



The British Society of Soil Science
Annual Spring Meeting
Jointly organised with the South East Soil
Discussion Group (SEESOIL)

Land Remediation and Reclamation: Approaches, Applications and Challenges

Reading University, Palmer Building
7th - 9th April 2010

Conference Provisional Programme, 7-9 April, 2010

7 April 2010 Wednesday	
9:30-10:30	BSSS AGM meeting
10.30-11.00	Arrival/coffees/teas/biscuits
11.00-11.10	Welcome
	Session 1: Remediation and reclamation of inorganic contaminants
11.10-11.50	Keynote speaker Prof. Mark Hodson (Reading University) <i>Use of soil amendments in immobilisation/stabilisation of metal contaminants</i>
12:30-14:00	Lunch/poster session
15:20-16:00	Tea/coffee break
16:00-16:40	Keynote speaker Dr Rufus Chaney (USDA-ARS) <i>Phytoremediation of soil trace elements</i>
17:40-18:00	Extended discussion/close of the day
8 April 2010 Thursday	
	Session 2: Remediation and reclamation of organic contaminants
9:00-9:40	Keynote speaker Prof. Graeme Paton (Aberdeen University) <i>Innovative Technologies for the Remediation of Organic Contaminants in Soils</i> G.I.Paton, E.K. Budde and E.E. Diplock
10:40-11:10	Tea/coffee break
11:10 –11:50	Keynote speaker Dr. Chris Collins (Reading University) <i>Assessing soil-bound PAH bioaccessibility</i> C. H. Collins and E.L. Tilston
12:30-14:00	Lunch/poster session
	Session 3: Remediation and reclamation in the context of ecosystem restoration
14:00-14:40	Keynote speaker Prof. Jim Harris (Cranfield University) <i>Principles, concepts and challenges in ecosystem restoration</i>
15:20-16:00	Tea/coffee break
19.00	Conference reception/dinner (Blue Room at Reading Campus)
9 April 2010 Friday	
9.00-15.00	Field trip to Bramshill