

**Marine Spatial Planning and Transnational Partnership
Working in the Irish Sea: Identifying Key Areas for Joint Action
Second Stakeholder Workshop**

O'Callaghan Alexander Hotel, Dublin
23/24 June 2011

Programme

Day One: What Can Transnational Partnership Working Achieve?

- 12.30 Registration and lunch
- 13.30 Introduction to the Workshop
Sue Kidd, University of Liverpool
- 13.40 What can we learn from international experience?
Martyn Youell, Marine Management Organisation, England
- 14.00 Ideas from the Wadden Sea
Manfred Vollmer, Wadden Sea Forum
- 14.20 OSPAR: action to protect the marine environment
David Johnson, OSPAR
- 14.40 The British Irish Council: The role of working groups
Martin Hall, Isle of Man Government
- 15.00 *Refreshments*
- 15.30 The Solway Firth Partnership: action at the local scale
Pam Taylor, Project Manager
- 15.45 The Irish Sea Marine Conservation Zones Project Stakeholder Group
Sue Kidd/Greg Whitfield, ISCZ Project
- 16.00 Irish Sea Platform Proposal
Patricia Potter, Dublin Regional Authority
- 16.15 Panel Discussion
- 17.00 Arrangements for the evening



Day Two: What might be the objectives of future Transnational Partnership Working in the Irish Sea?

- 9.00 Summary of findings for Workshop 1 and reflection on Day 1
Sue Kidd, University of Liverpool
- 9.15 Reflections on Marine Asset Planning in UK Waters
Helen Elphick, Crown Estates
- 9.30 Reflections on Renewable Energy Development in the Irish Sea
Maria Scarlett, Centrica
- 9.45 Stakeholder Round Table Discussions
- 10.15 Feedback and discussions
- 10.30 *Refreshments*

What might be key areas for collaborative action?

- 10.45 Stakeholder Round Table Discussions
- 11.15 Feedback and discussions

Can existing transnational partnership arrangements in the Irish Sea deliver this agenda?

- 11.30 Stakeholder Round Table Discussions
- 12.00 Feedback and discussions

What are the recommended next steps?

- 12.15 Plenary discussion
- 12.45 *Lunch*
- 13.30 Close