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Energy Funding and Investment Information Day

Metropole Hotel, Leeds
6th December 2006

INTRODUCTION

A wide range of investment and funding programmes exist for the research, development, demonstration and deployment of new and renewable energy technologies. However, as each programme is run and promoted by discrete organisations with limited coordination between the various providers and contractors, it is complex and difficult for those wishing to obtain funding to access the appropriate programme to suit their needs.

AIM

The purpose of the information day is to provide a comprehensive overview of the private and public investment and funding opportunities available to those wishing to research, develop, demonstrate and deploy new and renewable energy technologies.

TARGET AUDIENCE

The event will provide valuable information for:

- Project and technology developers;
- Project and technology investors (e.g. Angel Investors, Banks, High Net Worth Individuals, Venture Capitalists).
- Energy utilities;
- Large energy users in the public and private sectors (i.e. those wishing to deploy new and renewable energy technologies); and
- Business support organisations and industry / trade associations.

OBJECTIVES

The information day will:

- Provide an opportunity for those seeking funding to identify the right programme(s) and/or investor(s) to meet their needs;
- Provide an opportunity for private sector investors to identify high quality project and technology development investment opportunities;
- Enable technology and project developers to plan ahead to match their research, development, demonstration and deployment needs with the various priorities and deadlines associated with the funding programmes;
- Stimulate networking and partnerships between private and public sector organisations and individuals involved in energy technology research, development, demonstration, deployment and investment; and
- Help funding providers and their contractors to signpost technology and project developers to the appropriate programmes if their own programmes are not suitable.

SCOPE

The event will cover funding opportunities that fall under three main categories, namely:

- Research and Development;
- Demonstration and Project Deployment; and
- Knowledge Transfer.



AGENDA

09:30 – 10:00	Registration		
10:00 – 10:30	Chairs Welcome Address “Yorkshire and the Renewable Energy Challenge” Future Energy Yorkshire		
<i>The presentations will be given on a rolling programme throughout the day. Delegates will choose which presentations they wish to attend.</i>			
	SESSION 1	SESSION 2	SESSION 3
10:40 – 11:00	UK Research Council Energy Programme EPSRC	DTI Collaborative Funding Tuvnel	Knowledge Transfer Partnerships University of Leeds
11:00 – 11:20	Carbon Trust Applied Research Grants Carbon Trust	NPower Juice NPower	DTI Business Development and Industry Sponsorship DTI
11:20 – 11:40	COFFEE BREAK		
11:40 – 12:00	Framework Programme 7 Energy Energie Helpline UK	Hydrogen Fuel Cells and Carbon Abatement Technologies Demonstration DTI	Intelligent Energy Europe, a case study perspective TBC
12:00 – 12:20	LIFE IC LIFE-IC	Low Carbon Buildings Programme, the Yorkshire Perspective Microgeneration Yorkshire	Knowledge Rich and Environmental technologies Yorkshire Universities and Environmental Technologies Centre of Industrial Collaboration
12:20 – 12:40	Grants for Research and Development Yorkshire Forward	Carbon Vision Carbon Trust	
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15:40 – 16:00	Closing Address – Energie Helpline UK		



FORMAT

The information day will comprise of five main elements:

Seminars A series of seminars will be held throughout the day on the research, development, demonstration and deployment funding and investment opportunities available to project and technology developers.

Networking Extensive opportunities to network with project and technology developers, funders, business support organisations and investors will be available throughout the day.



Project and technology showcase Project and technology developers will be given the opportunity to post non-confidential details of their proposed projects and technologies on display boards located within an exhibition area.

If you wish to exhibit at the event, please complete the poster presentation section of the registration form overleaf.

Information stands Manned information stands on each of the energy funding and investment programmes covered by the event will be located at strategic points throughout the venue.

SPONSORSHIP

Two sponsorship opportunities are available: Standard and Platinum.

Both Standard and Platinum sponsors of the event will receive the following promotional benefits:

- The sponsor's logo will be featured on conference promotional material distributed prior to, during and following the event;
- The sponsor's brochures will be included in the conference pack; and
- Sponsors will have an opportunity to have an event sponsor stand at the event.

In addition to the promotional benefits listed above, Platinum sponsors will also have their logos prominently displayed at the refreshments serving points and on the tables within the main auditorium.

The Standard sponsorship rate is £1,000 (+ VAT) and the Platinum sponsorship rate is £2,000 (+ VAT).

If you wish to sponsor the event or would like to obtain more information on the sponsorship opportunities available, please contact **Jemma Benson** at –

Jemma.Benson@fey.org.uk

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ACCOMMODATION

We have negotiated a concessionary accommodation rate with the Metropole Hotel for guests wishing to stay overnight on 5th December 2006. The rate of £109 B&B will apply. To reserve a room, contact the hotel on –

Tel: 0113 245 0841

and ask of the Future Energy Yorkshire rate.



REGISTRATION FORM

Five ways to register

Telephone	Email	Post	Fax	Online
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Title

Surname

First name

Organisation

Address

Postcode

Country

Tel

Fax

Email

Please specify your field of interest:

- Research and Development
- Demonstration
- Project Deployment
- Knowledge Transfer

Please specify whether you are a:

- Project Developer
 - Technology Developer
 - Large Energy User
 - Investor
- Other, please specify below

The information provided by you will be used for correspondence for this event. The data will also be held on a Future Energy Yorkshire database to provide you with information on similar events and the services that Future Energy Yorkshire provides. We will not sell or distribute this information to third parties. If you do not wish to receive details of Future Energy Yorkshire's services, please tick here.

POSTER PRESENTATION APPLICATION

If you are a new or renewable energy project or technology developer and wish to exhibit a Poster Presentation, please complete the section above and provide a general overview of the content of your poster in the space below. Please return this form before **20th November** and we will confirm whether your application has been successful and send you further details.

