

Business opportunities in a low carbon future

How to **develop** and **protect**
your ideas for **low carbon** and
energy saving technologies

FREE open seminar and
consultation event

Advanced Manufacturing Park
Technology Centre
23rd April 2010 at 1pm

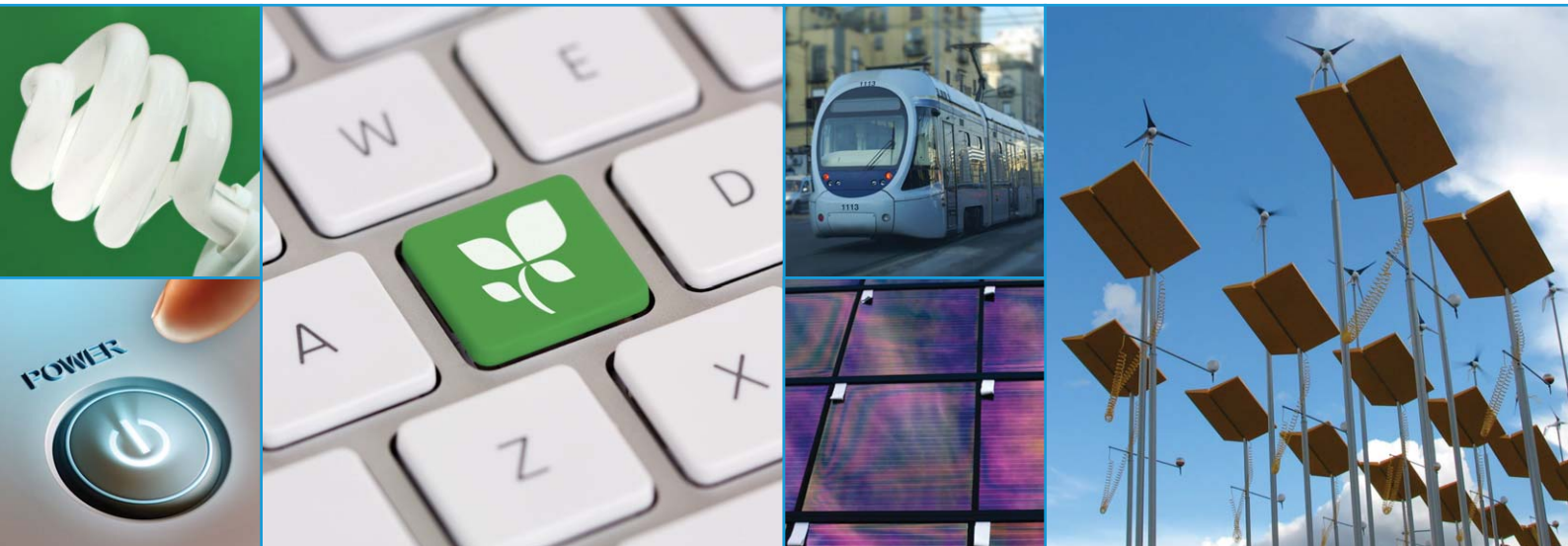
This **free event** is aimed at all SMEs within South Yorkshire and is **open to anyone from any sector** who is interested in the varied business opportunities which are available in developing low carbon / energy saving technologies.

Hosted by leading Intellectual Property Attorneys, **Mathys & Squire LLP**, the event includes a series of presentations by experts in research, technology, investment and intellectual property.

Alongside the presentations you'll be free to speak to representatives from each of the event sponsors in a one-on-one break out session, where you can talk in confidence about developing your ideas and the opportunities available for investment.



Access
up to **£70k**
in **business**
support from
the Carbon
Trust*



How to **develop** and **protect** your ideas for **low carbon** and **energy saving** technologies.

AMP Technology Centre, Advanced Manufacturing Park, Brunel Way, Rotherham S60 5TZ
23rd April 2010 - 1pm to 5pm

What is on offer?

Access to a leading firm of Intellectual Property Attorneys with a specialist team dedicated to identifying and safeguarding new, clean energy and low carbon technology.

Access to up to **£70k in business support from the Carbon Trust** to help develop new technologies into viable commercial business opportunities.*

Access to the leading equity investors in the UK energy sector who invest on behalf of energy utilities.

Access to innovation scouts for the top UK and European utilities.

Access to private Angel investors who are actively seeking opportunities in this sector.

Access to the region's leading technology commercialisation consultants.

What does it cost?

Nothing. The aim of the event is to capture clever new technology from any sector and commercialise it here in the South Yorkshire region.

What if I don't currently have a carbon saving idea?

The various presentations during this event are aimed at getting you thinking about what technology you might have developed as part of your streamlining and efficiency measures, and to highlight the opportunities and support on offer to businesses developing these technologies.

What if I do have a carbon saving idea?

Don't broadcast it! The break out sessions on the day will give you the opportunity to discuss your ideas in confidence. Don't disclose your idea outside these sessions as this can impact on your ability to gain patent protection.

*Subject to application criteria through Isis Innovation for advice on the application process speak to Isis during the event.

The speakers

Presentations start at 1.30pm and run throughout the afternoon on all aspects of gaining business advantage through developing and commercialising new low carbon technology.

Mathys & Squire
Isis Innovation
Morgan Linley
Yorkshire Association of Business Angels
EA Technology Ventures
CO2Sense Yorkshire
Energy Innovation Centre

Break out sessions

Between the presentations you are invited to discuss your ideas in confidence, on a one-to-one basis with representatives from the following organisations.

Mathys & Squire (www.mathys-squire.com)
Isis Innovation (www.isis-innovation.com)
Energy Innovation Centre (www.energyinnovationcentre.com)
EA Technology Ventures (www.eatechnology.com)
Morgan Linley (www.morganlinley.co.uk)
Yorkshire Association of Business Angels (www.yaba.org.uk)
CO2Sense Yorkshire (www.co2sense.org.uk)

Places at this free event are strictly limited. Please reserve your place by contacting Ben Wyatt at Mathys & Squire LLP by email BWyatt@mathys-squire.com or telephone **0161 870 5900**.

We look forward to seeing you there.

For directions to the AMP Technology Centre, click here. (<http://www.amptechnologycentre.co.uk/location>)