
























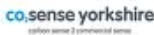
## BCSD-UK Activity Review 2009

The following *excludes*:

- Meetings with individual members
- Reports posted on the web site
- Web site maintenance activity
- Reports issued just to sub groups such as the Management Committee, Scottish Steering Group, Low Carbon Energy Group, the latter's Steering Group, etc
- Daily correspondence. For instance, in 2009 the CEO alone received 15,695 BCSD-UK related e-mails in the year and sent 4518.
- Promotional material issued to advertise BCSD-UK events

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| Jan    | BCSD-UK UPDATE published   |  |
| Jan 12 | BCSD-UK represented at Carbon Trading Workshop   | Leeds  |
| Jan 12 | Presentation to Scottish Enterprise SD Group   | Glasgow  |
| Jan 13 | Production meeting re BCSD-UK DE Guide<br><br><br><br>(picture: Front page of the BCSD-UK DE Guide that can be seen via <a href="http://www.bcsd-uk.co.uk">www.bcsd-uk.co.uk</a> ) |  |
| Jan 15 | Meeting with Councillor Lee re BCSD-UK Energy group ideas  | Coventry   |
| Jan 20 | Membership recruitment meeting with Hurley/Palmer/Flatt  | London   |
| Jan 30 | Presentation to South Yorkshire Green Business Club  | Sheffield  |
| Feb    | BCSD-UK UPDATE issued  |  |
| Feb    | BCSD-UK response to GES Interdepartmental Group on Sustainable Development Call for Solutions  |  |
| Feb 4  | Meetings with Napier University and Standard Life  | Edinburgh  |
| Feb 5  | Presentation to Scottish Enterprise Priority Industries Group  | Glasgow  |
| Feb 5  | Meeting of the Scottish Steering Group   | Glasgow  |
| Feb 9  | Production meeting re BCSD-UK DE Guide   |  |
| Feb 11 | Morning workshop on Renewable Energy and featuring work of the BCSD-UK Low Carbon Energy Group   | Sheffield<br>Hosted by<br><br>Sponsored by<br> |
| Feb 11 | Afternoon workshop on Climate Change Risk Management<br><br>   | Sheffield<br>Hosted by<br><br>Sponsored by  |


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|           | (Picture: Paul Turner of Lloyds Banking Group addresses delegates at Sheffield workshop)   |   |
| Feb 12    | Challenging Convention Workshop  | London<br>Hosted and sponsored<br>                      |
| Feb 25    | General Meeting, London (featuring SD in London 2012)<br><br>(picture: Peter Braithwaite, Head of Sustainability, Olympic Delivery Authority, talks about sustainable development and the London Olympics) | London<br>Hosted and sponsored by<br>                   |
| Feb 26    | Annual Review Management Committee Meeting   | London   |
| March     | Notification of two-tier membership fee distributed to all BCSD-UK members. Businesses under 250 employees now qualify for lower SME fee rate of £750 plus VAT.  |  |
| March     | Briefing for Labour Finance and Industry Group   |  |
| March     | Report on difficulties in engaging Government on 10 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary event and why Shadow Minister ended up as guest political speaker – issued to DECC on their request  |  |
| March     | Linked the Public Foundation for the Progress of the Industry, Budapest, Hungary to the WBCSD  |  |
| March     | BCSD-UK represented at Lord Mandelson low-carbon summit in London  |  |
| Jan 3     | Production meeting re BCSD-UK DE Guide   |  |
| Mar 5     | Food Security Workshop   | Leeds<br>Hosted by Northern Foods<br>Sponsored by<br> |
| March     | Report issued from Food Security Workshop  |  |
| Mar 6     | Recruitment meeting with Jardine Lloyd Thompson UK   | Birmingham   |
| Mar 9     | Workshop for Leaders of Tomorrow project   | Birmingham<br>Hosted by<br>                           |
| Mar       | BCSD-UK UPDATE issued  |  |
| Mar       | Report “Challenging Convention” published from February workshop   |  |
| Mar 12    | Meeting with GLA   | London   |
| Mar 15-18 | Attendance at World Business Council Delegate Liaison Meeting  | Montreux   |
| Mar 19    | Presentation to South Yorkshire Green Business Club  | Sheffield  |
| Mar 25    | Attended Lafarge Cement UK Stakeholder meeting   | Birmingham   |
| March     | Published BCSD-UK 10 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Portfolio – a summary analysis of progress from members of the House of Lords, members of the House of Commons, members of the BCSD-UK and others. Foreword by Jonathon Porritt.  |  |




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| Mar 26   |  <p>BCSD-UK 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Summit</p>  <p>(picture: Dr Per Sandberg, MD, Business Role Focus Area, World Business Council for Sustainable Development and Project Director Vision 2050, speaks to Summit delegates)</p> | <p>London<br/>Hosted by<br/><br/>Sponsored by:<br/><br/><br/><br/><br/></p>  |
| Mar 31   | Recruitment meeting with Laing O'Rourke   | Dartford   |
| April    | BCSD-UK UPDATE published  |  |
| April    | Interim report on Young Business Leaders project issued to BCSD-UK members  |  |
| April    | The Asahi Glass Foundation Survey issued to members   |  |
| April    | Article submitted to "Engineering Apprentice"   |  |
| April    | Graduate survey from Government Office West Midlands issued to BCSD-UK members  |  |
| April    | Free place offer to members re Carbon Footprint Sustainable Supply Chain Summit on 29 <sup>th</sup> - 30 <sup>th</sup> April 2009   |  |
| April    | Article on Abatement Curves etc to Birmingham Post  |  |
| April    | Recruitment opportunity from Poland issued to members   |  |
| April    | Northern Ireland and South West Scotland Cross Border Programme information issued to members   |  |
| April 3  | Briefing Meeting in Portcullis House with Lord Hunt and others  | London   |
| April 17 | Meeting with London Development Agency  | London   |
| April 28 | BCSD-UK General Meeting (with the LGIU on carbon trading)   | <p>Birmingham<br/>Hosted and part sponsored by<br/><br/><a href="http://www.advantagewm.co.uk">www.advantagewm.co.uk</a></p>  |
| April 28 | BCSD-UK Management Committee Meeting  | Birmingham   |
| April 29 | BCSD-UK Carbon Budget workshop  | <p>Leeds<br/>Supported by<br/><br/><br/><br/><br/><br/><br/></p> |
| May      | ICE call for "State of the Nation: Low-Carbon Infrastructure – Invitation to Submit Evidence" distributed to members  |  |
| May      | Proposals for Young Business Leaders programme sent to MC members for approval  |  |
| May      | Call to members to join group to meet Lord Hunt and DECC/BIS/DEFRA officials  |  |
| May      | BCSD-UK UPDATE published  |  |
|          | BCSD-UK joins PRASEG – weekly PRASEG newsletters thereafter issued to MC and members of the Low Carbon Energy Group   |  |
| May      | Call for contributions to UNEP on ecosystem and biodiversity survey issued to members.  |  |
| May      | Survey undertaken by the WBCSD and their global network of regional branches issued to members  |  |
| May 13   | Meeting of the Scottish Steering Group  | Glasgow  |
| May 14   | Recruitment meetings with Environ and McGrigors   | Glasgow  |

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| May     | Proposals to LDA re co-operation  |   |
| May 19  | Briefing session to students from Manchester  |   |
| May 19  | Attended E.ON meeting at MotorCycle Museum  | Birmingham  |
| May 21  | BCSD-UK supported Renewable And Clean Technology Audit at SustainabilityLIVE at the NEC<br><br> <br><p>(picture: Heather Pearce, Senior Procurement Officer, Environment Agency, talks to RACTA delegates)</p> | Birmingham<br>Sponsored by<br>   |
| May 26  | Meeting with Arup Sustainability team   | Leeds   |
| May 27  | Meeting with Richard Williams of Lloyds Banking Group   | Birmingham  |
| May 28  | Issued report on Food Security  |   |
| June    | Invitation extended to members re Pre-Aviation Summit Workshop  |   |
| June    | Report from BCSD-UK New Business Modelling workshop distributed to WBCSD European branch contacts as requested by WBCSD   |   |
| June    | Vacancies and secondments within DECC and Defra distributed to members  |   |
| June    | BCSD-UK UPDATE published  |   |
| June    | TSB seeking views on their draft Resource Efficiency Strategy – distributed to members  |   |
| June    | PSM project opportunities circulated to members   |   |
|         | Report from BCSD-UK Low Carbon Energy Group meeting distributed to members  |   |
| June    | Request from Tisbury School distributed to members  |   |
| June 1  | Meeting with Coventry Council re BCSD-UK supported PSM  | Coventry  |
| June 2  | Proposals to Birmingham Chamber on BCSD-UK membership   |   |
| June 4  | Attended MPA (Mineral Products Association) Showcase event as guests of Lafarge   | London  |
| June 10 | WBCSD Euro Group tele conference  |   |
| June 15 | Meeting with Crown Estates  | London  |
| June 15 | Meeting with SustainabilityLIVE manager   | London  |
| June 15 | Meeting with Charles Hendry, Shadow Energy Minister   | London  |
| June 15 | Meeting with ICE officials re potential collaboration   | London  |
| June 16 | BCSD-UK represented at The Scottish Government's Preparing for a Changing Climate: Consultation Workshop - Private Sector   | Glasgow   |
| June 16 | BCSD-UK represented at Launch of RiverSimple hydrogen car project   | London  |
| June 16 | Meetings with Anne Weir and Stewart Davies re Challenging Convention and PSM  | London  |
| June 18 | Meeting with Cenex at Loughborough University re PSM  | Loughborough  |
| June 18 | Meeting with BitC Midlands re co-operation on May Day 2010  | Birmingham  |
| June 24 | Future Leaders project development meeting  | Birmingham  |
| June 25 | Day workshop of the BCSD-UK Low Carbon Energy Group at Lafarge  | Birmingham<br>Hosted by<br><br>Supported by<br><br>Part sponsored by<br> |
| June 26 | Meeting with Paul Turner of Wolseley re membership  | Leamington Spa  |
| June 30 | Meeting with Rick Hamilton of SFCO re programme in Yorkshire  | Birmingham  |
| June 30 | Presentation to young professionals group hosted by Eversheds   | Birmingham  |
| July    | BCSD-UK UPDATE published  |   |
| July    | Independent assessment of sustainable development values in government travel as reported in a JMP report issued to members   |   |
| July    | WBCSD Regional Network in Europe - Conference call issued to members  |   |
| July    | Report of meeting with Lord Hunt and government officials distributed   |   |

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|           | to members   |   |
| July      | Climate Change Division of the Scottish Government – consultation document distributed to members  |   |
| July      | DEFRA re the transposition of the revised Waste Framework distributed to members   |   |
| July      | Reports issued from meeting with Shadow Minister Charles Hendry  |   |
| July      | “Partner searches” from EU distributed to members  |   |
| July 1    | BCSD-UK represented at Jonathon Porritt swansong event   | London  |
| July 2    | Meeting with Aston University people re potential; collaboration   | Birmingham  |
| July 3    | Teresa Hitchcock of DLA Piper re membership  | Sheffield   |
| July 8    | Meeting with LDA people re collaboration   | London  |
| July 9    | BCSD-UK General Meeting – featuring Prof Tim Jackson as lead speaker   | London<br>Hosted by<br>LLOYDS<br>BANKING<br>GROUP<br>  |
| July 9    | BCSD-UK Management Meeting   | London  |
| July 21   | Meeting at House of Commons with Lord Hunt and senior DEFRA/BIS/DECC officials   | London  |
| July 27   | Meeting with Lincoln CC to investigate opportunities   | Lincoln   |
| July 29   | Meeting with Coventry City Council re Energy Group issues  | Coventry  |
| July 29   | BCSD-UK represented at Ed Miliband meeting in Birmingham   | Birmingham  |
| July 30   | BCSD-UK represented at DfT meeting   | Birmingham  |
| August    | UK Low Carbon Transition Plan distributed to members   |   |
| August    | Information on 2010 St Andrews Prize for the Environment distributed to members  |   |
| August    | BCSD-UK UPDATE published   |   |
| August    | Report issued from meeting of BCSD-UK Low Carbon Energy Group  |   |
| August    | Distributed DECC message re Consultation on the term 'carbon neutral': its definition and recommendations for good practice - delay in publication of summary of responses   |   |
| August    | Report on CSR and the Media distributed to members   |   |
| August    | Regional Approach To Landfill Diversion Infrastructure distributed to members  |   |
| August    | PRASEG fringe political party conference events opportunities issues to members  |   |
| August    | Request for help from BCSD Turkey distributed to members   |   |
| August    | Opportunity from World Business Council for work on UNIDO – UNEP Network on Resource Efficient and Cleaner Production (RECP) distributed to members  |   |
| August    | Distributed to members – “EU Connects are looking for a Post Graduate Trans-national Euro Researcher”  |   |
| August    | Information on IAWARDS celebration for innovative British ideas and products organised by BIS distributed to members   |   |
| August 6  | BCSD-UK workshop on water as a critical resource<br><br><br><br>(Picture: David Symons of WSP talks weather at Leeds workshop) | Leeds<br>Sponsored by<br><br>co.sense yorkshire<br><small>carbon sense 2 commercial sense</small><br><br>Hosted by<br> |
| August 7  | Strategy meeting with Joanne Pollard at SFCO re BCSD-UK work in Yorkshire  | Leeds   |
| August 7  | Meeting with Simon Prince re membership  | Goole   |
| August 10 | Meeting with Helen Fletcher of the ETI   | Birmingham  |
| August 10 | Meeting with directors of Aston Business School  | Birmingham  |
| August    | BCSD-UK Update issued  |   |

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| August    | Offer to members re PRASEG December dinner  |  |
| August 11 | Tele conference with Bournemouth University re collaborative article  |  |
| August 11 | Meeting with David Symons re strategy with Lord Hunt group  | London   |
| August 13 | Meeting with SD Commissioner for Wales, Peter Davies re BCSD-UK in Wales  | Stoke  |
| August 24 | Interviewed for survey by DEFRA   |  |
| August    | Joint article for Sustain with Bournemouth University   |  |
| August 26 | Meeting with John Crawford of Scottish Enterprise   | Glasgow  |
| August 26 | Meeting of the Scottish Steering Group  | Glasgow  |
| August 27 | Recce of Holyrood for potential BCSD-UK dinner  | Edinburgh  |
| August 27 | Meeting with Napier University re Future Leaders Group  | Edinburgh  |
| September | Discount offer for London conference on forecasting and payback on carbon management projects distributed to members  |  |
| September | BCSD-UK UPDATE published  |  |
| September | "A business case for resource efficiency" draft Gov document issued to members for comment  |  |
| September | Invitation to attend the Connecting Europe 2009 Conference distributed to members   |  |
| September | Opportunity to join BCSD-UK table at the PRASEG Awards Presentation Dinner issued to members  |  |
| September | Invitation to form BCSD-UK group to attend COP 15 issued to members   |  |
| Sept 1    | Meeting with Julia Chance of Cenex  | Loughborough   |
| Sept 1    | Meeting with Ian Dwyer , Energy Technologies, University of Nottingham  |  |
| Sept 7    | Meeting with directors of CIWEM re potential collaboration  | London   |
| Sept 7    | Meeting with Ben Pattern of Green Business re potential collaboration   | London   |
| Sept 8    | Project development meeting re Future Leaders Group   | Birmingham   |
| Sept 10   | BCSD-UK represented at National Low Carbon Vehicle Event  | Millbrook  |
| Sept 17   | Meeting with Colin Hines re green financing   | Birmingham   |
| Sept      | Attempts to organise a BCSD-UK visit to COP 15  |  |
| Sept 28   | Meeting with Sustainability West Midlands re membership and potential event   | Birmingham   |
| Sept 30   | Meeting with Paul Cockaday of Laing O'Rourke  | Birmingham   |
| October   | Invitation to join fact finding visit to German on energy matters issued to members   |  |
| October   | Invitation from the Sustainable Development Commission invites you to a debate about the demands of transforming our economies to meet the challenge of climate change, and to celebrate the launch of a new book ' <i>Prosperity Without Growth.</i> ' – issued to members |  |
| October   | BCSD-UK UPDATE published  |  |
| October   | Survey from Will Day, new Chairman of the SDC, issued to members  |  |
| October   | Picture of the Month opportunity in BCSD-UK UPDATE issued to all members  |  |
| October   | Letter from Richard Price, Chief Economist at DEFRA together with a report – "Review of the Economics of Sustainable Development – issued to members  |  |
| October   | BCSD-UK UPDATE published  |  |
| Oct 2     | Meeting with Miles Foulger of Yorkshire Water re potential membership   | Leeds  |
| Oct 14    | Presentation to WAG event in Cardiff  | Cardiff  |
| Oct 15    | Presentation to South Staffs Environmental Business Club  | Acton Trussel  |
| Oct 19    | Meeting with Dr David Clarke of the ETI   | Loughborough   |
| Oct       | BCSD-UK UPDATE  |  |
| Oct 15    | BCSD-UK in speaker line up at Decentralised Energy Knowledge Base conference  | Birmingham   |
| Oct 20    | Meeting with Hugo Spowers and Michael Murray at Longbridge  | Birmingham   |
| Oct 22    | Climate Change Adaptation Workshop  | Leeds<br>Sponsored by<br><br> |

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| Oct 26   | Meeting with WWF re potential project  | London   |
| Oct 26   | Meeting with BT re PSM   | London   |
| Oct 26   | Meeting with Andy Cormie at DECC   | London   |
| Oct 27   | Meeting of the Low Carbon Energy Group Steering Group  | Manchester<br>Hosted by<br>   |
| Oct 29   | BCSD-UK represented at SSN Annual Conference and organised keynote speaker from Austria                      | Edinburgh  |
| November | Contractual agreement finalised with Scottish Enterprise   |  |
| November | WSP invite to COP 15 briefing in Malmo issued to members   |  |
| November | BCSD-UK UPDATE issued  |  |
| November | Article published in Birmingham Post "Armageddon or Opportunity"   |  |
| Nov 4    | Presentation to MC event on retrofiting  | Birmingham   |
| Nov 5    | Meeting with Sandy Taylor - SD Manager City of Birmingham  | Birmingham   |
| Nov 10   | Meeting with Neil MacKie of Lloyds Banking Group re closer engagement with BCSD-UK                           | Birmingham   |
| Nov 10   | BCSD-UK represented at Yorkshire Forward Food and Drink Sector workshop on Food Security and Sustainability. | Leeds  |
| Nov 12   | Strategy meeting with Stewart Davies of the SDC  | Solihull   |
| Nov 12   | BCSD-UK represented at launch of CO2 Sense Ltd   | Leeds  |
| Nov 16   | BCSD-UK Low Carbon Energy Group workshop at Lafarge  | Birmingham<br>Hosted by<br><br>Supported by<br><br>Part sponsored by<br> |
| Nov 18   | Meeting with officers of the Committee on Climate Change   | London   |
| Nov 18   | Meeting with Anne Weir on prospect WWF project   | London   |
| Nov 18   | BCSD-UK Annual Business/Political Dinner in the House of Commons   | London   |
| Nov 19   | BCSD-UK General Meeting – feature subject COP 15   | London<br>Hosted by<br>   |
| Nov 19   | BCSD-UK Management Committee Meeting   | London   |
| Nov 23   | Membership recruitment meeting with Justin Kempson of Charpak  | Birmingham   |
| Nov 24   | Meeting with Simon Green, Executive Director Sheffield City Council  | Sheffield  |
| Nov 25   | Meeting of the Scottish Steering Group   | Edinburgh  |
| Nov 26   | BCSD-UK workshop on water as a critical resource   | Edinburgh<br>Hosted and fund supported by<br>   |
| Nov 30   | Meeting with Shadow Minister Charles Hendry  | London   |
| December | BCSD-UK UPDATE published   |  |
| December | Report from meeting of the Low Carbon Energy Group issued to members   |  |
| December | Invitation to attend the Carbon Trust Annual Stakeholder Debate issued to members                            |  |

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| December | Numerous reports from COP 15 from DECC and from WBCSD distributed to members  |   |
| December | BCSD-UK Scotland UPDATE published   |   |
| December | E.ON Pre-budget report analysis distributed to members  |   |
| Dec 3    | BCSD-UK represented at Low Carbon Conference  | Harrogate   |
| Dec 9    | BCSD-UK Challenging Convention Workshop<br> | Birmingham<br>Hosted and part sponsored by<br><br>Part sponsored by<br> |
| Dec 15   | Follow up meeting in Edinburgh to also pre-plan future workshops  | Edinburgh   |
| Dec 16   | Meeting with Prof Peter Styles of Keele University re Energy and other matters  | Keele   |

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