

EmPOWERING the HUMBER

The Renewables Revolution

Wednesday 9th June 2010

Forest Pines Hotel

Renewable energy is a hot topic, commanding more interest and controversy than almost any other current issue. Climate change concerns have already started to impact on how we live, work and play, and this influence is set to increase dramatically during the first half of the 21st century.

The arrival of renewable industries in the UK will have a greater impact in some areas than others. The Humber region's combination of geography, industrial heritage and existing infrastructure means it has the potential to become a prime hub for renewables based investment and development in the UK.

This exciting conference will present the challenges and opportunities associated with the arrival of the renewable energy sector in our region.

Programme

- 09.30 Welcome from conference chair Dr Glyn R Hughes
- 09.35 **Leading the Charge** - technology development & deployment
Andrew Haslett - Director of Strategy Development at the Energy Technology Institute
- 10.05 **Green Jobs** meeting the skills challenges
Beverley Foster - Skills Development Manager at Yorkshire Forward
- 10.35 **Re-wiring the Region**
*Sarah Pearson - Head of Humber at Yorkshire Forward
& Dr Glyn R Hughes - Chair of the Humber Renewables Network*
- 11.05 Break
- 11.30 **Renewable Returns** - the opportunities for businesses & communities
Ronan O'Regan - Director Energy & Utilities at PriceWaterhouseCoopers
- 12.00 **An Industry View**
Vaughan Weighill - Development Manager - Humber Gateway Project at E-on
- 12.30 Networking Lunch



Tickets: £50 +VAT (before May 7th)
£75 +VAT (after May 7th)

When: Wednesday 9th June, 9:30am - 12:30pm, followed by a networking lunch

Where: Forest Pines Hotel, Ermine Street, Broughton, North Lincolnshire, DN20 0AQ

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