



National Blue Light Users Conference

Wednesday 1st & Thursday 2nd September 2010

Hinckley Island Hotel, Leicestershire - Junction 1 - M69

The National Blue Light Users' Conference is for all those who manage and/or train drivers who during the course of their work drive emergency vehicles. It is also

relevant to those who manage health and safety and occupational road risk issues for all staff within the emergency services and those who are involved in casualty reduction.

Chairman of the National Blue Light Users Conference 2010

Kevin Day MAIRSO

Driver Training Manager - West Midlands Fire Service



KEVIN DAY has extensive experience in both the Police and Fire Service in the field of Driving and Driver Training and brings his talents and skills to the chairmanship of the National Blue Light Users Conference

Kevin is the AIRSO Portfolio Holder for Emergency Services and serves in this capacity on the Association's Road Safety Group.

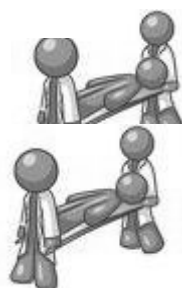
Over the years the National Blue Light Users Conference has sought to provide for the exchange of good practice, new innovation and networking in a way in which we can further our aims and reduce the likelihood of our drivers becoming involved in high profile road crashes.

"Making our drivers the best and safest on the road has to be our ultimate aim as we seek to preserve life through the work which those who operate on the front line set out to achieve. The public are rightly appreciative of our work when we arrive at an incident but quick to condemn if we fail to arrive or cause harm to other road users through bad or inconsiderate driving."

"We must also not lose sight of the role which we must play in helping our support staff who make journeys in non front line vehicles or their own private cars in order to ensure their safety within our organisations."

I do hope that you will continue the journey at the 2010 National Blue Light Users Conference and I look forward to welcoming you this year

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WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

For those responsible for training, managing and organising personnel who in the course of their duties drive emergency vehicles. The conference will also be of great value to those involved in managing occupational road risk, health and safety and casualty reduction.

We welcome delegates from the areas of:

- Ambulance Service
- Armed Services
- Bomb Disposal Teams
- British Red Cross
- Coastguard Service
- Fire and Rescue Service
- Highways Agency
- Human Tissue Transplant
- Life Boat Launching Vehicles
- Mines Rescue Service
- Mountain Rescue Teams
- National Blood Service
- Police
- Private Ambulance Services
- St John Ambulance
- Emergency Service Training Organisations

PACKAGES & COSTS

The cost of the two day conference to include all meals, overnight accommodation and the conference dinner is £255.00 (£230 AIRSO Members)

There is also a rate for those requiring an additional night at the hotel (i.e. Tuesday or Thursday)

The day delegate rate is £90.00 per day (£70.00 AIRSO Members)

See further details on the application form.

TIMES

Wednesday starts at 11.00a.m. and ends at 4.30p.m;
Thursday from 10.00.a.m. and ends at 4.30p.m.

HOW DO I BOOK MY PLACE?

Complete the application form and return it with the appropriate remittance to the address given.

(Please do not put more than one name on each form - photocopy the form or ask for another)

PROGRAMME CONTENT

The Conference agenda will explore a range of issues by means of both short informative items and more traditional presentations.

Some of the areas to be covered will include:

- Keynote opening addresses on each day
- The High Speed Driving Course
- Continuous Professional Development
- Driving & Corporate Manslaughter
- Medical Fitness to Drive
- Behavioural Theory
- Consequences of Stated Cases
- Good practice in driver training from around the services
- Expert Panel for "Question Time"
- Lessons from overseas
- What the legal status is looking like at present
- Health & Safety links to Driver Training and Management of Occupational Road Risk
- The Grey Fleet
- Advancing Vehicle Safety Technology
- Coaching Skills
- Securing Support & Engagement

WEBSITE INFORMATION

You will be able to find out more about the way in which the Conference Programme is developing etc at www.airso.org.uk/bluelight_users.htm

JOINING INSTRUCTIONS

Joining instruction will start to be mailed to delegates during the last week of July

CONFERENCE ORGANISER

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APPLICATION FORM

NAME: _____
First Name Surname

AUTHORITY _____

ADDRESS FOR FINAL DETAILS INCLUDING POSTCODE:

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____

EMAIL: _____

PLACE TICK IN THE BOX AS APPROPRIATE

Are you a Member of AIRSO?

Have you attended the National Blue Light Users Conference before?

(continued overleaf)

Please complete the continuation of this application form overleaf





PACKAGE OPTIONS

WHOLE CONFERENCE WITH EXTRA NIGHT OPTION

- 1** I wish to attend the **whole Conference** to include the sessions on Wednesday & Thursday, overnight accommodation on Wednesday night and the conference dinner at a total cost of £255 (AIRSO Members £230)
- and
I also require accommodation on the Tuesday night prior to the Conference at an additional charge of £113 dbb

DAY DELEGATE

- 2** I wish to attend on **Wednesday and Thursday** but as a day delegate **ONLY** at a total cost of £180 (AIRSO Members £140)
- I wish to attend the day session of the Conference only; on **Wednesday 1st September 2010** – day delegate rate £90.00 (AIRSO Members £70.00)
- I wish to attend the day session of the Conference only; on **Thursday 2nd September 2010** – day delegate rate £90.00 (AIRSO Members £70.00)

CONFERENCE DINNER (IF ONLY ATTENDING AS A DAY DELEGATE)

- 3** I am attending the Conference as a day delegate but would also like to attend the Conference Dinner on Wednesday 1st September 2010 at a cost of £30.00

PAYMENT

Payment should be made with the booking form

I enclose a cheque payable to AIRSO to the value of: £ _____

Alternatively you can pay by Debit or Credit Card

You can book and pay for delegate(s) over the phone **or** send the form providing a telephone number and we will call to take the appropriate payment(s)

Note AIRSO **cannot** accept payments by BACS

A copy of this form for your records should be appropriate to act as your invoice.

There is no VAT involved with regard to this conference.

AIRSO reserve the right to make an administrative charge should a separate invoice be required.

Return to:

AIRSO, 68 The Boulevard, Worthing, West Sussex BN13 1LA

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