



Lakeside Ceilings and Partitions' contract for Ordnance Survey's headquarters in Hampshire



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GOLD AWARD
Lakeside Ceilings and Partitions – for its Ordnance Survey project, Hampshire
Architect: Broadway Malyan

Lakeside was tasked with providing a partitioning solution that allowed this BREEAM

Excellent office to continue to create heating in as environmentally friendly a way as possible.

The challenge in this open-plan, four-acre, three-storey building was to control the noise created by the exposed concrete used in the eco central heating system. This system has been designed to extract heat made by computers into a network of underground chambers until required for heating.

The AIS judges commented: "The ceilings throughout the project were carefully considered for their acoustic performance, and immaculately installed."

They added: "Being the Ordnance Survey building, the client wanted the ceiling to be installed to magnetic north 3°15' west of grid north – it's not easy spelling that out to the fixers on site."