IEMA

IAIA Ireland-UK Branch

Regional Strategic Environmental Assessment Forum:

Integration in SEA

Thursday 23rd October 2008

Venue: The Carriage Works, Millennium Square, Leeds

Programme

9.30 – 10.00	Registration: Tea & Coffee
10.00 – 10.15	Welcome from the Chair: **Why Integrate?** (**Jo Murphy** – Chair IEMA Y&H Regional Steering Group and Environment Agency)
10.15 – 10.40	**Government visions of streamlined assessment of Plans** (**TBC** – Department of Communities and Local Government)
10.40 – 11.05	**Lateral Integration – Assessing Cumulative Effects** (**Josh Fothergill** – IEMA and Committee Member IAIA Ireland & UK Branch)
11.05 – 11.35	**Break**: Tea & Coffee
11.35 – 12.30	Session 1 (Choose A, B or C) **A) Climate Change (Mitigation)** **B) Habitats Regulations Assessment (Appropriate Assessment)** **C) Strategic Flood Risk Assessment (SFRA)**
12.30 – 13.30	**Lunch**
13.30 – 14.25	Session 1 (Choose A, B or C) **A) Climate Change (Adaptation)** **B) Health Impact Assessment (HIA)** **C) Water Framework Directive (WFD)**
14.25 – 14.55	Feedback from session 1 and 2 workshops
14.55 – 15.20	**Downward Integration – Environmental issues between Plans & Projects** (**Karl Fuller** – Sherwood Sustainability and Environmental Associates)
15.20 – 15.45	**TBC** (**Professor Peter Roberts** – Academy for Sustainable Communities)
15.45 – 16.05	Producing Integrated Outputs – Writing Effective Environmental Reports (**Jo Murphy** - Chair IEMA Y&H Regional Steering Group and Environment Agency)
16.05 – 16.25	**Panel Discussion**
16.25 – 16.30	Chair's Closing Remarks
16.30	**CLOSE**

Breakout Session 1 (11.35 – 12.30)

Session 1	**A**: Climate Change (Mitigation)	**B**: Habitats Regulation Assessment (Appropriate Assessment)	**C**: Strategic Flood Risk Assessment
Session Chair	Nick Blyth (IEMA)	Jo Murphy (Environment Agency)	Josh Fothergill (IEMA)
11.35 – 11.50	Briefing on Climate Change Mitigation (TBC)	Briefing on Habitats Regulation Assessment (TBC) Natural England	Briefing on Strategic Flood Risk Assessment (**Martin Slater** – Environment Agency)
11.50 – 12.15	Case Study – REAP tool (**Ellie Dawkins** – Stockholm Environment Institute)	Case Study – Tees Flood Risk Management Strategy (**Sally Powell** – Environment Agency)	Case Study (TBC) LPA Example
12.15 – 12.30	Q&A	Q&A	Q&A

Lunch will be served between 12.30 and 13.30.

Session 2	**A**: Climate Change (Adaptation)	**B**: Health Impact Assessment	**C**: Water Framework Directive
Session Chair	Nick Blyth (IEMA)	Jo Murphy (Environment Agency)	Josh Fothergill (IEMA)
13.30 – 13.45	Briefing on Climate Change Adaptation (**Gail Hammond** – Environment Agency)	Briefing on Health Impact Assessment (TBC) GoYH	Briefing on Water Framework Directive (TBC) – Environment Agency
13.45 – 14.10	Practical Advice (TBC)	Case Study – TBC (**Ben Cave** – Ben Cave Associates)	Practical Advice (TBC) – Richard Whittaker, Environment Agency
14.10 – 14.25	Q&A	Q&A	Q&A

Feedback from workshop sessions and afternoon programme