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**The New Students' Centre**

Thank you very much indeed for meeting me with my former colleague Don Taylor on Tuesday afternoon. We are extremely grateful to LSE for allowing our Third Year to use the New Students' Centre as a Case Study building in early 2012, a lot of their final degree outcome will depend on their work in this course.

I did want to say how very impressed we all are here with the public presentation of the project both around the site and most particularly on the web. It is truly exemplary, the most complete and attractive communication of a project we have ever seen, from the fascinating animation of the demolition sequence, something we have really never seen before, to the exciting film of a journey through the building and all the supporting descriptive material. The transparency with which of all the contact points within LSE and the contractor are presented is also very impressive. Many congratulations. The building will clearly be a truly world class Architectural contribution.

Kind regards,

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