

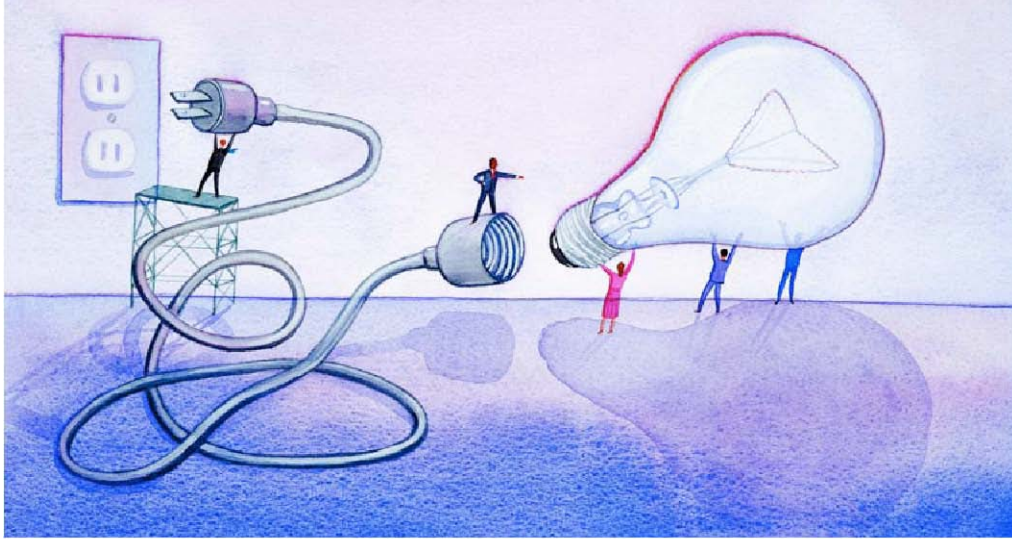
How can we ensure successful mixed communities?

A Scottish Centre for Regeneration practice event

Tuesday 27 March 2007

The Hub, Edinburgh

10.00am – 4.00pm



The Scottish Executive's Regeneration Statement, *People and Place*, outlined its commitment to creating mixed communities. Mixed communities are areas where there is a mix of incomes and sufficient range, diversity, affordability and accessibility of housing within a balanced housing market. Evidence demonstrates that these communities are more likely to be sustainable in the longer term.

This event will launch the important new **Good Practice Guide to Creating and Sustaining Mixed Communities in Scotland**. Copies of the guide will be available at the event.

The event will look at how we can create mixed communities in Scotland. It will outline some of the key principles which need to be put in place to develop, implement and manage mixed communities over the longer term. The day will include a presentation by Professor Nick Bailey and colleagues from the University of Westminster, who have prepared the *Good Practice Guide*. During the afternoon we will hear from a number of the case studies included in the guide. There will be an opportunity to discuss their experience of creating mixed communities.



This event is organised in partnership with the Joseph Rowntree Foundation and the Chartered Institute of Housing in Scotland.

Ensuring decent housing and
strong communities across Scotland



Programme:

Registration will open from 9.30 – 10.00 am

- 10.00 Welcome and opening remarks
Craig McLaren, Director, Scottish Centre for Regeneration, Communities Scotland
- 10.10 Introduction
Alan Ferguson, Chartered Institute of Housing in Scotland
- 10.15 Introduction to mixed communities
Julia Unwin, Director, Joseph Rowntree Foundation
- 10.25 Presentation of the *Good Practice Guide*:

A: Initiation and planning – Anna Haworth
B: Design and delivery – Professor Marion Roberts
- 11.10 Coffee Break
- 11.40 Presentation of the *Good Practice Guide*:

C: Partnership and management – Dr Tony Manzi
D: Conclusions and recommendations – Professor Nick Bailey
- 12.15 Comments, questions and answers session
Chaired by Craig McLaren
- 12.45 Networking lunch
- 1.45 Presentation of case studies
Craigmillar, Edinburgh
Ardler, Dundee
- 2.45 Round table discussions
- 3.05 Questions and comments
- 3.45 Closing remarks

Who should attend?

This event is for people interested in community regeneration policy and practice. You may work for or be involved with:

- Community planning partnerships
- Social economy organisations
- Regeneration companies
- Scottish Executive
- Local authority departments
- NHS boards and the wider health sector
- Community and voluntary organisations
- Registered social landlords and housing associations, or
- Members of the Community Voices network and community representatives

How to book

The easiest way to book is to go online and complete the [online booking form](#). This is also available by going to the Scottish Centre for Regeneration website at www.scr.communitiesscotland.gov.uk.

If you have difficulty with our online booking please call Maria on 0141 434 1500.

The venue

The Hub is located on Castlehill, Edinburgh. It is a 10 – 15 minutes walk from Edinburgh Waverly Station. A map and directions can be found at <http://www.thehub-edinburgh.com/contact/map.asp>.

The Scottish Centre for Regeneration Events Series

The Scottish Centre for Regeneration is part of Communities Scotland – the Scottish Executive's housing and regeneration agency. Our events are designed for people interested in community regeneration policy and practice.

There is no charge for this event, but places are limited per organisation. If you can't attend after booking a place, please tell us as soon as possible. Our events are often oversubscribed and we need to be sure that as many people as possible can benefit from them. If you fail to attend without giving us at least 24 hours' notice, you may be put on a waiting list if you wish to book a place at future events.