

An Introduction to Flood Benefits Appraisal



One day course (9.30am – 5pm):

Tuesday 2nd June 2015, London



This course introduces delegates **with limited prior knowledge of damage assessment** to the latest edition (2015) of the **Multi Coloured Handbook for Economic Appraisal**. The [Flood Hazard Research Centre](#), Middlesex University London has successfully run this course a number of times and has proved useful for delegates of Local Authorities, Environment Agency, Natural Resources Wales and engineering consultancies.

“A good introductory course combining theory and concepts in flood benefits appraisal as well as case studies, with good illustrations from field experience” - Course Delegate (20 November 2012)

Delivered by authors of the handbook, this hands-on course will:

- Explain the basic principles applicable to economic flood damage assessment.
- Give you an understanding of the different damage types, available data for each and assessment techniques.
- Use a number of simple but illustrative case studies with hands on breakout sessions to take you through the steps of an economic flood benefit appraisal.
- Explain the role of the National Receptor Dataset and understand data deficiencies and the role of data quality
- Encourage discussion on strengths and weakness, what's important and what lessons can be learned to improve damage assessment.
- The course will provide a line of sight between the appraisal, options development and Partnership Funding.

Booking

The course fee is £450 per delegate. Fee includes a presentation book, lunch and refreshments. **The course will be kept to a small group to facilitate participation so please book early by sending an email to - Josie Joyce, CPD Course Administrator**

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