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ESRC Research Seminar

The Governance of Eco-City Innovation



Event 2

Eco-city innovation: integrated systems management and policy co-ordination

Tuesday, 11 October 2011, 9.30 am - 4.30 pm

Boardroom, University of Westminster,

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| Programme | | |
| 9.30am | Registration & tea/coffee | |
| 10.00am | <p><u>Theme 1: Integrating spatially</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opening remarks: new thinking in eco-city development; Peter Head, Executive chairman of the Ecological Sequestration Trust • Taking Ecocities out of the Showroom: Eco-integration, Eco-enclaves or Green-wash?; Prof. Simon Marvin, and Dr Mike Hodson, University of Salford | |
| 11.15am | <p><u>Theme 2: Integrating people and technology</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strategic niche management for eco-cities; Prof. Frank Geels, SPRU, University of Sussex • Knowledge creation and transfer in integrated sustainable urban design: The case of Arup's eco-city business; Dr Lars Frederiksen, Aarhus University and Dr Andrew Davies, Imperial College | |
| 12.45pm | Lunch | |
| 1.45pm | <p>Breakout session 1- Boardroom</p> <p>Institutional challenges towards a renewable energy infrastructure; Dr Ellen M van Bueren, Delft University of Technology</p> <p>Policy coordination challenge for historic city centres' governance in Serbia; Jelisaveta Mihajlovic, Northumbria University</p> | <p>Breakout session 2- Room 154</p> <p>The emergence of a new field in sustainable products and services: a case study of capability development in a professional service firm; William Wu, Imperial College</p> <p>The impact of users and location on domestic 'green' technology; Alice Owen University of Leeds / Arup</p> |
| 2.45pm | <p><u>Theme 3: Integrating between institutions (and levels)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Integrating Institutions - establishing the Institute for Sustainability to support eco-cities and retrofit, Ian Short, Institute for Sustainability • A Political Perspective- TBC | |
| 4.00pm | Discussion, reflections and summing up- Round table | |
| 4.15pm | Networking; tea/coffee | |
| 5.00pm | Close | |