



**Brighton & Hove
City Council**

Brighton & Hove Sustainability Conference 2010

**The Evolving Seas:
Policy, climate change and the impacts and
opportunities for marine resources and ecology**

15th & 16th April 2010,
Cockcroft Building, University of Brighton, Brighton



University of Brighton



Climate &
Renewables

Programme

Day 1: Marine and coastal implications to policy and climate change

8.00–9.00	Setting up of stalls (Cockcroft Hall)	
9.15–10.00	Registration / coffee / networking (Cockcroft Hall)	
10.00–10.05	Conference open / Welcome	Prof. Julian Crampton, Vice Chancellor, University of Brighton
10.05–10.15	Chair's introduction	Prof. Stuart Laing, Pro-Vice Chancellor, The University of Brighton
10.15–10.20	Leader's welcome	Cllr Mary Mears, Leader of Brighton & Hove City Council
10.20–10.40	Keynote Speaker Marine Spatial Planning – Marine and Coastal Access Act and some related issues	Dr Peter Jones, Department of Geography, University College London
10.40–11.00	Marine Conservation Zones - Implications of the Marine and Coastal Access Bill for nature conservation at the regional/local level	Kate Bull, Project Officer, Marine Conservation Zones, Natural England and Sue Wells, Project Manager, Balanced Seas
11.00–11.30	Refreshments / networking / stall holders	
11.30–11.50	Inshore Fisheries & Conservation Authorities (IFCAs),	Tim Dapling, Chief Fishery Officer & Clerk, Sussex Sea Fisheries Committee
11.50–12.20	Question & Answer session	Panel including all morning speakers and Oliver Dixon, Legal Officer, Brighton & Hove City Council
12.20–14.00	Lunch / networking / stall holders / film screening*	
14:00	Afternoon open & welcome	John Barradell, Chief Executive, Brighton & Hove City Council
14.00-14.05	Chair's introduction	Thurstan Crockett, Head of Sustainability & Environmental Policy, Brighton & Hove City Council
14.05–14.25	The Changing Sea & Coast	Prof Andy Cundy, School of Environment & Technology, University of Brighton
14.25–14.45	Local implications of coastal erosion for Brighton & Hove	Ian Nunn, Asset Systems Management Team Leader, Environment Agency
14.45–15.05	Brighton Marina – its construction & strategy for future maintenance with environmental considerations	Jon Orrell, Managing Director, HOP Consulting,
15.05–15.35	Refreshments / networking / stall holders / short films*	
15.35–15.55	Marine ecology in Brighton & Hove	Steve Savage, Local Marine Educator
15.55-16.15	The Blue Gym	Chris Hines, Environmental Campaigner/ Co-founder of Surfers Against Sewage
16.15–16.30	Short films*	
16.30–17.10	Question & Answer session	Panel (including all afternoon session speakers)
17.10–18.00	Stall holders / networking	
18:00	Conference day 1 close	

Day 2: Opportunities from offshore energy generation and technologies

8.00 – 8.50	Setting up of stalls (Cockcroft Hall)		
8.50 – 9.40	Registration / coffee / networking / stall holders (Cockcroft Hall)		
9.40 – 9.50	Conference Open/ Chairs Welcome	Cllr Ayas Fallon-Khan Deputy Leader, Brighton & Hove City Council	
9.50 – 10.10	Keynote speaker – Offshore wind energy	Peter Madigan, Head of Offshore Renewables, Renewable UK	
10.10 – 10.30	UK Round 3 offshore wind development	Ian Bryan, Contract Manager, Crown Estate	
10.30 – 10.50	Sussex offshore wind farm	Dave Rogers Regional Director for Renewables E.ON Climate & Renewables UK, (Developer of Hastings Zone / Sussex offshore wind farm)	
10.50 – 11.20	Refreshments / networking / stall holders		
11.20 – 11.40	Offshore energy generation	Tom Frood, Engineering Manager, Searoc	
11.40 – 12.00	Artificial reef / Poole Harbour	Roger Brown, Head of Leisure Services, Bournemouth Borough Council	
12.00 – 12.40	Question & Answer session	Panel (including all Day 2 speakers)	
12.40 – 15.15	Lunch / networking / stall holders	13.45 – 17.30	Coastal ecology tour, Shoreham Beach - Led by Steve Savage (supported by Dr Gerald Legg, Keeper of Natural Sciences, Booth Museum of Natural History, Brighton & Hove)* ₂
	Film screening: 'The End of the Line'		
15.15	Stalls and Conference close		

*** A range of short films will be shown including some on underwater landscapes from Natural England**

***₂ The coastal ecology tour will be repeated twice. Transport will be provided for delegates participating in tour to and from conference venue.**

