

EC&O Venues – Environmental Policy

EC&O Venues comprises three landmark London venues – Earls Court, Olympia and the Brewery – which are home to some of the most well-known and prestigious events in the UK.

EC&O Venues recognises that, in its day-to-day operations, its business impacts on the environment in a number of ways and it strives to integrate sound environmental values, principles and practices in everything it does.

The management of EC&O Venues is committed to seeking continuous improvement in all aspects of the company's environmental performance and the prevention of pollution on its sites.

The company aims to:

- Reduce emissions where possible and look for alternative sources that have reduced impacts on the environment
- Work with suppliers and contractors to develop more environmentally friendly practices
- Manage programs that reduce both water and energy consumption without compromising safety or customer service
- Have a waste management program that aims to reduce the percentage of waste that is delivered to landfill sites every year through recycling and recovering
- Operate in a socially responsible manner and provide support to local charities and organisations
- Lead by example within the event industry by integrating sustainability into business practice
- Promote public transport routes to staff and visitors

To achieve its aims EC&O Venues will:

- Understand and comply with the relevant legislation pertaining to the environment
- Develop systems as a means of understanding its impacts and implement an environmental management system
- Monitor energy usage, water usage and waste levels and set targets for reduction
- Frequently review procedures and work to improve performance continually
- Implement new technology where possible and practicable to improve working practices
- Publicly report on environmental performance
- Work with organisers of events in the venues to improve the sustainability of the events held there

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