



Programme

London & York Rooms, Mandolay Hotel, Guildford	
08:30 – 09:00	Registration
09:00 – 09:15	Opening Remarks
09:15 – 09:45	Presentation: ‘Transforming to zero: changing behaviours to decarbonise laboratories’ <i>James Buckley-Walker, 3PM</i>
09:45 – 10:15	Presentation: ‘Sustainability in the lab: LEAF and beyond’ <i>Andrea Hodgetts, LEAF representative, University College London</i>
10:15 – 10:45	Presentation: ‘Practical implementation of sustainable practices’ <i>Lisa O’Fee, The Institute of Cancer Research</i>
10:45 – 11:00	Refreshment break
11:00 – 12:00	Panel discussion: ‘Balancing innovation, efficiency and sustainability’
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch & Supplier Exhibition
13:00 – 13:30	Presentation: Driving change in the lab: lessons from UK lab visits’ <i>Kåre Stokholm Poulsgaard, 3PM</i>
13:30 – 14:00	Presentation: ‘Introduction to Technician Commitment’ <i>Mel Leitch, UK Institute for Technical Skills and Strategy</i>
14:00 – 14:30	Presentation: ‘Developing professional skills in biorisk management’ <i>Graeme Harkess & Adrian Zagrajek, The Pirbright Institute</i>
14:30 – 14:45	Refreshment break
14:45 – 16:30	Breakout discussion groups (<i>topics 1-6 discussed across tables</i>) Topics: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Implementing LEAF: Challenges and opportunities2. Optimising lab operations: technology and process innovations/asset/space management3. Staff training, compliance and development in lab management (balancing carrot or stick approach engaging scientists and H&S)4. Waste management and energy efficiency in labs5. Technician commitment/career development in universities6. Future lab management conference topics
16:30 – 16:45	Closing remarks and next steps – <i>organising committee</i>
16:45	Conference end

Further information: