

# International Association for Impact Assessment Ireland-UK Branch

in conjunction with

## The Institution of Civil Engineers (ICE)

EIA and SEA as Design Tools

13 July 2007 at Edinburgh  
Castle

### Purpose

The purpose of environmental assessment is to provide environmental information to decision-makers, the public and other stakeholders so that environmental factors can be integrated into decision-making alongside economic, engineering and social factors.

Environmental assessment therefore is and should be more than a tick-box exercise or the fulfilling of a statutory requirement. It also has a practical application, affecting the way projects are progressed and plans are developed, i.e. its use as a design tool. The objective of this event is to explore the issues involved in using EIA and SEA as "design tools" and to share experience gained in this regard.

### Content

The day will be focused around presented papers and discussion sessions.

### Who is it for?

This event is designed to be relevant to individuals working in all the professions impact assessment encompasses: consultants, regulators, planners, industry, non-governmental organisations, and the research community.

**Times:** The day will start at 10:00am (coffee and registration from 9:30 am) and finish at 4.00pm.

**Venue:** Queen Anne's Room  
Edinburgh Castle  
Castle Hill  
Edinburgh  
EH1 2NG

**Organisers:** IAIA Ireland-UK Branch and ICE, in association with Historic Scotland

**Cost:** £25 IAIA members, students  
£45 non-members  
***Lunch & refreshments will be provided.***

**To book a place**, please complete the booking form below and return to William Kidd at Historic Scotland, Room E3 Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh EH9 1SH or email [william.kidd@scotland.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:william.kidd@scotland.gsi.gov.uk)

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I/we wish to attend *EIA and SEA as Design Tools* on 13 July 2007 at Edinburgh Castle

Name(s): .....

Job Title & Brief Description: .....

Organisation: .....

Address: .....

Postcode: ..... Telephone: ..... E-mail: .....

Dietary/Special Requirements: .....

I/We enclose a cheque for £ ..... (made payable to Historic Scotland)

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