

## The venue

**Location** The Foresight Centre is situated 0.5 miles from Liverpool's main line station Lime Street. The Centre is 11mins walk up hill.

**Travel** Frequent bus services from the city Centre Queens Square bus station are 10/12/14 and 17.

Disabled parking is available on site and is free of charge when displaying a disability permit.

For other parking options; see e.g. [www.parkopedia.co.uk](http://www.parkopedia.co.uk).

There are direct trains from Manchester airport to Liverpool Lime Street station that take under an hour. There are regular bus services from Liverpool airport.

**Hotels** There are numerous hotels and guest houses to suit all budgets within walking distance of the Foresight Centre.

## How to Register

### Contact details

To book a place on the course contact Peter Fawcett. Peter can also answer questions about the course. Email:

[pfawcett@liverpool.ac.uk](mailto:pfawcett@liverpool.ac.uk)

### How many can attend?

The maximum number of participants is 25. This ensures a good ratio of trainers to participants.

### Where?

The University of Liverpool Foresight Centre (Liverpool, UK)

### When?

11-14 June 2019

### What will it cost?

£750 including coffee/tea breaks and lunches.

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# The Essential Training Course on Health in Environmental Impact Assessment

For the new European Environmental Impact Assessment Directive

**The University of Liverpool Foresight Centre**  
**11-14 June 2019**



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## Why this course?

The new European Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Directive (2014/52/EU) requires the explicit consideration of impacts on 'human health'. This does not require a full Health Impact Assessment (HIA) to be prepared but it does require a change in existing EIA practice. In this 4-day training course we will look at:

- The practical implications of considering human health in EIA.
- The skills needed to consider health in EIA.

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## You will

- Critically examine, and practice, the skills needed to conduct health in EIA.
- Receive course materials and relevant guidance documents.
- Be trained by a partnership that combines the skills, global experience and technical capability that is required for a complete training on health in IA.

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## Who should attend?

This course is suitable for all levels of practice. We will use examples from across the European Union. The course will be delivered in English.

It is offered to:

- Environmental consultants; project proponents; financial institutions and others who are familiar with EIA and need to learn more about how to consider health in IA.
- Public health officers; municipal officers; reviewers of assessment documents and others who are familiar with public health and need to broaden their understanding of EIA and how it compares to HIA.

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## Who are the trainers?

### Thomas Fischer

WHO Collaborating Centre for Health in Impact Assessments, University of Liverpool, Liverpool (UK); nearly 30 years of practical, research, teaching and training EIA experience.

### Mirko Winkler

Swiss Tropical and Public Health Institute (Swiss TPH), Basel (Switzerland); environmental epidemiologist having more than 10 years of experience in HIA practice, research and capacity building.

### Ben Cave

Ben Cave Associates, Leeds (UK); specialising in health and impact assessment for the last 20 years with policy makers, public health academics, environment scientists, spatial planners, regulators and industry.

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## What will we cover?

<b>Day 1</b>	1300-1700	<b>Concepts:</b> effectiveness and quality of impact assessment (IA) including EIA, SEA, HIA. We will look at: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• the process within which IA operates;</li><li>• stakeholders and their involvement;</li><li>• public health;</li><li>• health determinants and health outcomes;</li><li>• public health.</li></ul>
<b>Day 2 &amp; Day 3</b>	0900-1700	<b>Processes:</b> health in EIA in comparison to HIA. Working in groups and using case study materials we will examine each of the stages of health in EIA and of HIA in a comparative manner.
<b>Day 4</b>	0900-1200	<b>Effectiveness and quality</b> of health in EIA. Round up, reflections on the course and on the implications for your practice.