

Wave 4 T Levels- Second Market Engagement Event

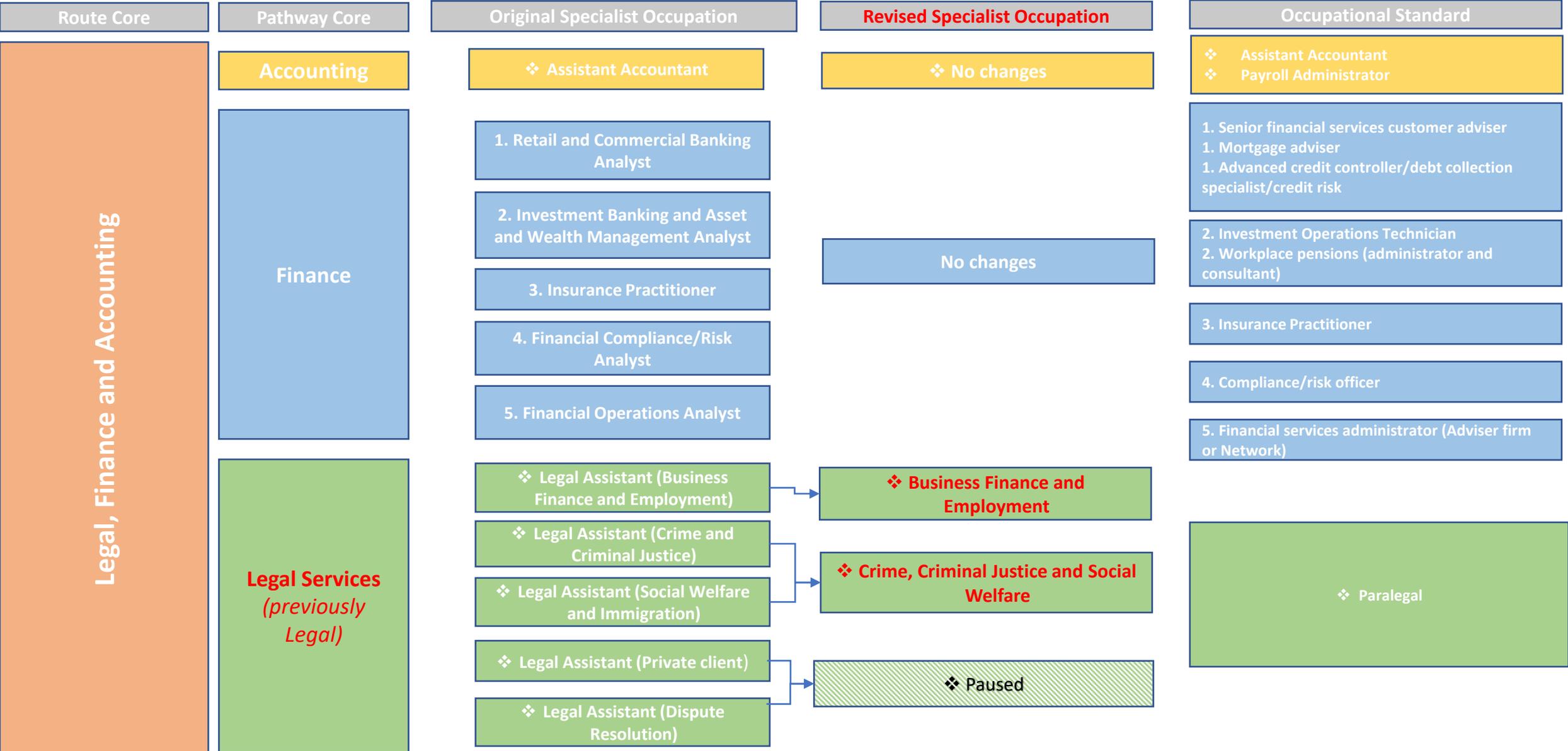
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Agenda:

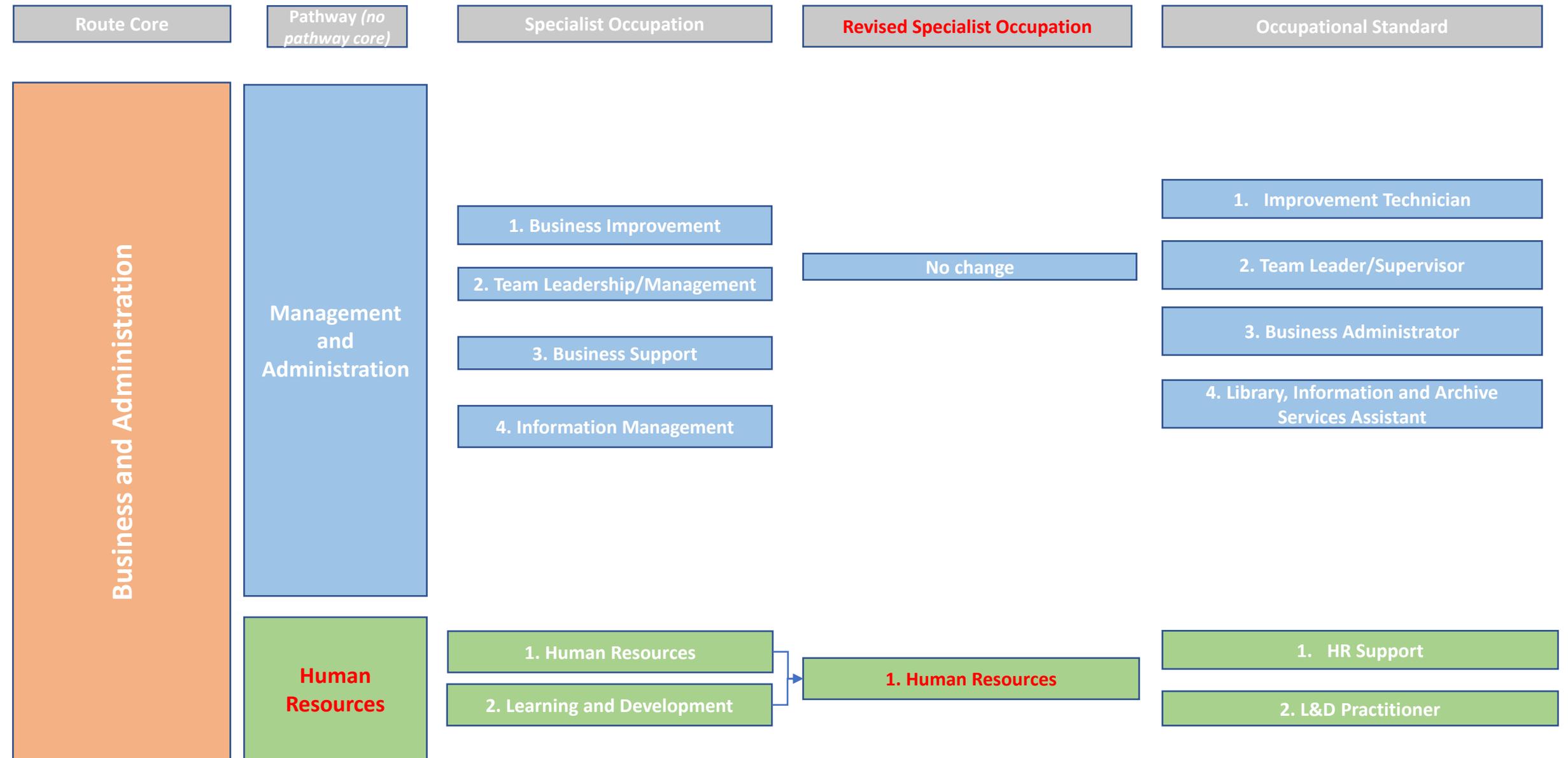
1. Welcome & Introduction
2. Changes to the HR T Level and Legal T Level Outline Content
3. Update on the Craft & Design T Level
4. Wave 4 Procurement Timeline
5. Update on changes to ITT documents
6. Update on changes to TQ Development Process
7. Update on Learner Numbers
8. Q&A

UPDATE on HR T Level and Legal T Level Outline Content

Revised Legal, Finance and Accounting Pathways and Specialisms



Revised Business and Administration Pathways and Specialisms



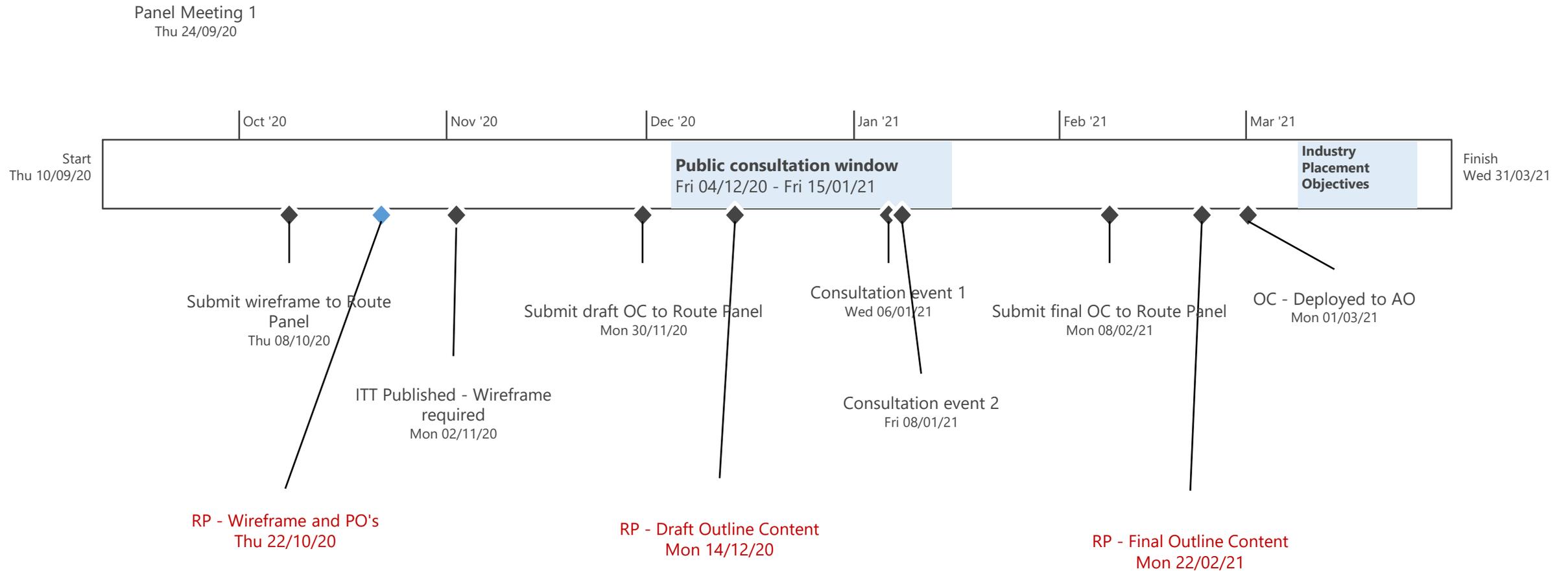
Summary of Changes made to outline content

- Legal Services (previously Legal):
 - Two occupational specialisms:
 1. Business, Finance and Employment (*existing specialism*); and
 2. Crime, Criminal Justice and Social Welfare (*new specialism based on the merging of two existing specialisms: Crime and the Criminal Justice System; and Social Welfare and Immigration*).
 - The Dispute Resolution; and Private Client specialisms have been removed from the outline content and will be paused, either for future contracts and/or if post 19 T Levels are introduced.
- Human Resources:
 - One HR occupational specialism, created from merging the previous HR and L&D specialisms.

Creative and Design Pathways and Specialisms

Route Core	Pathway Core	Specialist Occupation	Occupational Standard
<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Creative and Design</p>	<p>Craft and Design</p>	<p>1. Textiles and Fashion Maker</p>	<p>1. Bespoke Saddler 1. Craft Assistant – Textiles and Fashion option (to be created)</p>
		<p>2. Jewellery Maker</p>	<p>2. Jewellery, Silversmithing and Allied Trades Professional</p>
		<p>3. Furniture Maker</p>	<p>3. Craft Assistant – Furniture Maker option (to be created)</p>
		<p>4. Ceramics Maker</p>	<p>4. Craft Assistant – Ceramics Maker option (to be created)</p>
	<p>Media, Broadcast and Production</p>	<p>1. Events and Venues Technician</p>	<p>1. Creative Venue Technician 1. Live Event Technician</p>
		<p>2. Content Creation and Production</p>	<p>2. Broadcast Production Assistant 2. Junior Content Producer</p>
		<p>3. Creative Media Technician</p>	<p>3. Broadcast and Media Systems Technical Operator 3. Photographical Assistant</p>

Craft and Design Timeline



Occupational Specialism Example: Textiles and Fashion Maker

Route Core	Pathway Core	Specialist Occupation	Performance Outcomes
Creative and Design	Craft and Design	Textiles and Fashion Maker	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li data-bbox="1123 325 2502 504">1. Analyse, respond to and interpret a creative proposition or a given brief taking on board purpose and end user. <li data-bbox="1123 504 2502 629">2. Refine and communicate ideas for creative product development <li data-bbox="1123 629 2502 901">3. Research and experiment with materials, processes, tools and techniques to determine suitability for product development /to realise the design <li data-bbox="1123 901 2502 1136">4. Use selected materials and apply appropriate processes, tools and techniques, to realise ideas and refine the product <li data-bbox="1123 1136 2502 1402">5. Evaluate and critique the design process and product against the original brief or proposition

Wave 4 Procurement TIMELINE &

Update on changes to the WAVE INVITATION TO TENDER (ITT) DOCS

Wave 4 Procurement TIMELINE

Activity	W4 Timeline	CRAFT & DESIGN Timeline
Launch Wave 4 Procurement	3 November 2020	3 November 2020 (wireframe issued)
Stage 1 – Selection Questionnaire (SQ) deadline	17 November 2020	
Outcome of Stage 1 Selection Questionnaire (SQ)	1 December 2020	
Stage 2 – Award Questionnaire (AQ) opens	1 December 2020	1 December 2020 (for AQ General Question only)
Stage 2 – Award Questionnaire deadline	23 February 2021	
Stage 2 – Craft & Design Award Questionnaire (AQ) – Lot Specific Questions opens	/	1 March 2021 (final outline content issued)
Stage 2 – Craft & Design Award Questionnaire (AQ) – Lot Specific Questions deadline	/	26 March 2021
<i>Evaluation/Moderation and Approvals</i>	<i>March – July 2021</i>	
Contract Award	August 2021	

UPDATES to ITT

- Q9.1 Reporting of Students' registration, entry information and results
 - Explicitly stating what parts of the Service Requirements need to be covered (adding 4 bullet points)
- Q9.2 TQ Provider approval and monitoring services and Q9.3 TQ Post-Results Services
 - Increased the character count
- Q.9.7 Designing, developing and managing TQ content and Q9.8 Assessment design and delivery
 - Drawing out importance of employer validation and employer links as part of the response requirements
- Q10.5 Exit and transition management
 - Only required to complete the template
- Q10.8 Resource Plan
 - Template updated with additional column and Contract Manager role flagged as a key resource
 - Question around on resourcing processes and readiness strategy split out
 - Indicative range of resources levels for the Development and Pre-Delivery phases
 - Q10.8 Scoring rationale (*Attachment 4: Evaluation Methodology & Guidance*) updated
- TQ Explanatory Note (guidance for AOs)
 - Interpreting and Applying Service Requirements
 - Details on Assessment Design Walkthrough
- Contract and Service Requirements with regards to TQ Development Process

Update on changes to the TECHNICAL QUALIFICATION DEVELOPMENT PROCESS

Update on LEARNER NUMBERS

By Deborah Potts, DfE

Revisions to learner number estimates

- The forecast volume of T Level entrants is based on a number of assumptions about factors that are currently uncertain - e.g. the number of providers delivering T Levels beyond 2022, and student take-up in the context of the wider qualifications landscape.
- Therefore, volumes are hard to predict and estimated learner numbers are subject to change.
- Recent revisions to some of our assumptions have resulted in an increase in estimated learner numbers for wave 4 T Levels across the first 4 cohorts, with the exception of the Craft and Design pathway.

Indicative volumes for wave 4 pathways

- Revised, indicative volumes over **four cohorts** of entrants starting from September 2023

Route	Pathway	Estimate given in August 2020	Revised estimate
Legal, finance and accounting	Legal	3300	5000
Business and administration	Human resources	3300	4900
Hair and beauty	Hair, beauty and aesthetics	13100	19100
Creative and design	Craft and design	30200	11400
	Media, broadcast and production	21700	39100
Catering and hospitality	Catering	2300	3300
Agriculture environment and animal care	Animal care and management	14500	20900
	Agriculture, land management and production	6800	9800
Total across all pathways		95200	113500

How have the estimates changed?

- We have revised assumptions around the speed of provider take-up from first-teach. This has resulted in an increase in entrant numbers for the initial wave 4 cohorts.
- The estimated volume of Craft and Design entrants has decreased – we have revised assumptions around learner take-up in line with the development of the Craft and Design outline content and occupational specialisms.
- These estimates are subject to ongoing review and therefore subject to change.
- Volumes partly depend on the outcomes of the Post-16 qualifications review, which is subject to consultation.
- The ITT will provide more detailed information about our approach to estimating learner numbers, and will include annual breakdowns.

Q&A