

CTSI & CIEH Conference 2024: Facing the future

Day 2: Thursday 20 June

09.00 Registration and exhibition viewing

09.45 Welcome and introduction

PLENARY SESSION – 10.00 - Bury Theatre

Capacity and capability: a workforce challenge!

- Future proofing our professions – the importance of apprenticeships and Further Education
- FSA report 2023 – how does our profession meet the workforce challenges ahead?
- Accessibility into the profession, workforce risks and opportunities
- How we achieve sector wide professionalism through training pathways to achieve sustainable future
- What are the gaps in skills knowledge across the profession?

Chair: **Louise Hosking**, Executive Director, Chartered Institute of Environmental Health (CIEH)

Speakers:

- **Phil Owen**, Chartered Trading Standards Institute
- **Jon Buttolph**, Executive Director, Professional Standards, Chartered Institute of Environmental Health (CIEH)
- **Jill Stewart**, Associate Professor in Public Health, University of Greenwich
- **Fiona MacAskill**, Director of Learning & Development, Credit Services Association

PLENARY SESSION – 11.30 - Bury Theatre

Building positive partnerships for a sustainable housing future

- Renters reform and the changes coming in which affect EH and TS
- The impact of budgetary cuts
- Recruitment and succession planning – how can we share resources better and support apprentices in a collaborative way?
- Working as part of Public Protection teams – the challenges and opportunities from collaboration
- Prioritising workload including working in a more targeted way

Speakers:

- **James Munro**, CTSI Chair of Council and National Trading Standards Estates and Lettings Team

- **Ben Beadle**, Chief Executive, National Residents and Landlords Association
- **Lesley Horton**, Deputy Ombudsman, The Property Ombudsman
- **Alison Farrar**, CTSI Lead Officer (Property and Lettings), National Trading Standards Estate and Letting Agency Team
- **Dr Henry Dawson**, CEnvH MCIEH, Senior Lecturer and Programme Director for Environmental Health, Cardiff Metropolitan University & Chair, Housing AP, Chartered institute of Environmental Health

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SEMINAR SESSIONS

Session one – 12.35 – Pearl Suite

Collaboration in motion: A successful funding initiative

- ‘Operation Jigsaw’
- Aims & outcomes of the project

Speakers:

- **Peter Wright**, Operation Jigsaw Regional Lead, National Trading Standards Estate and Letting Agency Team
- **Alison Farrar**, CTSI Lead Officer (Property and Lettings), National Trading Standards Estate and Letting Agency Team

PLENARY SESSION – 14.00 - Bury Theatre

Creating future leaders: influencing and innovative thought leadership

Speakers:

- **Marcial Boo**, Chair, Institute of Regulation
- **Peter Wright**, Operation Jigsaw Regional Lead, National Trading Standards Estate and Letting Agency Team
- **Nikki Pasek MBE**, Director, Closha Associates Limited

SEMINAR SESSIONS

Session two – 14.10 – Newsroom

Food Safety: Achieving Business Compliance for Online Aggregators

- Aggregators food safety charter
- Training Aide Memoire for Aggregator Onboarding Teams

Speaker:

- **Helen Atkinson**, Senior Environmental Health Officer, Wakefield Council

Session three – 14.05 – Cinema of War

Successful Health and Safety Prosecutions: What needs to be proven and by whom

- The burden(s) of proof
- What does “reasonably foreseeable” and “reasonably practicable” actually mean
- The Full code test:
- Assessing how realistic the prospect of conviction actually is
- Assessing whether prosecution really is in the public’s interest

Speaker:

- **Louise Mansfield**, Legal Director, Bevan Brittan

Session four – 15.05 – Newsroom

50 years of risk-based UK health and safety – adapting for the future

- As the UK’s Health and Safety at Work Act (1974) turns 50, the Institution of Occupational Safety and Health’s President-Elect, Kelly Nicoll, explores what works and what adaptations are needed for an increasingly volatile, uncertain, complex and ambiguous present and future. Kelly will draw on insights from Towards a safe and healthy future of work, this year’s insight report by IOSH and global consultancy Arup. She will outline calls to action for governments, employers and OSH professionals that can make work safer, healthier and more socially sustainable.

Speaker:

- **Kelly Nicoll**, President Elect, Institution of Occupational Health and Safety (IOSH)

Session five – 15.10 – Bury Theatre

Impact of health inequalities and the importance of the public health workforce

Chair: **Mark Elliot**, President, Chartered Institute of Environmental Health (CIEH)

Speaker:

- **William Roberts**, CEO, Royal Society for Public Health

16.00 Conference ends