

**Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum Keynote Seminar:
Next steps for climate change policy - delivering the National Adaptation Programme**

Timing: Morning, Thursday, 9th July 2015

Venue: Congress Centre, 28 Great Russell Street, London WC1B 3LS



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Agenda subject to change

- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Lord Hunt of Chesterton, former Chief Executive, Met Office
- 9.05 - 9.20 **Progress in preparing for climate change: assessing the National Adaptation Programme**
Daniel Johns, Head of Adaptation, Committee on Climate Change
- 9.20 - 9.35 **National Adaptation Programme: progress and next steps**
Jonathan Tillson, Head of Sustainable Business, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
- 9.35 - 9.50 **Adapting to climate change: the role of the Environment Agency**
Charlie Corbishley, Climate Change Adaptation Manager, Environment Agency
- 9.50 - 10.05 Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.05 - 10.15 **Adapting to climate change in Scotland - a case study**
Anna Beswick, Adaptation Scotland Manager, Adaptation Scotland
- 10.15 - 11.15 **Infrastructure and adaptation - priorities for key stakeholders**
Tony Glover, Director of Policy, Energy Networks Association
Dr Caroline Lowe, Principal Engineer, Network Rail
John Slaughter, Director of External Affairs, Home Builders Federation
Juliette Daniels, Director, Climate UK and Partnership Manager, London Climate Change Partnership
Paul Hammett, National Specialist (Water Resources), NFU
Questions and comments from the floor with Anna Beswick, Adaptation Scotland Manager, Adaptation Scotland
- 11.15 - 11.45 Coffee
- 11.45 - 11.55 **Climate change and health: concerns and priorities**
Dr Angie Bone, Head of Extreme Events and Health Protection, Public Health England
- 11.55 - 12.05 **Protecting water resources in a changing climate**
Dr Mike Keil, Asset Strategy Manager, Severn Trent Water
- 12.05 - 12.15 **Flood management and adaptation priorities for communities**
Rupert Clubb, Director of Communities, Economy and Transport, East Sussex County Council and Chair,
Local Adaptation Advisory Panel
- 12.15 - 12.25 **Building ecological resilience: climate change and the natural environment**
Dr Mike Morecroft, Principal Specialist, Climate Change, Natural England
- 12.25 - 12.35 **Adaptation in the retail sector: climate change and store portfolio**
Zoe Young, Property Plan A Project Manager, Marks & Spencer
- 12.35 - 12.55 Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum closing remarks**
Lord Hunt of Chesterton, former Chief Executive, Met Office
Sean Cudmore, Deputy Editor, Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum