Leading the Way

Chartered Institution of Highways & Transportation

PRESIDENTIAL CONFERENCE, WATERFRONT HALL,
BELFAST, NORTHERN IRELAND
17 September 2010

This conference, to be held in Belfast on Friday 17 September 2010, will consider how best practice in the field of highways and transportation is promoting economic growth, addressing environmental impacts and improving the social fabric right across the British Isles.

Taking as their theme “Leading the Way”, a number of influential speakers will present case studies from across Great Britain and Ireland which will highlight innovation and leading edge developments across the broad spectrum of the highways and transportation agenda.

The conference will take the form of a number of themed presentations followed by discussions in plenary therefore providing an environment which will encourage lively debate and knowledge sharing.
Pre Conference Reception & Gala Dinner

BELFAST CITY HALL
Thursday 16 September 2010

Constructed in 1906 in recognition of Belfast’s rapid expansion and thriving linen, rope making, shipbuilding and engineering industries, Belfast City Hall will certainly provide grand surroundings for a very enjoyable evening.

The dress code is black tie. Bookings will be accepted from individual members and their partner or guest, as well as group and company bookings.

Partners’ Tour

While the conference is taking place a partners’ tour will be available which will provide an opportunity for partners to explore some of the sights and features of Belfast and the surrounding area.

FURTHER INFORMATION
For more information about attending and/or exhibition space, please visit www.ciht.org.uk

ACCOMMODATION
For hotels in Belfast please visit our on-line booking system https://www.conferencebookings.co.uk/delegate/BLFIHT2010
Programme
LEADING THE WAY
Friday 17 September 2010

0845  Registration, Coffee and Exhibition
0930  Welcome
        Geoff Allister, President CIHT
0935  Keynote Address
        Conor Murphy MP MLA, Minister for Regional Development
0945  Plenary 1: Theme: Transport and the Economy
        Chair: Philip Shields, Chair: CIHT NI Branch
        Highways Agency Managed Motorway Network
        Nirmal Kotecha, Highways Agency
1005  Road/Rail Links in Scotland
        David Middleton, Transport Scotland
1020  Delivery of Ireland’s motorway programme
        Fred Barry, CEO National Roads Authority
1035  Discussion
1100  Coffee and Exhibition
1130  Plenary 2: Theme: Transport and the Environment
        Chair, Alan Strong, University of Ulster
        Impact of Climate Change
        Jim Kitchen, Sustainable Development Commission NI
1150  Sustainable transport presentation
        Malcolm Shepherd, CEO Sustrans
1205  Managing Environmental Risk
        Simon Shouler, Welsh Assembly Government
1220  Discussion
1245  Lunch and Exhibition
1415  Plenary 3: Transport and Society
        Chair: Douglas Ferguson, Queen’s University Belfast
1420  Planning for an Olympic Legacy
        Hugh Sumner, Olympic Delivery Authority
1435  Road Safety Education
        David Lyle, Lyle Bailie International
1450  The Importance of Public Transport
        Philip O’Neill, Translink
1505  Discussion
1530  Closing Remarks
        Geoff Allister, President CIHT
How to Book
TO RESERVE, PLEASE RETURN YOUR COMPLETED BOOKING FORM TO CIHT OR BOOK ONLINE AT WWW.CIHT.ORG.UK

**Booking Form**

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NB: Table bookings are available for the conference dinner; contact CIHT for further information.

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Cancellations: If you cannot attend after booking a place you may send a substitute or confirm your cancellation in writing before 23 August 2010 for a refund (less 10% administration charge). No refunds will be made for cancellations after these dates.