- Firebrand only deliver training in IT and digital skills. As experts in IT, we can work with your IT experts to ensure your business receives the technical skills support it really needs from employees and apprentices.

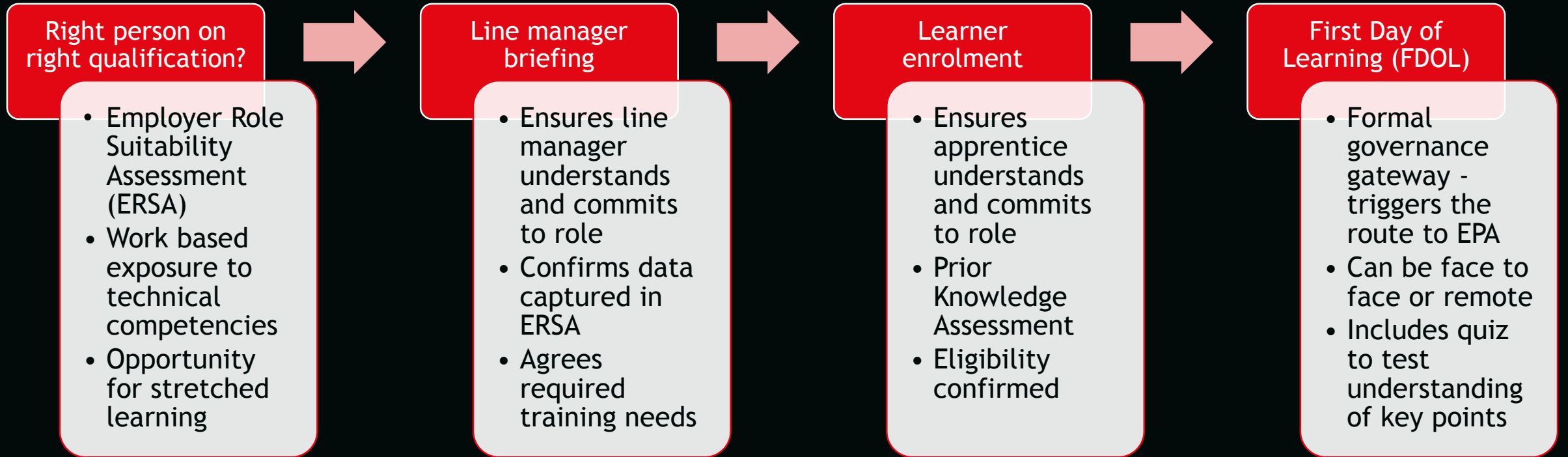- We offer more than 650 training courses and are trusted and certified partners of key vendors including:

A SUCCESSFUL BEGINNING

Right person on right qualification?

- Employer Role Suitability Assessment (ERSA)
- Work based exposure to technical competencies
- Opportunity for stretched learning

Line manager briefing

- Ensures line manager understands and commits to role
- Confirms data captured in ERSA
- Agrees required training needs

Learner enrolment

- Ensures apprentice understands and commits to role
- Prior Knowledge Assessment
- Eligibility confirmed

First Day of Learning (FDOL)

- Formal governance gateway - triggers the route to EPA
- Can be face to face or remote
- Includes quiz to test understanding of key points

Recommended time 15-30 days from initial request to First Day of Learning (can be accelerated)

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DELIVERY METHOD: THE 3 STRANDS

Strand 1: Work Based Learning: A Firebrand Learner Mentor is allocated to support the apprentice and their line manager throughout the duration of their programme. This Access is completely unlimited; supporting with everything from 'off-the-job' training to target setting and your practical course schedule

Strand 2: Residential Learning: Apprentices will attend between 3 to 5 block training sessions at our state-of-the-art training facility in Wyboston. These vendor-specific courses are linked to the knowledge modules within the official Apprenticeship Standard.
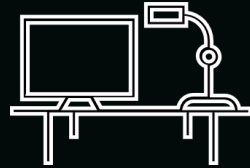
Strand 3: Online & Live Learning: Unlimited access to both Pluralsight and Springboard online learning portals, supporting over 300 vendor-specific training courses in addition to live webinars hosted by our Subject Matter Experts

STRAND 1: WORK-BASED LEARNING

Apprentices spend the majority of their time in the workplace

Work-based learning e.g. off-the-job training and project work, based around your daily role

Monthly progress reviews and teaching modules delivered by Firebrand learning mentors

Weekly journal updates by apprentices are reviewed by learning mentors

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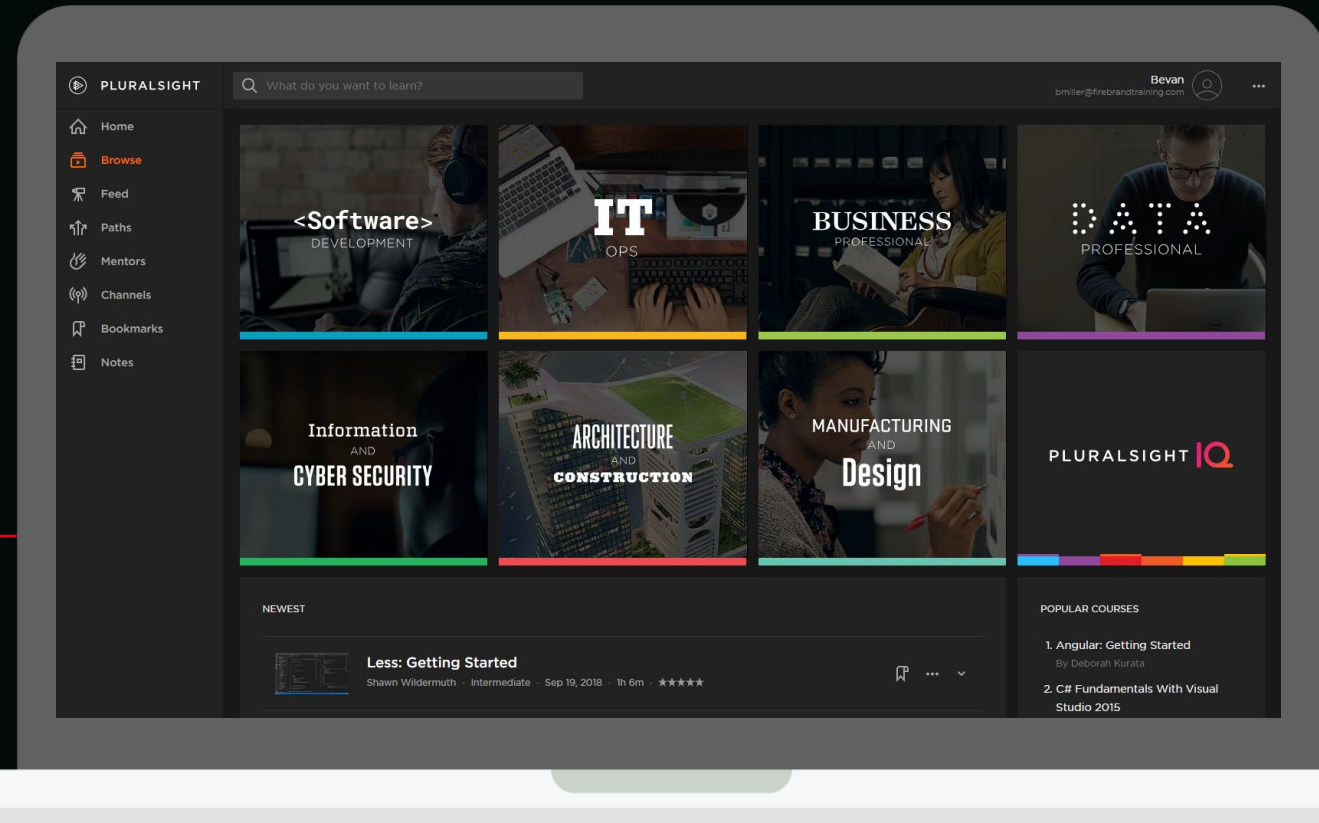FIREBRAND

STRAND 2: RESIDENTIAL TRAINING

- Gives apprentices all the knowledge to pass assessments

- Whole skillset in a single block

- Lecture, lab, review model

- Dedicated centre for IT professionals

- Straight from classroom to exam

- All-inclusive (accommodation, food & refreshments)

https://firebrand.training/uk/apprenticeships/programmes

STRAND 3: ONLINE LEARNING – PLURALSIGHT & LIVE LEARNING

https://www.pluralsight.com/

- Online courses which mirror real-world delivery by matching individuals with a real-world 'mentor' to undertake projects in specific areas of digital delivery

PLURALSIGHT

- Over 300 vendor courses
- Variety of learning activities
- Reading material
- External relevant video resources
- 'Sandbox' environment for learners to virtually practise new skills before being live on a new system

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A BLENDED LEARNING APPROACH

Preparing for Class
Live online classes
Great online content
Milestones & learning checkpoints

Real-world Application
Increased skills & understanding
Improved capability in role
Adding value to your organisation
Dedicated hands on project work
Application & assessment

Core Classroom Training
Expert tuition
Developing a deeper understanding
Theory and practical
Exams sat on site to gain certification

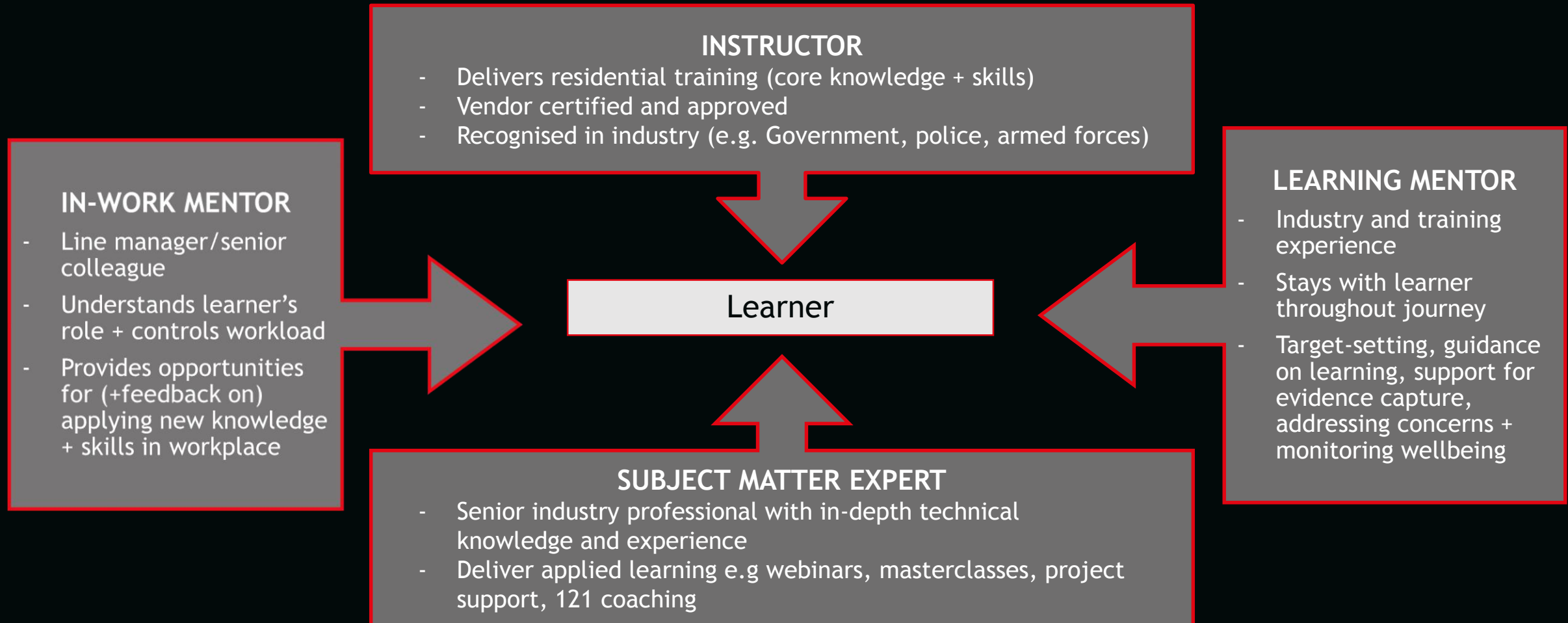| Learner centred approach | Dedicated support throughout the journey | Supported by learning technologies for an 'always on' experience | Learners achieve, step by step following an appropriately sequenced curriculum |

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WHO ARE OUR DELIVERY STAFF?

Course Instructor	• Industry experience: 30 years • 25 years as intelligence analyst and trainer in RAF • Service included 5 years at GCHQ and training at a joint Govt counter-terrorism agency • Worked for Microsoft Academy on leaving RAF • Firebrand trainer since 2015; subject matter expert on cyber security & Microsoft
Subject Matter Expert	• Industry experience: 25 years • Former digital forensics and security consultant • Networking/security consultancy owner for 10 years • Former HE lecturer (Open University) & external examiner • Lead author of Coventry University Cyber Security degree • Author of IISP-accredited pen testing, application testing and forensic courses
Learning Mentor	• Industry experience: 20 years, apprenticeships experience: 4 years • Former network manager and Computer Science teacher • Invited to become an assessor by major IT training provider • TAQA qualified, currently studying towards MCSE • Personally supported nearly 20 learners to achieve EPA

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APPRENTICESHIP STANDARDS WE DELIVER

DIGITAL STANDARDS	STANDARD	LEVEL	PROGRAMMES IN DEVELOPMENT
SOFTWARE	Software Development Technician	3	
	Software Developer	4	
	Software Tester	4	
	IT Solutions Technician (Software)	3	
NETWORKING	Infrastructure Technician	3	Level 3 Digital Solutions Technician
	Unified Communications Technician	3	
	Network Engineer	4	
	Unified Communications Trouble Shooter	4	
	IT Solutions Technician (Hardware)	3	Level 6 Digital and Technology Solutions Professional
SECURITY	Cyber Security Technologist	4	
	Cyber Intrusion Analyst	4	
	Cyber Security Technologist – Risk Analyst	4	Level 6 Data Scientist
OTHER	Digital Marketer	3	
	Data Analyst	4	
	IS Business Analyst	4	
	IT Technical Salesperson	3	
	Associate Project Manager	4	

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