

LGiU Good Practice Seminar

Scrutiny of Crime: justice and policing

Friday 12 December 2008
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10:30-15:00 (Lunch

Venue: LGiU Offices, 22 Upper Woburn Place, London, WC1H 0TB
(5 minutes from Euston Station)

Rates

LGiU Affiliated Organisations: £150.00 (£176.25 inc VAT)

Others: £250.00 (£293.75 inc VAT)

Description

With the development of Local Area Agreements and new legislation giving powers to councils to scrutinise the LAA, there is increasing interest in the role scrutiny can play in the work of external partners. We are also in a time of change for policing, following the latest Policing Green Paper, and Police Authorities are reviewing their roles and interaction with local government and other local partners.

This seminar will learn from Hillingdon and Bedford who have both undertaken successful scrutiny reviews of crime and policing, as well as hearing from the Metropolitan Police Authority about its scrutiny role and how it is evolving. Nottinghamshire County Councils will give a rare insight into their recommendations for magistrates. The LGiU will provide expert background briefing on the wider agenda for crime and policing and the key role scrutiny can play in this critical area.

Speakers:

- Martin Davis, Head of Engagement and Partnerships, Metropolitan Police Authority
- Amelia Cookson, Head of Centre for Service Transformation, LGiU
- Hugh Bartos, Overview and Scrutiny, Bedford Borough Council
- London Borough of Hillingdon
- Nottinghamshire County Council

Who should attend:

- Overview and Scrutiny Councillors and Officers
- Executive Members for Community Safety
- Neighbourhood Managers
- Police Authority Members and Officers
- Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnership members