BCS Consultancy Specialist Group

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The Consultancy Specialist Group put on a total of eight events between September 2011 and July 2012. Five of these events were joint events with colleagues from the London branch of the Institute of Consulting. The events were very well received and generally well attended.

The themes were very international in nature covering China and India as well as the London Olympic Games legacy. Change management and consulting assignments are strands that we deal with every day and it was interesting to see both local and multinational approaches here.

The Consultancy SG membership increased by over 10% during the past 12 months and since January this year we have welcomed 384 new joiners raising the Group membership to 3519. However, Linked-in membership was not as high as hoped and continued emphasis on broadening our communication channels remains a challenge for the year ahead.

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