

SUPPORTING WORLD-CLASS SCIENCE

2015 CONFERENCE AND AWARDS DINNER

Good Practice and Great Networking to Inform and Inspire

University of Leeds, 16-17 September 2015

A UNIQUE EVENT

is being organised by S-Lab, in association with the University of Leeds and other partners and sponsors (see various logos above and below). The Conference should have 400+ attendees and 30+ exhibitors, and will be accompanied by the S-Lab Awards Dinner on September 16.

A WIDE RANGE OF CONTENT

on all aspects of laboratory design, management and use provide knowledge, contacts and CPD (certificates available) for managers; researchers and teachers; estates, facilities, procurement, technical and other support staff; designers and engineers; and equipment vendors. It includes:

- 90 breakout sessions and masterclasses (see selected highlights overleaf), plus laboratory tours
- Keynotes on Science Facilities Management at NASA, the AstraZeneca R&D labs being developed at Cambridge (tbc) and the University of Leeds
- Many exhibitors, and opportunities to set up private meetings.

ATTRACTIVE PRICES

- Early bird tickets for universities and other not-for-profit laboratory owners and operators are priced well below cost at £15 for Sept 16 (including wine reception) and £5 for Sept 17.
- Early bird commercial tickets are very reasonable for so much content and contact with so many purchasing influencers.
- Exhibition and sponsorship rates are also very competitive.

Bookings can be made, and queries answered, via www.effectivelab.org.uk.

SUPPORTING LABORATORY IMPROVEMENT

in universities and related research institutes is S-Lab's main task but it has growing involvement by commercial and public sector involvement. S-Lab outputs include assessment tools, benchmarking, cases and guidance documents.

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PARALLEL SESSIONS

A Strategic Approach to Technical Support: Redefining Career Structures and Roles
Advanced Checking, Analysis and Visualisation of Sample Data at the Scottish Environmental Protection Agency
Australia Best Practice: The University of New South Wales Tyree Energy Technologies Building
Biosecurity - two sessions, one on design implications, the second on good operating practice, by NCTSO
Building Information Management (BIM) and Laboratories
BREEAM 2014 and Laboratories Update
Cardiff University's Hadyn Ellis Building - Multi-Disciplinary Research, Equipment Sharing & Post Occupancy Evaluation
Career and Personal Development + Science Council Registration for Technicians and Scientists: multiple sessions
Chemical Substitution in Laboratories
Clinical and Laboratory Wastes and the New WM3 Guidelines
Comparing Laboratory Performance - Metrics and Benchmarking
Containment Devices in UK Labs - The Next 5 Years
Designing for Industry Collaboration - Cambridge Maxwell Centre and more
Designing Laboratories for Their Full Life Cycle - How to Improve Cost, Energy and Productivity in Operation
Effective Briefing and Consultation - two sessions by a consultant (Aecom) and lab user (University of Strathclyde)
Efficiency and Asset Sharing Agendas - HEFCE View
Efficient and Effective Microscopy
Equipment Sharing - Successes, Challenges and Next Steps
Energy Consumption in Research Buildings and How to Reduce It
EHS Improvement in University of Michigan Labs - one session on Shut the Sash!, another on Chemicals & Waste
Freezer Management, Maintenance, Procurement and Technical Innovation - multiple sessions
Health and Safety in Labs - multiple sessions
Laboratory Energy Initiatives at the University of Cambridge - Behaviour Change, Dryers, Freezers, Ventilation
Laboratory Environmental Champions & Assessment - King's, Queen's University Belfast, York and more
Informatics - Joining up Labs by Consolidating, Integrating and Simplifying Multiple Data Management Systems
Increasing Teaching Laboratory Space Utilisation and Optimising Technical Support at Massey University
Innovative Ventilation Technologies - two sessions on Demand Responsive Systems and Wind Responsive Extract
Is Your Cleanroom Air Really as Clean as it Should Be?
Laboratory Improvement at the University of Bristol
Laboratory Procurement Updates
Laboratory Workforce Development and Planning at the University of Cambridge
Masterclasses on Laboratory Leadership, Laboratory Improvement, Ventilation Systems and more
Modular Design at the University of Oxford Centre for Neural Circuits and Behaviour
Pirbright Update and Project Management Experience - two linked sessions by Michael Johnson
Refurbishment in HE - Edinburgh, Glasgow & Leeds Chemistry, King's Zebrology, Sheffield Hallam Multi-Science
Refurbishment in Commercial/Translational Labs - Cell Therapy Catapult (Guys), Huntsman and Lilly Windlesham
Science Facilities Management at NASA - two sessions
Setting Up a Chemical Management System - Key Issues and Our Choice at the University of Hertfordshire
S-Lab Awards Best New Equipment Shortlist - Autoclaves, Nano-scale Air Purifiers, Rotary Evaporators, Serial Diluters +
Space Utilisation in Laboratories (tbc)
Sustainable Laboratory Equipment: New for 2015-16 - Freezers, Glassware Drying Cabinets and more
The Bob Champion Research and Education Building at UEA: Integrating Medical Research and Teaching
The Low Resource Laboratory (for Developing Countries) - Challenges and Opportunities
US Best Practice Laboratory Design: The Bigelow Laboratory for Ocean Sciences
Ventilation Improvements in the Joseph Priestley Chemistry Teaching Laboratory, University of Leeds