REGAIN

Reducing the Greenhouse Effect through Alternative Industrial Estates Management in North West Europe

WORKSHOPS: (to be confirmed)

Remediation of Contaminated Industrial sites

Approach taken to sustainable remediation of a heavily contaminated former steelworks site - Halcrow Yolles

The REGAIN Project

An EU project to promote shared knowledge and technology transfer by construction and analysis of sustainable commercial building pilot projects from Belgium, France, Scotland and Wales - TBC

Passivhaus Design & Use of Sustainable Materials

Tour of low energy and Passivhaus dwellings constructed as part of the Works development - TBC

Providing Local Employment with the Social Clause

The use of 'social clauses' in contract documentation to promote investment in the local economy, BGCBC

Business Incubation in Blaenau Gwent

Approach taken to stimulate development of new businesses in a region with high levels of deprivation - BGCBC

WORKSHOPS

Community Engagement, Biodiversity & Public Art

Means employed to ensure full community participation in the project on a broad range of aspects of site development - BGCBC

The Works - Contractor's Experience

Experience from the contractor's perspective of the implications of embracing the Works project's Social Clause - Wilmott Dixon Group

Learning Campus

A new vision for learning and Skills through the Learning Campus – Jim Bennett, Principal, Coleg Gwent

Booking information:- www.programme-regain.eu/seminars

REGAIN@THE WORKS Sustainable Regeneration In Practice

THURSDAY 6TH OCTOBER 2011

'The Works', Ebbw Vale, Blaenau Gwent, South Wales

One day conference dealing with the regeneration of a contaminated 18ha former steelworks site.

A European Best Practice Seminar with workshops hosted by Blaenau Gwent County Borough Council.

PROGRAMME:

9:00 Arrival Refreshments will be provided

9:30 Welcome and Introduction: Welsh Government (to be confirmed)

9:45 Sustainable Regeneration at The Works, Ebbw Vale: Richard Crook, The Works Project Director

10:25 REGAIN Project: Olivier Granville (BEP), Economic Office, Province of Namur, Belgium

11:00 Break Refreshments will be provided

11:30 Session 1 (see panel on left)

12:15 Session 2 (see panel on left)

- 13:00 Lunch Refreshments will be provided
- 14:00 Session 3 (see panel on left)
- 15:00 Session 3 (see panel on left)
- 16:00 Closing Session (see panel on left)
- 16:20 Close























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