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## Westminster Kingsway College's Geoff Booth awarded Catey 2014 Award for Education and Training in the hospitality sector

Westminster Kingsway College's head of Hospitality, Geoff Booth has been awarded the Hospitality industry's leading award, the Catey for Education and Training. The award recognises Geoff Booth's long standing contribution to education and training for the sector.



Geoff Booth has worked at Westminster Kingsway College for 10 years during which time the Hospitality and Culinary Arts provision has gone from strength to strength.

Accepted as one of the leading Schools of Hospitality in the UK, Westminster

Kingsway College's Hospitality provision is graded as 'outstanding' by Ofsted and leads the way in enterprise with the Peter Jones Enterprise Academy. The College works with a wide range of employers in the Hospitality sector providing work-based training and Apprenticeships, work placements and graduate opportunities for full-time Chef, Restaurant Service and Hospitality students.

Geoff Booth has also held leading roles in the hospitality sector including Chair of PACE, founding Partner in the Mercury Intelligence Group and BritCA Food Development Foundation and is a Board Member of the IOH.

Geoff Booth, Assistant Principal and Head of the School of Hospitality at Westminster Kingsway College said: *"I am delighted to receive such an iconic award as a Catey and for the tremendous support from the Westminster Kingsway College team and from colleagues across the hospitality sector."*



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**Westminster Kingsway College** has an excellent reputation within the hospitality and catering industry and famous former students include Jamie Oliver. The College offers a unique opportunity to study in central London for vocational qualifications that are tailored direct to employment opportunities. Westminster Kingsway College is recognised as one of the leading providers of education and training in the UK.

**Westminster Kingsway College** offers a wide range of full-time and part-time courses giving students the opportunity to gain vocational, professional and academic qualifications at different levels. The College is one of the largest colleges in central London with Centres in Camden and Westminster. It has about 15,000 students across all age ranges and offers 16-19 year old further education as well as a wide range of vocational, professional and academic courses for adults. [www.westking.ac.uk](http://www.westking.ac.uk)