

Leaders of the Future in Sustainable Development Programme schedule, 2nd-3rd March 2011



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Please note the following:

- To access this programme you must first apply for a place.
- Full details are on the LSIS website at www.lsis.org.uk under 'Programmes and Services'.
- The schedule is subject to change.

Day One – 2nd March 2011

10.00am	Arrivals
10.30	Session 1 – scene setting <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introductions (to people, programme and approach)• Sector overview (recognising the diversity of the sector) Reflection: celebrate how your organisation is already embracing sustainability
11.30	Coffee
11.50	Session 2 – Sustainable Development <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Understanding sustainable development• What does it mean for the sector – and in particular your organisation?• Identifying opportunities and threats that this agenda brings to your organisation
12.50pm	Lunch
1.45	Session 3 - Focusing on a sustainable development sector area with a sector-champion <p>An opportunity for participants to attend a different workshop of interest</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Leadership & strategy• Teaching & learning• Community & business• Estates, facilities, carbon and procurement
3.00	Coffee
3.30	Session 4 - Focusing on a sustainable development sector area with a sector-champion <p>Repeat of session 3 with participants choosing another topic</p>
4.45-5.15	Session 5 – Reflection <p>What would you like to see in your organisation?</p>
Evening	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Early dinner as a group, with attendance of the sustainability-leading learning providers that presented during the afternoon.• After dinner: interactive sustainability communications tools and games including Harvest

Day Two – 3rd March 2011

8.45	Introduction to day two Reflection: what queries are you bringing to the day?
9.00	Session 1 – the bigger picture <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Global issues• National strategies and the role of the FE sector Reflection: what skills are we and our learners going to need in the increasingly complex future? What are the implications for your organisation?
10.00	Session 2 – stakeholder engagement Who and how do you need to engage, or continue to engage with to develop the whole organisation's commitment and practice in sustainable development?
11.00	Coffee
11.30	Session 3 – You are not alone! Information, support, signposting and linkage available through the EAUC network as part of the programme
12.30	Lunch
1.15	Session 4 – Developing a Low Carbon Economy Linking strategy with regional and national drivers to develop your role, engage stakeholders, and increase your impact in your organisation
2.15	Session 5 – Open Space You define the agenda of small meetings to discuss issue of particular interest.
3.15	Coffee
3.30	Session 6 - Action planning surgery <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Session to assist participants to develop action plans• PLUS making a commitment to the action plans with the group.
5.00	Close

You will benefit from the extensive experience and knowledge in sustainable development of a team of senior leaders and experts from both within the sector and beyond, including:

- Di Dale, Principal, Wiltshire College and Chair, AoC South West Sustainability Network
- Esin Esat, Director of Sustainability, Bedford College
- Allan Nickson, Head of Sustainability and Special Projects, Myerscough College
- Kirsti Norris, Action for Sustainability
- Gillian Sinnott, Estates Manager, Wigan & Leigh College
- Iain Patton, Chief Executive, Environmental Association for Universities and Colleges
- Jo Matthews, sustainable development consultant and former VP at Somerset College
- Nigel Rayment, sustainable development consultant and former FE curriculum leader