



IMPROVING BENEFITS ASSESSMENT OF CHEMICALS CONTROL POLICY

Royal Society of Chemistry and NeRSAP Symposium

3 May 2016 10:00-16:00, Burlington House, London United Kingdom

A one-day, Royal Society of Chemistry and NeRSAP multi-disciplinary symposium on the “Improving Benefits Assessment of Chemicals Control Policy” will be held on 3 May 2016. The purpose of the symposium will be to identify the state-of-play in regulatory impact assessment of chemicals policy and to improve the link between risk assessment and impact assessment which, is needed to inform benefits assessment of regulatory policy options.

Symposium Agenda

10.00-10.25	Registration – Tea/Coffee
10.25-10.30	Welcome Professor David Phillips CBE FRS Introduction and objectives the day (Mike Holland EMRC)
10.30-10.50	Why improved assessments and valuations are critical for future regulation of chemicals (Bill Watts)
10.50-11.10	Challenge 1: Bridging the gap from risk assessment to impact assessment - A risk assessor’s perspective (Oliver Warwick PFA)
11.10-11.30	Challenge 2: Bridging the gap from impact assessment to socioeconomic assessment – An economist’s perspective (Rohit Mistry EFTEC)
11.30-11.50	Going beyond a traditional risk assessment: air pollution (Mike Holland EMRC)
11.50-12.10	Going beyond a traditional risk assessment: water pollution (Stavros Georgiou UK REACH CA)
12.10-12.30	Valuation of the benefits of SVHC control policy options – A regulators perspective (Matti Vanio ECHA/SEAC)
12.45-13.30	Networking Lunch
13.30-15.00	Chair-led open discussion to how to improve benefits assessment of SVHC chemicals control policy [<i>a series of questions will be used to stimulate discussion</i>] (Matti Vanio ECHA/SEAC)
15.00-15.20	Tea/Coffee
15.20-15.30	Summary of key issues and next steps (Mike Holland EMRC)
15.30-15.50	Discussion and final thoughts
15.50-16.00	Chair’s close (Matti Vanio ECHA/SEAC)