

Solent Matters: Shaping up for another 25 years

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Introduction

The Solent Forum is running a one day conference, chaired by Peter Barham, to provide organisations who operate in the Solent with an overview of the issues in this complex coastal and estuarine area, and the planning and management currently on-going and required for the future. The conference marks the Solent Forum's 25th Anniversary and the Forum will show case work that has been conducted since its inception, and encourage a forward look for the next 25 years. The conference is aimed at Solent Forum members, as well as user groups, NGOs, marine businesses, consultants and agencies involved in coastal planning and management.

Session 1 – The Solent as an Asset (Chair, Natural England)

Speakers include: Royal Haskoning, ABP, Hants & Isle of Wight Wildlife Trust, RYA and the Environment Agency

- Planning for people and jobs
- Marine industry
- Habitats and species
- Recreational use of the coast and water
- Natural capital

Session 2 – Management of the Solent (Chair, Southampton Solent University)

Speakers include: Channel Coastal Observatory, Southampton City Council, Solent Strategic Mitigation Partnership, Chichester Harbour and Langstone Harbour

- Data and monitoring
- Challenges for Solent Authorities
- Mitigating for Bird Disturbance and Planning for house building
- Implementing coastal plans and policies
- Managing the Solent European Marine Site

Session 3 – Planning for the Future (Chair, ABP Mer)

Speakers include: Eastern Solent Coastal Partnership, Southern Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authority, ABPmer and the University of Portsmouth

- Flood Risk and Coastal Change
- Fish and Aquaculture
- Changing Geomorphology
- Future research techniques and innovations

To book please see overleaf.....

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Booking Form

Please complete this form (one for each delegate) and return to the address below. The Solent Forum will confirm your place and if applicable invoice you on receipt of this booking form. This invoice will allow payment by credit card.

Conference Costs		
	£ Cost	£ Early Bird (by 28 February 2017)
Solent Forum Member	55	35
Ordinary Rate	95	65
*Concessions	65	45

There may be a limit placed on numbers attending from any one member organisation; a reserve list may be held for additional requests.

Three free places will be offered to students from the Solent Universities (UoP, Solent and Southampton Universities). Solent Forum members need to apply on behalf of their students.

** Concession rate applies to small organisations of less than 10 staff and charities.*

Delegate Details						
Title:						
Name:						
Organisation name:						
Job title:						
Email:						
Phone number:						
Postal address:						
Cost option (please tick):	Member	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ordinary Rate	<input type="checkbox"/>	Concession	<input type="checkbox"/>
Meal aboard HMS Warrior on 11 May (extra £15)*	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Do you need any special arrangements?						
Do you have any dietary requirements?						

Places are subject to availability
** Solent Forum members only*

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