

ESSENTIAL TRAINING FOR NETWORK RAIL STAFF AT ST PANCRAS INTERNATIONAL STATION

Cutting Edge Training, the independent training division of light personnel vehicle distributor Ransomes Jacobsen, has provided LANTRA-certified training to Network Rail staff based at St Pancras International, the London rail terminus for Eurostar serving mainland Europe via the Channel Tunnel Rail Link (CTRL).

Denis Kirk is the Operations Delivery Manager for CTRL and recently purchased two E-Z-GO electric Shuttle 4 personnel carriers for transporting passengers and their luggage around the terminus. Commenting on the training he said,

“We have put a total of 80 staff through this training programme to ensure they are fully trained in all the operational and health and safety aspects relating to these Shuttles. These vehicles are part of our Mobility Assistance Service and will help us provide a world-class customer-focused service for clients using St Pancras International. Along with the driver we can carry up to three passengers and their luggage in purpose designed carrying racks located on the rear of the Shuttles. They look stylish and are valuable asset to our operations here.”

Will Carr, Senior Trainer with the Cutting Edge Training team, delivered the training and said,

“Network Rail has demonstrated their commitment to training with this LANTRA-certified course, which ensures that all relevant staff are competent in the operation of these vehicles. They operate in confined areas and within a crowded concourse, so it is essential that the operations team are fully trained in their use.”

