

Further Web Science

Digital Inequality Workshop: Task 1

You are employed as a consultant by the Web Science Trust. The new Government (May 2015) has a manifesto commitment to make a step change towards digital inclusion by 2020. The Government is aware that there has been some criticism of the approach taken by previous governments and is looking to WST to provide a credible alternative approach. What are the key themes that you would discuss and why?

Digital Inequality Workshop: Task 2

You are a Senior Policy Officer working for Bradford City Council. The council members have tasked you with writing a strategy for online services for the City which may be used to seek central government funds from a social inclusion programme. What resources would you use for this task? What new research, if any, would you want to undertake?

Digital Inequality Workshop: Task 3

You are a Research Officer consultant for a large civil rights charity. The charity has received a large bequest from a donor to develop a strategy on 'big data'. What is your approach?