA trainer Terry Foxley, and a practical session led by Andy Hill of PFT Central, who demonstrated the correct setting up procedure of the M-tec mixing pump, preparation of the floor area, how to carry out flow tests and safe operation of the pump.



Terry Foxley, FeRFA Trainer, commented *“The help we receive from Instarmac and PFT in running these courses is invaluable. The excellent facilities and expertise allow us to replicate site conditions and each candidate was given the opportunity to gain hands on experience of handling pumped screeds.”*

Pictured left Andy Hill of PFT Central demonstrates the machinery to personnel from



Ultrasyntec Ltd, Polydeck Resins, Central Flooring Services and Industrial Floorscapes.

Each delegate was provided with training notes, a copy of FeRFA technical guide to Flowable Polymer Screeds, and a complimentary pack from VI Distribution (providers of PPE to FeRFA's training schemes and a single-source supplier for flooring contractors).

FeRFA will be running another one-day training course on flowable/pumpable screeds, this time in the south, at Associate member Ardex premises in Haverhill, Suffolk on Wednesday 30 June. Booking forms are available from the training page on FeRFA website [www.ferfa.org.uk](http://www.ferfa.org.uk) together with details of future upskilling courses, the two apprenticeship schemes (Resin Flooring, Surface Preparation), and information on qualifying the workforce to NVQ Levels 2, 3 and 4.

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