

UK SKILLS

1999 World Skills Competition, Montreal, Canada

Position of UK competitors in each skill

Skill		Competitor	Results				Gold Medal	
No	Title		Mark	Position	No of entries	Award	Mark	Country
4	Mechatronics (2)	Neil Bowen Gerald Hodgson	471	16	20		554	Korea
5	Engineering Drawing & CAD	Paul Richardson	471	16=	19		547	Korea
7	CNC Milling	Jay Worbey	490	10=	16		542 541	Taiwan Austria
9	Information Technology	Mark Charlton	536	2=	17	Silver	547	Singapore
11	Patternmaking	Ross Blackwell	504	6	9	Diploma	529	Switzerland Japan
12	Wall & Floor Tiling	Gary Bainbridge	415	15	15		531 530	France Denmark
13	Autobody Repair	Ian Hale	481	12	16		551	Japan
15	Plumbing	Danny Anstey	498	9	17		559	Korea
16	Industrial Electronics	David Hargreaves	458	12	12		539	Singapore
17	Electronic Applications	Matthew Wills	518	3	8	Bronze	539	Taiwan
18	Commercial Wiring	Gavin Battersby	504	10	19	Diploma	548	Brazil
20	Bricklaying	Chris Armitage	528	4	15	Diploma	544	Ireland
21	Stonemasonry	Phillip Parry	477	9	12		550	France
22	Painting and Decorating	Julie Lark	432	15	15		540	Taiwan
23	Plastering	Michael Worth	477	7	9		539	Japan
24	Cabinet Making	Stuart Marston	503	10	19	Diploma	544	Switzerland
25	Joinery	Steven Garrett	518	6=	19	Diploma	534	France
26	Carpentry	David McConnell	509	8=	16	Diploma	531	Switzerland
27	Jewellery	Chris Bilton	498	9=	14		549	Japan
28	Floristry	Claire Tosh	483	8	12		554	Sweden
29	Ladies' Hairdressing	Emma Dillon	503	11	19	Diploma	552	Norway
30	Men's Hairdressing	Dominic Stables	469	13	15		558	Finland

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33	Automobile Technology	Matthew Rigby	494	12	21		540	Austria Australia
34	Cookery	Ben Turner	476	21	24		549	Switzerland
35	Restaurant Service	Stuart Bennett	526	3=	19	Bronze	541	Ireland
36	Car Painting	Chris Brown	513	4	12	Diploma	552	Switzerland
38	Refrigeration Techniques	Chris Currie	487	10=	14		547 545	USA Australia
42*	Confectioner (Pastry Cook)	Michael Zietek	467	6	7		547	Denmark
43*	Beauty Care	Jenna Bailey	528	2	5	Diploma	543	Canada
45*	IT & PC Network Support	Gary Atkinson	469	4	5		543	Hong Kong

* demonstration trades

Summary of UK awards

Gold medals

None

Silver medals

Information Technology

Bronze medals

Electronic Applications
Restaurant Service

Diplomas of excellence

Patternmaking
Commercial Wiring
Bricklaying
Cabinet Making
Joinery
Carpentry
Ladies' Hairdressing
Car Painting
Beauty Care (demonstration)