

ESE Sustainable Procurement

Sustainable procurement is now a key requirement for new build and maintenance. It has widespread support through government policy and is providing commercial advantage and opening up new opportunities across the industry.

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The **ESE Sustainable Procurement** one-day training programme provides procurement and environment professionals with the capability and confidence to understand and exploit the benefits of procuring effectively and responsibly. The one-day course helps you to understand how to consider sustainability when either procuring or tendering & delivering projects and will equip you with the tools and know-how to deliver a climate for sustainable solutions through design & specification, construction processes and maintenance plans. You will be able to assess the impact of tender returns, undertaking a technology, ecology and commercial benefit analysis through case studies and group exercises.

During the course you will consider the key aspects of sustainable procurement, including:

- **Drivers** - moral, financial and legislative
- **Actions** – procurement, design, construction
- **Innovation opportunities** - new processes and technologies
- **Benefits** - social, environmental and commercial.

You will understand sustainability and its implementation and define new approaches to procurement and construction processes.

The course is highly interactive utilising case study and group exercises. The training is focused and immediately deployable, delivering practical advice for you and your project teams. It focuses on delivering best practice advice in an effective, understandable and useable way. The tutor has a wealth of experience of developing and delivering sustainable solutions on a wide variety of projects for public and private Clients.

Objectives

The course aims to:

- help you to understand how your organisation can deliver social, environmental and economic sustainability through procurement whilst still delivering value for money
- help you to understand the concepts of sustainability
- explore the sustainability agenda
- examine the latest news and lessons learned from major sustainable procurement case studies from across the UK
- network and share experience with peers from across all levels of the procurement community.

Outline Programme

- Objectives of the day
- Sustainable Procurement
- Sustainability developments - technology and process
- Legislation update
- Sustainable indicators
- Benchmarking
- Roles of designers, contractors and Clients

Course Leader Neil Jarrett

Neil Jarrett is a Chartered Civil Engineer with qualifications and experience in Business Management. His early career was in the management, design and supervision of major construction projects in the UK and overseas where he gained a wide appreciation of scientific, engineering and environmental issues. After this he took a business degree and started management of consultancy and applied research in the Business and Construction Process Disciplines. His specialist knowledge includes supply chain partnering, establishing collaborative contracts, risk and design management. He is a trained

facilitator and has run workshops for HM Treasury, NHS Estates, DETR, Local Authority and Contractor organisations.

In 2002 Neil set up and led the Collaborative Working Centre, an organisation to provide training and support to Clients and Contractors to help them to develop and implement a strategic approach to supply chain management. The organisation is supported by the Department of Trade and Industry and Construction Industry Training Board