

# Facilitation and communication skills

25th - 29th March 2013

**A fantastic learning experience that has provided me with the tools that will help me become a more efficient and effective conservation manager.**

Facilitation skills course participant, 2012

The training you receive will give you the skills and confidence to organise and conduct your own meetings and workshops helping you to tackle complex and contentious issues. You will develop links with experienced facilitators who can assist you in designing your own workshops. The course attracts a multi-national group of conservation professionals providing ample opportunity to extend your professional networks.

## Who is the course for?

The course is aimed at conservation professionals within mid- to senior-level management within their organisations. It is also relevant to other professionals or graduate level students who wish to develop their communication, facilitation and management skills.

## What will I learn from the course?

During the course, you will learn and practise essential workshop facilitation skills, including:

- Decision making
- Team formation and management
- Conflict resolution
- Cross-cultural sensitivity
- Communication skills
- Consensus building

The course involves lectures, case studies and significant time to practise the facilitation skills you will learn.



## Who is running the course?

The course is co-directed by Dr Susie Ellis, Executive Director of the International Rhino Foundation, and Dr Kristin Leus, Programme Officer for CBSG-Europe, in association with Durrell staff. It will be based at Durrell Conservation Academy at Durrell's headquarters on the Island of Jersey, British Channel Islands.

## What is the cost?

The course fee is £750 (discounted to £600 if paid at least 8 weeks in advance). Optional full board on-site accommodation is available for £210 for six nights.



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