

LATEST NEWS

FMC makes a ground-breaking commitment on carbon emissions

Find out about an innovative scheme launched by Action Sustainability client FMC Technologies to help mitigate the environmental impacts of their core product.

Nike, Best Buy and others to share green product innovation

Discover how Nike and Best Buy are collaborating to share intellectual property for green product design, and how your organisation can join them.

Farnell announces more innovative, environmentally friendly packaging solutions

Learn more about this market-leading biodegradable packaging solution for electronics which Iceberg Group member Premier Farnell will use on 3.6 million products each year.

Sector leaders recognised in annual Dow Jones Sustainability Index review

Who is leading the way on sustainability according to the latest Dow Jones Sustainability Index? Read their annual review to find out.

Task Force calls for stronger ties between companies and their communities

Understand how building relationships with the communities where you operate could add value to your business by reading the report from the Building Stronger Communities Task Force.

Next target is your water footprint

Find out how Defra's water footprint steering group intends to secure water supply in Britain and in countries from where we import goods.

For the latest news on sustainable procurement visit our news page <http://www.actionsustainability.com/news/> which is updated daily.

TRAINING COURSES AND EVENTS

Sourcing Sustainable Solutions 25th November 2009, Maple House, Birmingham

Increase the sustainability of your supply chain and discover innovative suppliers who can lessen your environmental impact at our Sourcing Sustainable Solutions event. Contact [Kavita Shial](#) for more details.

Please find below all of the current scheduled training courses. If you have specific needs that are not met by these courses, please do not hesitate to contact us.

HEMA accredited CPD sustainable procurement training courses

Practical and hands on training that will enable you to discover the tools and techniques of sustainable procurement.

Current course schedule:

- Tuesday 24th November, Birmingham
- Wednesday 2nd December, London

If you have any specific **training** or **consultancy** needs, please contact Emma-Jane on 0207 700 0008.



JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Action Sustainability is looking for an Associate to join our growing team of Sustainable Procurement trainers and consultants. We are looking for a South East based talented and experienced procurement professional with a passion for sustainability, who is interested in supporting and delivering training to a wide range of public and private sector clients. If this Associate role is of interest, please send your CV with a short covering letter to [Emma-Jane Allen](#)

CASE STUDIES

Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust

The 10:10 campaign wants businesses, individuals, organisations and educational bodies to cut their carbon emissions by 10% in a year. Here's how Nottingham University Hospitals NHS trust did.

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SUPPORTED EVENTS

eWorld Purchasing & Supply, 29th-30th September 2009, Victoria Park Plaza Hotel, London
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Sustainable Procurement 09, 30th September 2009, QEII Conference Centre, London
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Sustainable Procurement in Construction, 22nd October, Bonhill House, London
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Mayor of London's Green Procurement Code Awards, 26th October 2009, RIBA, London
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Sustainable Innovation 09, 26th-27th October 2009, Farnham Castle, Farnham
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