

PLAN EXPO SEMINARS 2008

SEMINARS ARE TAKING PLACE IN THE PAVILION LOUNGE UPSTAIRS ACROSS FROM THE RESTAURANT

TIME	HOSTED BY & TOPIC	SPEAKER
TUESDAY 4TH NOVEMBER		
Tuesday: 8:30am – 12pm	Energising the Economy - Why an Energy Revolution Could Save Ireland from an Economic Meltdown - hosted by Construct Ireland	Jeff Colley - Editor Construct Ireland, Richard Douthwaite - Feasta Economist & Jay Stuart - DW EcoCo - Integrated sustainable design Consultants
8:30am - 9:00am	Registration	
9:00am - 12:00pm	How the Irish construction industry can play a decisive role in protecting Ireland from financial meltdown, by engaging in an en-masse drive to curb the use of imported fossil energy.	Jeff Colley - Editor of Construct Ireland
9:00am - 12:00pm	Richard Douthwaite - The emerging Irish economic conditions and explain why now, more than ever, an energy revolution in Ireland's construction industry is critical to national recovery	Richard Douthwaite - Feasta Economist
Tuesday: 2pm – 5pm	Design and Specification of Glulam in association with RIAI, CPD and Atek Beams	CPD in association with Raudon Teoranta/ Atek Beams, CPD Approved by RIAI
2:00pm - 3:30pm	Registration & Presentation	Peter Wilson - Centre for Timber Engineering, Napier University, Edinburgh
3:30pm	Refreshments	
WEDNESDAY 5TH NOVEMBER		
Wednesday: 11am – 12:30pm	Design and Specification of Glulam in association with RIAI, CPD and Atek Beams	CPD in association with Raudon Teoranta/ Atek Beams, CPD Approved by RIAI
11:00 - 12:30pm	Presentation followed by refreshments	Peter Wilson - Centre for Timber Engineering, Napier University, Edinburgh
Wednesday: 2pm – 4:30pm	IHBA Recent Policy Developments Impacting on the Housing Industry	John Moran Chairman, Mike O'Grady Technical Services Manager Homebond, Hubert Fitzpatrick Director CIF/IHBA, Colin McGill Director McGill Planning Ltd, Sean Armstrong Technical Advisor DEHLG & John O'Mahony Director O'Mahony Pike Architect
2:00pm - 2:30pm	Registration	
2:30pm - 2:40pm	Welcome Address by Chairperson	John Moran , Chairman Irish Home Builders Association
2:40pm - 3:00pm	Multi Unit Developments: Management Company Issues	Hubert Fitzpatrick, Director, Irish Home Builders Association
3:00pm - 3:20pm	Changes to Part L: Cold-bridging, Air-tightness & Acceptable Construction Details	Michael O'Grady, Technical Services Manager, HomeBond Acceptable Construction Details & Sean Armstrong, Technical Advisor, DEHLG
3:20pm - 3:40pm	Key Issues Today from a Planning Perspective	Colin McGill Director, McGill Planning Ltd, Chartered Town Planners
3:40pm - 4:00pm	The Regulatory Environment Today : Where to next?	John O'Mahony Managing Director O'Mahony Pike Architects
4:00pm - 4:15pm	Panel Discussion including Questions & Answers Session	
THURSDAY 6TH NOVEMBER		
Thursday 6th November	Solar Thermal Technology' - Applications	Alan Hogan - Kingspan Renewables
2pm - 3pm		

NB: The above topics and times are correct at time of print, but may be subject to change