



## TUC Discussion Leaders Course on Environmental Awareness and Eco-Skills for a Changing World

## 23/24 and 30 January 2012 10am – 4.30pm

at the

Trades Union Studies Centre, Deptford Campus, 2 Deptford Church Street, Deptford, London. SE 8 4RZ

This course is aimed at:

- Community activists who want to be able to argue their case on the green agenda
- Unemployed people who have some time to learn and get active around these issues
- Union Reps who wish to improve their presentation skills at meetings with members and management
- Health and Safety Reps who wish to run awareness sessions or campaigns
- Union Learning Reps who wish to run lunch-time learning sessions or group learning activities in the workplace.

The course covers:

- different ways to introduce environmental issues
- a range of education and information methods to engage your audience
- use of visual aids including the internet to help raise awareness
- speaking and presentation skills
- planning, delivering and reviewing a one hour session on an issue of your choice

## If you would like to attend please ring or complete the application form and return to:

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- Unionlearn: 'Greener Deals: Negotiating on Environmental Issues at Work "The Carbon Trust estimates that each year £2.4 billion, 21% of the total spent by UK businesses on energy, is wasted
- estimates that each year £2.4 billion, 21% of the total spent by UK businesses on energy, is wasted and that most businesses could easily save between 10-20% of their energy costs through simple low-cost and cost-free measures. But, to do this, workers and communities on the ground must be involved. They will not be able to deliver changes if they don't understand and support the reasons why they are being introduced
- *IFL Green Economy Survey: A survey of teachers and trainers, members of the Institute for Learning (IfL); March 2011* There is "clear enthusiasm and interest from teachers and trainers to include green skills more in teaching. This needs to be supported by organisations so that teachers and trainers are given time to share practice in updating their own green skills and methods for integrating into teaching...

**APPLICATION FORM** I wish to apply for a place on the course below.

Please use <b>BLOCK LETTERS</b>		
Course Title TUC Discussion Leaders Course on Environmental Awareness and Eco-		
Skills for a Changing World		
To be held at		
Trades Union Studies Centre, Deptford Campus, 2 Deptford Church Street, Deptford, London. SE 8 4RZ		
Starting Date 23/24 and 30 January 2012		
Your full name		
Home Address		
Post Code		
Telephone Number		
Email		
Trade Union		
Name and Address of Employer (if applicable)		
Job Day Tel No		

Signature of Applicant	Date
Signature of Full Time Officer (if union rep)	Date
(or branch stamp)	

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