

BioRegional solutions for sustainability

Invitation Draft



Universities & Colleges workshop invitation Construction Commitments: Halving Waste to landfill

Attend the WRAP workshop, organised in conjunction with the EAUC, to learn how you can reduce your construction waste and cut costs by implementing the Waste to Landfill Commitment. Prepare for the 2010 Capital Investment Framework from the Higher Education Funding Council for England which promises to demand better environmental performance for all the schemes it funds, including achieving BREEAM 'Excellent' for new build. Learn why nine universities and the Environmental Association for Universities and Colleges, with a membership of over 270, have already signed up to the Commitment. Find out how to save money by incorporating a good practice approach to resource use and waste minimisation.

Through presentations, case studies and discussion, you will learn how to work with your supply chain, using the procurement process to measure and improve performance. You may wish to invite your principal supply chain partners to register too.

9.15	Registration
9.30	Introduction: the Waste to Landfill Commitment and round-up of UK action by Universities and Colleges – John Holland, Construction Manager, WRAP
10.00	The challenge of minimising waste for universities & colleges – Iain Patton, Executive Director, EAUC
10.30	Halving waste – the carbon benefits – John Holland, WRAP
10.45	Coffee & discussion
11.00	What are universities & colleges doing to reduce waste & some leading case studies ? - Helen Sachs, Project Manager, Mace
11.45	What tools and resources are available? – John Holland, WRAP
12.30	Questions / Expert Panel

13.00 Lunch