

Ground Investigation Specialist of the Year

Winner Concept Site Investigations

Concept Ground Investigation has steadily grown since it was established in 1997 and last year, increased demand led to expansion of its workforce by 60% and a rise in turnover of 150%.

Concept specialises in larger, more complex ground investigation work and is currently involved in projects for Canary Wharf Contractors as well as working on the Northern Line Extension, Bank Station Upgrade and the Sainsbury's Nine Elms Redevelopment.

Judges said Concept's submission demonstrated its work that straddles the boundaries between geotechnics and structural engineering to deliver outstanding results for its clients and fills a gap in the market.

According to the judging panel, Concept's work on the Shell Building stood out in terms of the method statements prepared ahead of the work and detailed structural analysis of the impact of investigation on the post-tensioned slabs. Judges also commended the company's work on a major project for BskyB that called for a change in approach once on site but which was still delivered on time and within budget.

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Concept's flexible approach and client liaison impressed the judges

