

IAIA Mid-term Report October 2008

1. Name of Committee/Task Force/Branch

Ireland-United Kingdom (UK) Branch

2. Name of Committee Chair/Task Force/Branch Coordinator(s)

Adam Boyden, current Chair of Ireland-UK Branch Committee (2006-08)

3. Briefly review your Committee/Branch/Task Force's general responsibilities. Note whether responsibilities have changed.

To organise IAIA-related activities in the Branch area, promote IAIA: see aims stated in Letter to Board 23/4/08, and Draft Vision for Branch (see Branch webpage).

4. Briefly review your action plan or project background.

See Branch's Letter to Board 23/4/08 (26 items of proposed activity).

4a. Accomplishments since Perth and/or results of action.

1. Branch event held in Glasgow (3 part workshops on SEA, May 2008, University of Strathclyde).
2. Branch event in Leeds (23 October 2008, with IEMA, Regional SEA Forum), attended by over 50 delegates.
3. Organisation of next event at Oxford Brookes University (4 December 2008) 'Upgrading IA for Greater Effectiveness'.
4. Branch newsletters issued to members in June and October 2008.
5. Webpage maintained and full of relevant information.
6. Call for nominations for next Branch Committee 2009-11 has been issued to members, with a number of nominations received to date.

4b. Proposed action plan goals for the next six months.

1. Next event in Oxford, 4 December 2008.
2. See Branch's Letter to Board 23/4/08 (26 items of proposed activity).
3. Future events and activities to be coordinated by new Branch Committee and new Chair, to be in place in December 2008/January 2009.

5. Submit any recommendations or proposals to the Board along with this report. Please use the IAIA Proposal Submission Format (below).

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