



## Recognition for CPD

The 2009 IHIE Members' Directory will identify recipients of the IHIE Silver and Gold CPD Certificates since 2006.

The Institute's current policy is that undertaking continuing Professional Development (CPD) is an obligation of membership and all active members should therefore carry out CPD appropriate to their position and career aspirations. The Institute believes that the vast majority of members actively participate in relevant CPD.

Every year a random selection of members is asked to confirm they are meeting their obligation to achieve five days of structured development. Those who submit CPD plans and records showing achievement over three years receive a Silver CPD Certificate. A Gold Certificate marks out members who exceed the benchmark.

If you would like a certificate and to be identified as a CPD achiever, fill in the 'B' Forms available on [www.ihie.org.uk/training/continuing-professional-devel/cpd-forms/](http://www.ihie.org.uk/training/continuing-professional-devel/cpd-forms/) or email your own records to [information2@ihie.org.uk](mailto:information2@ihie.org.uk).

Please be sure to show a planned approach, we need more than an attendance list!

The Institute takes a broad view regarding the way in which CPD can be gained. Contrary to the belief held by many members, CPD is not restricted to attendance at courses. It can include the following:

Work-based learning: teaching/mentoring of members and prospective members, project specific research or IT skills development;

Self-directed study: preparation and delivery of lectures, preparation of articles and external reports, reading of journals/technical papers, appropriate TV programmes or academic study;

Courses/events/seminars from the institution, in-house, external providers (for example, supplier-led seminars) or any relevant lectures, seminars or conferences;

Horizon broadening activities such as Institute work (e.g. Branch and Institution committees, informal study groups, reviews etc) or community and public service involvement (e.g. school governor, business and your local community).

## Become an 'Inspirational Woman' for WISE

You too can be an inspirational woman and encourage the generation of young women professionals - inspire girls to follow in your footsteps. To apply to be an Inspirational Woman send WISE a photo of you at work; a description of how you got to where you are;

what you enjoy about working in these fields, and a few sentences about a typical day in your role (is you don't have a 'typical' day, then say so!).

[www.wisecampaign.org.uk](http://www.wisecampaign.org.uk)

## CPD on-line & Events Website

Take a look at [www.cpdevents.org.uk](http://www.cpdevents.org.uk) where IHIE members can record personal CPD activities online.

CIC (Construction Industry Council) has redeveloped the CPD and Events website with the help of ConstructionSkills funding. The site is the UK's largest CPD and Events database for life long learning for built environment and

construction professionals.

It brings together the event programmes of professional institutions and other CPD providers, allowing you to search across all activities in the UK irrespective of provider. The aim of the site is to increase inter-disciplinary understanding and to enable business networking.

## Training and Development

### Preparing for your Review

2 July, Sheffield

A must attend course for Technical Report Route applicants for CEng and IEng.

6 October, London

*\* Credit Crunch rate of 2 for 1!*

In depth advice and support in going for IEng and EngTech with a focus on CEng.

### Scottish Law

12 June, Edinburgh

A course for roads maintenance and development engineers delivered by leading solicitors.

### Professional Review briefings

#### Quick Briefings

10.00am, 12 June, Edinburgh

4.00pm, 18 June, Capita, Cwmbran

To book, email [secretary@ihie.org.uk](mailto:secretary@ihie.org.uk)

Your chance to identify your route to EC registration and learn about the IHIE review. FREE.

### Road Safety – making a difference

IHIE South Western seminar

30 June, Centre Parcs Longleat

IHT Road Safety Audit guidelines, integrated approaches to road safety, new targeting and evaluation methods.

£125.00 and £150.00.

### Annual Development Control Conference

1 July, The ICC, Birmingham

*New date and venue.*

Workshops will allow you to have your say on funding, MfS and local design guides.

### Durable Surfaces NEW DATES

10 July, London

8 October, Leeds

Jeff Farrington's popular course on how to get more durable surfaces.

### Improve your skills in Traffic Signs

16 September, Loughborough

The course to maintain your expertise in direction and warning signing.

**Supported by DfT**

### Traffic Signs 2009

17 September, Loughborough

IHIE's annual signs conference and Exhibition.

Sponsored by Atkins and Buchanan Computing. Latest on techniques and DfT signs review.

### Annual Highway Maintenance Conference & Exhibition

13 October 2009, Northampton

The postponed IHIE/Highways annual conference: Innovation and sustainability. Speakers on asset management, drainage, new asphalts, EU driver regulations.



## contacts and links

[www.ihie.org.uk](http://www.ihie.org.uk)

[www.ihie-southern.org.uk](http://www.ihie-southern.org.uk)

[www.homezones.org.uk](http://www.homezones.org.uk)

[www.motorcycleguidelines.org.uk](http://www.motorcycleguidelines.org.uk)

Sign up for Discussion groups

<http://uk.groups.yahoo.com/group/ukhighwaydevcon/> - Development Control Group moderated by IHIE

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/homezones-discuss-1/> - An independent Home Zones site

<http://www.ihie.org.uk/tsgforum/> - CSS Traffic Signals Forum

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